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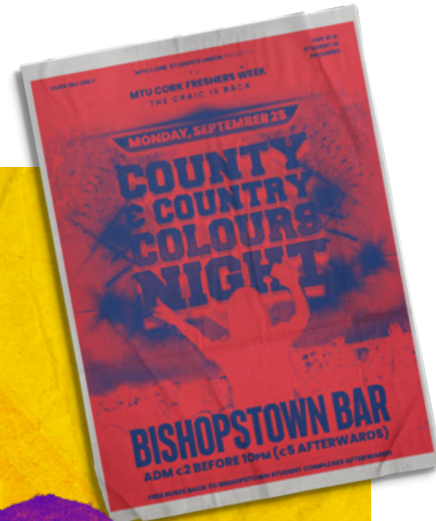
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THE CRAIC IS BACK

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

COUNTRY & COUNTRY COLOURS NIGHT

BISHOPSTOWN BAR

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FRESHERS WEEK

SEPTEMBER 2023

THE CRAIG IS BACK

ADRIAN KNIGHT

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Adrian Knight is one of Ireland's foremost comedy hypnotists. This is his first visit to MTU in five years. He has delighted and excited audiences for more than 15 years, performing to packed shows, entertaining tens of thousands of people every year.

"The best and funniest in the business!"

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- RTE

MON 25

10am

MARKET STALLS outside Student Centre

11am - 1pm

OUTDOOR DJ by Library area

12pm (Midday)

DJ MC FLEMING in the Student Centre

1pm

HYPNOTIST ADRIAN KNIGHT in Student Centre

9pm

COUNTY AND COUNTRY COLORS NIGHT

OVER 18s ONLY - Age ID and Student ID required
Adm €2 before 10pm, €5 afterwards

FREE buses back to Bishopstown student complexes afterwards

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TUES 26

10am

MARKET STALLS outside Student Centre

11am

Dominos Pizza Freshers Event

11am - 1pm

OUTDOOR DJ in circle area

12pm (Midday)

DJ MC FLEMING in the Student Centre

1pm

SEX TOY BINGO in Common Room - lots of prizes to be won with special MC

10pm

Freshers Week Tuesday @Conways Yard

OVER 19s - Age ID required - Adm €10 /
Freshers Tuesday @SkyBar - Age ID required -
(OVER 21s) Adm €10

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MYLES GAFFNEY



WED 27

10am

MARKET STALLS outside Student Centre

10am - 2pm

RAG WEEK SOCCER TOURNAMENT at Astro Turf Pitches

11am - 1pm

OUTDOOR DJ in circle area

12pm (Midday)

DJ MC FLEMING in the Student Centre w/Selfie Mirrors and Video Booth

1pm

RAVE BINGO in the Student Centre with BMG and Dave Daly

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THURS 28

10am

MARKET STALLS outside Student Centre

11am - 1pm

OUTDOOR DJ by Library area

12pm (Midday)

LIVE MUSIC with JAMES KEEGAN outside in Circle area

1pm

LIVE MUSIC with MYLES GAFFNEY outside in Circle area

10pm

Freshers Week Thursday @Conways Yard

OVER 19s - Age ID required - Adm €10 /
Freshers Thursday @SkyBar - Age ID required -
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JAMES KEEGAN

James Keegan is a singer-songwriter from the South of Ireland. Rooted in acoustic folk/pop, James conveys an 'uplifting, east listening atmosphere.

Having played in iconic intimate Irish venues such as DeBarras Folk Club, Connollys of Leap and Seachurch in Ballycotton, James has also played in bigger venues such as Whelans, Cyprus Avenue and Dolans to keep it brief, adding a great contrast to his live set.

James has released four singles to date, to which three of them have topped the Irish iTunes Charts for All Genres and for the Singer-Songwriter chart. James has built his fanbase by playing numerous support slots around Ireland to artists such as Mundy and Ryan O' Shaughnessy, that plus a continuous presence on social media is how James is finding his audience. Keep an eye on James' socials for updates on new music!



Hi Everyone, my name is Shane Falvey,
I am delighted to introduce myself to you as
your Societies Officer for this Academic Year.
I am really looking forward to engaging
with Students over the course of the
2023/24 Academic Year.



