

"Why the World Needs Geologists" UCD Geology Workshop

Saturday 26th November 2016

10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. in UCD School of Earth Sciences

Application Form

What could you do with a degree in Geology? How do geologists tackle many of the 21st century societal challenges such as demands for energy, mineral and water resources, climate change and the threat posed by natural hazards? Are you interested in taking a Science Degree with a strong emphasis on field work and good employment prospects? If so, this workshop is designed for you.

Geology is unique as a subject in its breadth. It draws on many of the subjects you will be familiar with - biology, chemistry, geography, maths, physics. This does not require you to be an 'expert' in every one of these areas. Many graduates play to their interests and strengths, and specialise after their BSc degree in an area they are particularly interested in.

Our Geology BSc graduates are highly regarded by employers. Traditionally, a geology degree prepared graduates for careers in industries such as petroleum sector and mining. Increasingly, our graduates are employed much more widely – in jobs addressing climate change, environmental monitoring and remediation, even the financial sector.

This workshop is designed to give you an insight into life as a UCD Geology student and into geological careers. It will include taster lectures, mini practicals and opportunities for problem-solving. Registration is free and lunch will also be provided free of charge. Priority will be given to students taking their final school examinations (e.g. leaving cert, A-levels, Baccalaureate) in 2017, but students in the penultimate year of their final school examinations are also welcome to apply.

PLEASE NOTE: Entry to the BSc Geology in UCD is through DN200 Science. CAO points for this programme in 2016 were 510 and are not expected to decrease significantly for entry in 2017.

Please complete **both sides** of this form and post to:

Sarah Procter, School of Earth Sciences, Science Centre West, University College Dublin, Belfield, Dublin 4 by **Friday 18th November 2016**.

For further information please contact the School Office. Additional copies of this form are also available on our website. (see contact details at foot of page)

STUDENT NAME	
HOME ADDRESS	
CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	

EXAMINATIONS FOR WHICH YOU ARE STUDYING	Leaving Cert	A-Levels		Baccalaureate			
YEAR IN WHICH YOU WILL TAKE YOUR EXAMINATIONS	2017		2018				
EXAMINATION SUBJECTS YOU ARE STUDYING		•					
SCHOOL NAME AND ADDRESS							
SCHOOL TELEPHONE NUMBER							
CAREER GUIDANCE TEACHER'S NAME							
SCIENCE/GEOGRAPHY TEACHER'S NAME							
SCIENCE/GEOGRAPHI TEACHER 3 NAME							
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE GEOLOGY WORKSHOP?							
UCD Science Calendar							
UCD Website							
School Teacher Name:	Subject taught:						
If other, please specify:							
Other							
THE FOLLOWING SECTION OF THE FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL							
<u>Declaration from Parent or Guardian:</u>							
I, (print parent/guardian's name)							
confirm that							
(print student's name)							
has my permission to attend the UCD Geology Workshop on Saturday 26th November 2016.							
Signature:							
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Note: You will not be able to attend the Geology Workshop without this permission.							
Please provide details in the box below of any special health, dietary, mobility, learning or other requirements that we would need to take into consideration to facilitate your participation in the Geology Workshop.							
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