



An Coláiste Ollscoile, Baile Átha Cliath
University College Dublin



Searmanas Bronnta
Conferring Ceremony

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University College Dublin (UCD) is one of Europe's leading research-intensive universities where undergraduate education, graduate masters and PhD training, research, innovation and community engagement form a dynamic continuum of activity.

The University was established in 1854 by St John Henry Newman, whose classic work 'The Idea of a University' is one of the most enduring texts on the value of higher education. His vision, 'True enlargement of mind', embodies the aspiration to provide a holistic experience and inspiring environment beyond the classroom. It is a rallying call for the University and its community to unleash the unique potential of the individual to meet global challenges and "to benefit the wider world".

Today UCD is Ireland's largest university with over 39,000 students. Irish school-leavers benefit from the highly innovative and flexible UCD Horizons undergraduate curriculum. As Ireland's leader in graduate education UCD has almost 12,000 graduate students.

In Ireland, UCD is home to over 11,000 international students and delivers programmes to over 5,000 students on overseas campuses. In addition, the University places great emphasis on the internationalisation of the Irish student experience – preparing all UCD students for future employment and life that crosses borders, boundaries, and cultures.

Originally known as the Catholic University of Ireland, the University became UCD in 1908 and is a constituent college of the National University of Ireland (NUI). In 1997, UCD became an autonomous university within the loose federal structure of the NUI, and UCD students are awarded degrees from the National University of Ireland.

UCD has been a major contributor to the making of modern Ireland. Many UCD students and staff participated in the struggle for Irish independence and the University has produced four Irish Presidents and five Taoisigh. Among UCD's well-known alumni are authors (Maeve Binchy, Roddy Doyle, Emma Donoghue, Flann O'Brien), former European Commissioner (Peter Sutherland SC), directors (Neil Jordan, Jim Sheridan) and sports stars (Brian O'Driscoll, Kevin Moran, Rena Buckley and Paul O'Donovan). Perhaps the best known of all is the writer James Joyce, who completed his Bachelor of Arts at the University in 1902.

UCD Alumni Relations

As you start your journey as a UCD alumnus/alumna, we encourage you to stay connected. Our Alumni Relations team runs a full programme of events and reunions, in Ireland and overseas, offering networking and other opportunities for you to keep in touch – with each other and with the University. Additional services include a Reader's Card for UCD's libraries, some sports and adult education discounts, affinity products and a range of other services.

UCD alumni continue to make their mark in every aspect of life and today's graduates will be no different. Stay in touch and let us know how you are getting on.

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Order of Proceedings

Procession of graduands
Procession of academic staff followed by Deans, Vice-Presidents and President
The President declares open a Meeting of the University for the purpose of conferring degrees
The Dean requests the graduands for each degree to stand
The Principal presents the graduands to the President in Latin
The President admits the graduands to the degree in Latin
The Dean calls the names of the graduates who proceed to the platform
The President presents the degree scroll to each graduate
Formal graduation address
Academic procession followed by procession of graduates

Formula of Presentation of Graduands

Latin

Praehonorabilis Praeses, totaque
Universitas.

Praesento vobis hasce meas filias
filiosque meos, quos omnes scio
tam moribus quam doctrina habiles
et idoneos esse qui admittantur ad
Gradum _____; idque tibi fide
mea testor ac spondeo, totique
Academiae.

English Translation

Right honourable President and
Members of the University.

I present to you these students whom
I know to be as upright in character
as they are skilled in their field of
study and qualified for admission to
the Degree of _____; and in good
faith I vouch for this and hold myself
responsible to you and to the whole
academic assembly.

Formula of admission by the President

Latin

Auctoritate mihi concessa, admitto
vos ad Gradum _____.

English Translation

By the authority vested in me, I admit
you to the Degree of _____.

Honours Degree of Bachelor of Business Studies

Mathva, Preeya
van Schalkwyk, Ayrina

Degree of Master of Business Administration

Arpita Makker
Agarwal, Ragini Mahendra
Boland, Jake Colm
Chen, Lianbin
Cui, Che
Dan Alexandru, Bujoreanu
Garg, Arpit
Glennon, Andréa Sarah
Höfener, Florian
Jayakumar, Harishankar
Joseph, Joyce
Karunamoorthy, Sahana
Keegan, John
Mahon, Jennifer
Mattu, Kaushik
Mitchell, James
Nagpal, Kartik
Naraharisetti, Venkata Tejaswi
Ndaskoi, Doris
Prasad, Ashna
Puli, Meghna
Sen, Ritankar
Sen, Shantanu
Singh, Abhishek
Thapliyal, Himank
Thepenier, Laura
Tiwari, Shailendar Kumar
Vukcevic, Filip
Wadhwani, Simran Deepak
Zhang, Yingyu

(Executive)

Shailza
Beesley, Emer
Callinan, Emma
Coate, Linda Emma
Coetzee, Heather
Collins, Marykate
Connellan, Claire
Connolly, Aveen
Cooney, Shane
Creaven, Orla

Cullen, Shane
Curran, Helen
Donohue, Elaine Marie
Holohan, Emma
Keating, Amy
Kelly, Shauna
Lambe, Micheál
Lowe, Ronan
MacEntee, Patrick
McDonagh, Sinead
McHugh, Conor Matthew
McManus, Sharon
McNamara, Rosa Florence
Murray, Eoin
Paprzycki, Artur
Ramakrishnan, Jaikulin
Randall, Danielle
Reinecke, Tamryn
Richardson, Ian
Sara, Charbel
Spence, Aimee
Sweeney, Mark
Weir, James Paul
Wernio-Ryan, Ewa
Yeung, Sarah-Jane

Degree of Master of Science-

(Food Business Strategy)