I was Founding Member and Chairperson of the Cancer Society for the 2013/14 Academic Year. As well as serving terms as President of the Students' Union, during this time I was a member of the Societies Board. I have held various roles within MTU over the past number of years. I will use this experience to assist you, our Students in your developmental journeys with the University.

Societies to me are a place of belonging, where friendships are made and new skills are learned. I'm excited to work with you in the continuous growth and enhancement of Societies. I along with the Societies Office Intern, Kelley, Sports & Societies Office Administrator Denise & Students Services Finance Administrator Cathal, will provide as much guidance and support to students wishing to join existing Societies or who wish to establish a new one as I possibly can. Our doors are always open in the Sports & Societies Office and we cannot wait to engage with as many students as we can. We are located on the 1st Floor of the Bishopstown Campus Student Centre **#LiveLifeLoveSocieties**

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE A SOCIETY MEMBER?

Education is about much more than just academic learning. Joining Societies allows you the opportunity to experience something new or to

pursue an interest you have always wanted to explore. The diversity of MTU Societies means that practically every taste is catered for. Be different, be unique, be yourself. Broaden your horizons, engage in your passions and make new friends – all while building up your CV and getting the chance to develop your skills.

SIGN UP TO SOCIETIES

By signing up you become an official Society Member and are allowed to vote at Society General Meetings. You will be notified directly of when activities and meetings for that particular Society are taking place. Many societies will have a strong online presence that you can engage with and be part of also.

There is no fee or charge to become a Society Member. Members stay in the loop about all that is happening in the Society. You can run for committee roles, vote and most importantly are part of a community. It's up to you how much time you want to give or how much you engage – there's no pressure!

Sign up Online <http://societies.mtu.ie>
New societies are being set up all the time. You can see the most up to date list of Societies on the MTU Societies Website <http://societies.mtu.ie> scan the QR code to find out more!
We give away prizes and free stuff through our socials.

Find us at **MTUSocietiesCork** on Facebook, Instagram and Tik-Tok.

WHAT IS A SOCIETY COMMITTEE?

All Societies are run by a student committee. A Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer, Public Relations Officer and many more roles exist depending on the Society's requirements. The committee team plan, organise and execute activities. Together they are responsible for driving and running a Society with the support of the Societies Office. To be elected as a Society Committee Officer is a fantastic opportunity for you to learn and demonstrate your skills. It is a huge bonus for your CV and an enjoyable way to develop your communication and teamwork skills.

HOW CAN YOU BECOME A SOCIETY COMMITTEE OFFICER?

Every society must hold a general meeting which all members can attend. At this meeting, called an AGM (Annual General Meeting) or EGM (Extraordinary General Meeting), a committee is elected through voting. Each member has 1 vote. Each committee role is open to nomination from members. If you are interested in becoming a committee officer, put yourself forward for nomination at this meeting. These general meetings may take place in person or online, so be sure to sign up as a society member to receive communication about when and how these meetings will take place.



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Shane O'Driscoll

ALUM SPOTLIGHT

Shane O'Driscoll is a visual artist and designer. He is a member of Cork Printmakers and the Backwater Artists Group and has exhibited his work both internationally and throughout Ireland. Shane has work in the permanent collection of The National Gallery of Ireland, Crawford Art Gallery and has also displayed work in The Irish Print Museum. He also paints large scale murals and is a director of the Ardú Street Art Project, a contemporary mural initiative that brings large scale murals to Cork City.

Having studied Visual Communications in MTU (formerly CIT), Shane moved to Dublin and worked for a number of years as a designer and art director. Learning the basics of printmaking during his studies in MTU ignited a passion for fine art printmaking and the creative freedom it provided outside client-based work.

On leaving MTU, he curated a number of art exhibitions throughout the country in galleries, music festivals and also in New York City. He enjoys the limitless possibilities that a creative career provides and the new challenges that arise on each project.

Shane now works as a full-time artist and dips into design projects when they arise, mainly collaborating with design led companies and brands. Recently he has worked with The Irish Design Shop, Bewleys, large architectural projects and created artwork for LinkedIn's new Dublin office.

His artworks are exhibited in a number of galleries and he has painted murals throughout the country for many towns and cities, which provide another outlet for his visual language.

“Bold simple graphic visuals have always appealed to me and I strive to distil an artwork as much as I can, while still maintaining its weight when creating my work. The power of colour and shape is an intrinsic element of my practice and finding new ways to portray this is what keeps me motivated.”

His process begins with a guide composition and each shape is exposed for printing. This guide is merely just that, a guide, as he enjoys the element of chance in his work and will turn and test each shape and colour on the paper until he finds a new journey and resting place for the pieces.



IMAGE 1

Trinity Business School, Trinity College Dublin

IMAGE 2

Painting a mural in Dublin City centre

IMAGE 3

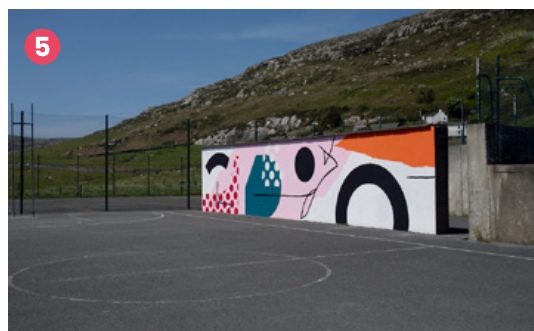
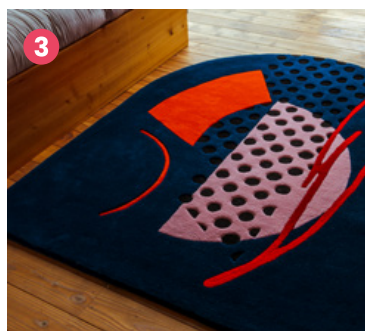
Rug design for Ceadogán Rugmakers

IMAGE 4

Painting on an old JCB bucket in West Cork

IMAGE 5

Mural in Barleycove, West Cork





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Students' Union Council Awards Winners 2023

A celebration of
Class Rep achievements



The MTU Cork Students' Union Council Awards 2022/2023 were held last May in recognition of Class Reps and their outstanding voluntary contributions to the University and the Students' Union.



This was a wonderful opportunity to celebrate and acknowledge the hard work and dedication of these volunteers. Class Reps play a very important role in the work of the Students' Union and ensure students in their class feel a sense of belongingness and are key to fostering a culture of inclusivity for our diverse student population.

Isobel Kavanagh, MTU Cork SU President, Dr Áine Ní Shé, Registrar & Vice President for Academic Affairs, Deirdre Creedon, Academic Administration & Student Affairs Manager, Oisín Gahan, SU VP Education, and Kelda MacManus, the then SU VP Welfare, paid tribute to the Class Reps. Below is a selection of photographs and attached is a programme which lists all of the nominees.



HANNAH O'REGAN

Sports and Exercise Management, Year 4



RACHAEL BUMSTER

Nutrition and Health Science, Year 4



CONNOR CODY

Mechanical Engineering, Year 1



GRACE COOKE

Union Council Chairperson



IAN MCCARTHY

Biomedical Engineering, Year 4



DYLAN TERRY

Business, Year 4



CATHY CRONIN

Fine Art, CCAD Year 3



NATALIA VELASQUEZ

Creative Digital Media, Year 1



JOHN O'REGAN

Process Energy & Transport Engineering, Year 2

Students showcase best & brightest ideas @ Student Inc. finale at MTU Arena



Thursday, August 24: There has never been a more crucial juncture for entrepreneurship and innovation. Globally, a range of dynamic solutions are needed as we face a future laden with uncertainty, opportunity and risk. Facing these challenges head on, Ireland's next generation of entrepreneurs and innovators showcased a raft of cutting edge projects that they have been working on for the past three months at the MTU Arena in Cork as part of the groundbreaking Student Inc. programme.

Student Inc., which has been running annually in Munster Technological University since 2011, is Ireland's longest-running student accelerator programme. During the full-time thirteen-week immersive programme, Student Inc. participants work on assessing the feasibility of their business idea, building prototypes and learning all aspects of getting a business up and running.

From 70 applicants, 30 students were chosen for this year's Student Inc. programme. The students come from a wide range of courses including tourism, engineering, multimedia, computer science and the range of students included those who have just completed first year through to those completing a Masters programme.

The student entrepreneurs worked on a mix of business ideas including education/e-learning, food, industrial products, software, apps, clothing, beauty, tourism and in the service industries.

This year's participants worked on exciting products such as: a wholesome cocoa-based beverage, an app that effortlessly connects schools with suitable substitute teachers in Ireland, a fishing net with a built-in weight to measure the fish once they are caught (for competitive fishing), and an app to assist non-verbal and preverbal children.

Each successful participant was awarded with €4,000 in seed funding, expert mentoring and training, access to

the university research centres, introductions to a network of international entrepreneurs and investors, and office space.

Since 2019, the MTU-led Student Inc. programme has been rolled out to five other universities and is now offered on fifteen campuses spread across the island of Ireland.

This year the programme was expanded to include two additional universities: Mary Immaculate College, Limerick and Endicott College, USA. Students from all the partner universities, from Donegal to Cork and across to Boston showcased their innovative ideas to the business community and members of the public in the MTU Arena.

"The showcase is one of my favourite events every year," said Carole O'Leary, Regional Programme Manager for 3rd Level Student Entrepreneurship at MTU. **"To see how both the students and their ideas have grown over the 13 weeks of the programme is very rewarding for all those involved in the programme. We look forward to hearing about their future successes."**

For Jack Sheehan, a Student Inc. participant from MTU studying for a Masters in Digital Marketing Strategy, the programme "has been an incredible journey."

"The support and guidance provided have transformed my idea into a tangible business. Moreover, I've had the privilege of connecting with so many fantastic people, and the program has equipped me with connections and skills that I'll use for years to come," Jack added.

This year's finals showcase at MTU Arena featured former Student Inc. participants who have gone to establish businesses at the forefront of technology and industry including alumnus Dylan Hennessy, the founder of Slim Mix Cocktails who shared his entrepreneurial journey since his time on the programme.



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Class	Time	Location	Cost
Circuits	7:15am – 8:00am	Main Hall	Free

TUESDAY CLASSES

Spinning	7:30am – 8:15am	Studio 2	€5
Pilates	1:05pm – 1:45pm	Studio 1	€5

WEDNESDAY CLASSES

Bootcamp	7:15am – 8:00am	Studio 1	€5
Yoga	1:05pm – 1:45pm	Studio 1	€5
Circuits	5:00pm – 6:00pm	Main Hall	Free

THURSDAY CLASSES

Spinning	7:15am – 8:00am	Studio 2	€5
X-Press Spinning	1:05pm – 1:30pm	Studio 2	€5

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I James Flynn

Just a few weeks back in August, I was hitting the Killarney Races with friends and I was in the racecourse bar reading a newspaper report on Miley Cyrus expressing regret on sparking her feud with the late songwriter, artist and activist Sinead O'Connor, who passed away on 26/07/2023 at the age of 56.

Miley acknowledged that Sinead was only expressing concern about the way she was going about her career in the wake of releasing 'Wrecking Ball' 10 years ago, which was influenced by Sinead's signature song from 1990 'Nothing Compares To You', but stated that, aged 20 back then in 2003, she was too full-of-youth to appreciate either Sinead's long battles with mental health and her past or the importance of mental health awareness. Miley made a number of dedications and tributes onstage to Sinead over the course of her E.S.V. Tour those past few weeks.

Flynnner's Flying Column

I have to give it to Miley for her acknowledgement, because age should never be an excuse for not heeding the importance of mental health or what anyone is going through. It also serves as a further impact that the legacy of Sinéad had on our lives since her career was launched in the mid 1980s. Brought up in a broken family amid an abusive and dysfunctional upbringing from her mother and spending a significant part of her teens in a Magdeline Institution for shoplifting and truancy where she suffered accordingly. And amid the twin miseries of unemployment and The Troubles which were plaguing the island, Ireland was still under the auspices of the Catholic Church. Although it had begun to loosen slightly but gradually from the 1960's onwards, 1890's Ireland remained a miserable place to live in as divorce, abortion and homosexuality were all unconstitutional/illegal and contraceptives were only becoming legal with strict terms attached at the time, though it was the first start as movements to overturn all this were starting to take pace.

By the mid-1980's Sinéad's musical talent was discovered and she was picked up by the music industry and her debut album *The Lion and The Cobra* was launched in 1987 the breakthrough single 'Mandinka' taking the charts by storm at a time when Ireland was moving out of the economic doldrums, the first moves for Peace in Ulster began and the FAI made waves in Euro '88. But 'Nothing Compares To You', released early in 1990, where "the Rebel with the voice on an Angel" delivered powerfully as much in video as she did in music and vocals (her tears were genuine, in grief for her mother who died tragically in 1985), this being the year when, amid the changing world order, Italia '90 had elated the national confidence to levels unheard of and Ireland got its first female President, the esteemed Mary Robinson, set to change Ireland, and the world, in many profound ways.

However, while the 90's saw her continue to musically deliver, the

effective end of her career in her deserved renown came in 13/10/1992 when she tore a picture of the Pope on the US TV Show *Saturday Night Live* erupting outrage from bible-bashers to celebrities (even Madonna). What she might have done differently, we will never know. Because by 1995, when she was still delivering amazing music, including the beautiful 'Haunted' with Shane McGowan, (and was even parodied in *Father Ted* – 'Rock A Hula Ted' as Niamh Connolly) divorce and homosexuality was legalized, contraceptives were freely available, mental health awareness was put to top priority and the abuses of the Catholic Church in Ireland over the decades were now becoming fully revealed to public knowledge and revulsion, all while Ireland was moving to prosperity and the Peace Process. There was still a considerable way to go but the old grips had been irrevocably loosened free that would see victory for Equality 2015, Repeal The Eighth 2018 and the Government issue an official apology for the Church's past abuses in 2021.

Nevertheless, the damage had been done to Sinéad, her happiness and her mental health casting her on her misunderstood paths for the rest of her life. Perhaps this is the real tragedy of her passing this summer.

Mental Health Awareness needs greater attention more than ever in a world awash with freedom and prosperity we too easily take for granted, and as Miley confessed, age should never be an excuse because it can hit us without respect anytime. And perhaps her untimely death – Sinéad having already lost one of her 4 children to suicide in January 2022 – reminds us once again of how much we only appreciate our true treasures when they are gone, especially one who shone like a diamond beneath the pain underneath. Rest In Peace Sinéad, a true Irish 90's icon; Nothing Will Ever Compare To Her.

August 20-21st, I was watching The Rose Of Tralee Festival. To some, it is The Lovely Girls Competition (also from *Father Ted* – 'Rock A Hula Ted'),

to others it is a hark-back to an old Ireland that has no real place in a world where Miss Ireland competitions are queens. To everybody, especially the schoolkids, it is the timely reminder that summer is nearing its end and autumn is about to begin whether we like it or not.

Whatever one's opinion, I believe, like most others, that the Rose Of Tralee Festival in Tralee, Co. Kerry every late August remains a relevant, entertaining and very heartwarming part of what it means to be Irish, celebrated across the diaspora around the world. Daithi O'Shea and Kathryn Thomas certainly deliver as 32 hopeful and aspirational young ladies act as ambassadors to their respective families and communities aim to be crowned Rose and represent Ireland at its most elegant – and congratulations to NY Rose Roisin Wiley on achieving this; she will do everyone proud.

Some of the Roses demonstrated serious issues and courage at its most down-to-earth. That included W-Australia Rose Charlotte Burton, who suffers from autism and dedicated her song to her grandmother who suffers dementia. And Sydney Rose Aoife Butler, who spoke movingly about the loss of her brother to suicide and the importance of reaching out. But the most moving was from Clare Rose Aisling O'Connor, who moved everyone (including myself) to tears when telling her story about losing both her parents and her determination to her teaching career amid the struggles she and her 5 brothers had to face with the rallying support of her boyfriend and the extraordinary lengths of the local community of her native Feake, demonstrating the importance of community spirit once again.

Now, regarding the MTU Merger, would there be any prospective Roses on each campus who would represent both sides of the University as the Cork and Kerry Roses for 2024? That would deffo be such a hoo-haa for End-of-Term and Freshers to come that year!!



How To Smash It At Careers Fest

Careers Fest 2023 is right around the corner (5th October in MTU Arena!)! We are going to have over 150 companies looking to meet students and offering work placements, graduate programmes and career opportunities from all courses.

That being said, with all of the hustle and bustle of over 150 companies and thousands of students in MTU Arena, it can be hard to make the most of this opportunity, so here is MTU Cork Careers Team's tips on How to Smash it at Careers Fest!

1. PREPARE

Update your CV and LinkedIn to include all of your education (so far) and skills. Get your CV and your LinkedIn photo checked to make sure you are giving the best version of yourself! Practice aloud by work on your "30 Second Elevator Pitch". At Careers Fest, an employer's time to talk to you might be limited! Make sure you are able to summarise why they should be interested in you quickly and effectively! You can book a meeting with a Careers Advisor to assist you with all of these! Just head to careers.cit.ie, sign in to CAREERSconnect and book a session there!

2. RESEARCH

The Careers Fest is growing in size and in the new Arena we have lots of space for more companies. If you don't have a game plan, it is going to be so easy to get your head in a spin! Learn more about the companies (we'll be releasing the list of companies a little closer to the time!), visit their websites and search for them on LinkedIn or Glassdoor to give you an idea of what the companies are like and whether you think you would be a good fit. Have a look on CAREERSconnect (careers.cit.ie) to see if any of the companies you are interested in talking to have a job opportunity posted there that you could talk to them about. Once you've done that you can make a list of the companies you plan to meet so that when you arrive over on the day you won't get flustered.



3. ON THE DAY

Make a strong first impression by demonstrating your research of the company and using your elevator pitch. Dressing smartly and being friendly will give a potential employer a sense that you would be a good fit for their company. Ask relevant questions based on your research to show your enthusiasm to work with that company and about opportunities that companies have to offer and think about how you could fit in to that role.

Speak clearly and listen well, good communication skills are always appreciated regardless of the job you are interested in.

Don't assume a company isn't interested in your degree, a lot of degrees have transferable skills and most companies will provide training. Even if it isn't entirely a match with your degree it is worth approaching the company if you are interested in working there.

Plan your time to arrive at the Fest. If you are a student who has sensory needs, there will be a quiet time at the Fest to allow you to engage with employers in an environment that suits you.

TOP TIPS

- You know yourself best, so let them know all about your skills and interests.
- Make a note of who you meet.
- Ask for their email.
- Thank the employer for their time.



**MTU CAREERS FEST
5TH OCTOBER
MTU ARENA**



Career Development Programme for Mature Students in year 1, 2 & 3

Registration is now open for the Building Forward Career Development Programme which is suitable for full-time undergraduate Mature Students in year 1, 2 and 3.

This programme has been designed by the MTU Cork Campus Career Service and is promoted and delivered in collaboration with the Mature Student Officer, MTU Cork Campus Access Service. It is designed with the specific career development needs of mature students in mind.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:
FRI 13TH OCT 4PM

The programme will consist of 4 sessions in Semester 1 (attendance at all is recommended but not mandatory)

- **16th October:** Overview and Orientation
– A brief introduction to the Careers Service (30 mins)
- **23rd October:** Stand-Out CV for Mature students – Crafting your unique CV (1.5 hours)
- **6th November:** Top Tips for Interviews and how to tackle that 'Tell me About Yourself' question (1.5 hours)
- **13th November:** Understanding the Career Planning Process (1.5 hours)

WHY SIGN UP:

1. Meet other mature students from other disciplines and campuses
2. Gain confidence and connection through participating in supportive thought-provoking sessions.
3. Explore how your life skills and career experience to date informs and benefits your career progression plan and become confident in your own career story for future interviews and networking.
4. Connect with the Careers Service and the Mature Student Officer, gain insights into activities and opportunities you may wish to avail of throughout your time in MTU.
5. Gain the benefits of starting early – career planning takes time; through this programme you can put steps in place to develop your career-readiness skills alongside your academic learning during your time in MTU.
6. Become clearer on your own career related strengths, interests and motivations and begin developing your own personal career plan.

Please completed the registration form on <https://forms.office.com/e/B6jv7ETBau> or scan the QR code below:



For queries in relation to this Careers Development Programme for Mature Students, please email ***buildingforward@mtu.ie***



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*Caitríona Horgan, Careers Advisor, Careers Service
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- Acquire an understanding of technical careers in Dell Technologies
- Opportunity to meet and network with successful women in Dell Technologies and fellow mentees
- Preparation for intern and graduate applications (e.g., CV and Interview Preparation)
- Possibility for paid Summer Internship upon completion of the program and continue your career journey for your 3rd year placement and further



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