Agarwal, Shikhar
Ambadi, Ardra
Byrne, Robert
Cotter, Niamh
Dooley, Sophie
Dowd, Clodagh
Doyle, Julie Patricia
Furlong, Hannah Therese
Gala, Parshwa Mukesh
Gao, Shang
Guo, Yingjie
Hanley, Gary
Joshi, Sonika
Keenan, Aoife
Li, Hao
Li, Jingyuan
liu, licheng
Mehta, Bhavika
Moloney, Lelia
Murphy, Alexandra

Nic Eacháin, Caoimhe
O'Connor, Aoife
O'Meara, Mark
O'Neill, Hannah
Paleologou, Alexa
Sagot, Chloe
Saji, Akshaya
Senthil, Theep Nitin
SenthilKumar Geetha, Pragadishwaran
Singh, Christina Sandra
Stone, Malachy
Sutton, David
Trindle, Anna
Vinesh, Priya Maria

(Human Resources)

Neetika Shinoj
Darsanan Saravanan
Nora Lizbeth
Abbo, Kelveen
Adekunle, Ifeoluwa Naomi
Akintelu, Martha
Andriano, Vanessa
Au, Man Yee Chloe
Bai, Hao
Bezel, Lucie
Bhardwaj, Akanksha
Brady, Ronan Anthony
Brehony, Stephen
Colleran, Meadhbh
Craven, Aimee
Curran Connolly, Ethan
Debnath, Simran
Dedelyte, Samanta
Doyle, Ciara
Dsylva, Lorraine C.
Eady, Arianna
Fleming, Sophie
Hughes Alloza, Isabel
Huizenga, Kate
Jain, Ishika
Kane, Georgina
Kharat, Kshitija Sanjay
Kiernan, Ava
Li, Jingjing
Liang, Qihong
Malone, Kate
Middela, Prathibha
Mihoc, Andreea
Miller, Kacy
Nagarajan, Shumrithi
Nair, Sanoj Sukumaran
Nair, Suchitra Santosh
O Connor, Johanna Margaret

O' Flynn, Aoife
O Riordan, Catherine
O'Dea, Tara
Odijie, Estherjoy
O'Grady, Deirdre
Ozcelik, Tugba
Patole, Sahil Pramod
Rajeev, Ann Riya
Sanctis, Sharlene Elsa
Shetty, Thwisha Nitin
Shirode, Renuka Ashok
Stapleton, Carla
Sun, Xintong
Tsegah, Dela-Kekeli
Vu, Minh Huyen
Vu, Thuy Duong
Wang, Jinlian
Weng, Lingya
Wogan, Saidhbh
Yan, Tingyi
Zobenko, Victoria

(International Management)

Agarwal, Deeksha
Barbera, Matteo
Barco Molinuevo, Pablo Javier
Caggiano, Greta
Costantini, Gaia
Durandean, Alia
Farinelli, Matilde
Flachsmeyer, Philemon
Frenay, Flore
Giabardo, Samuele
Gillgren, Victor Magnus
Giuffrida, Martina
Gregor, Johannes
Hayes, Jessica
Holzinger, Justus
Hoyng, Tom
Kamer, Yanik
Kempf, Isabel Jacqueline
Köster, Julian
Koxha, Baki
Liotta, Armando
Maher, Mia
Mainardi, Silvia
Mastroianni, Matteo
Merle, Karl-Victor
O'Connell, Laoise
O'Leary, Richard
Petrov, Ivan-Svetoslav
Pfeifer, Jan
Polimeni, Maria Cristina
Sadovskyi, Bohdan

Schmid, Julia
Schubert, Emily
Schwartz, Sofia
Soenksen, Tom-Henrik
Solera, Nicolas
Syriou, Aristi
Teissandier, Elliot
Toma, Margherita
Toner, Shaun
Toomey, Elizabeth
Tosun, Acelya
von der Heyden, Elena

(Management)

Ahmad, Moinuddin
Aliyu, Juliet
Balbin, Edric
Barhate, Ajinkya
Bose, Akansha
Brady, Suzanne Catherine
Callinan, Shona
Chakladar, Abhishikta
Chaudhary, Pranjul
Chavan, Rutuja Mahesh
Creamer, Michael
Day, Claire
Dhamanwala, Riddhi Kamal
Dhamdhere, Utpala Surendra
Doyle, Sean
Dsouza, Aldrin
Dubey, Prafull
Dugdale, Colin
Elango, Kathiravan
Elliott, Orna
Finn, Kathy
Foley, Brandon
Gandhirajan, Subriya
Ganguly, Ankit
Gautam, Aastha
Gorham, Ella Sarah
Griffin, Émer
Griffin, William
Haugh, Tara
Hidalgo, Ronald
Huynh, Quang Tuyen
Jakubova, Ludmila
Jiang, Nanxi
Joshi, Rakshit
Kelly, Ciara
Kenneally, Alan John
Khurana, Govil
Kiely, Joe
Kipngeno, Ruth Jepkoech
Ko, Philip Sheng Zhe

Kotipalli, Vamsi Krishna
Krishnan, Neha
Kuzovlev, Mark
Li, Xuege
Lin, Xinying
Lofner, Laura
Macken, Laoise
Maheshwari, Aman
Manocha, Yashna
Mareeswaran, Suvathi Rajeswari
Mathur, Eshaan
Maurya, Shruti Samarjeet
McCarthy, Annmarie
McLoughlin, Niamh
Meagher, Gavin
Midha, Prakhar
Mishra, Aadya Shakti
Moore, Rory
Murugan Vairamuthu, Hariharagugan
Narayanan, Navaneeth
O'Doherty, Ella Marie
O'Donnell, Rhona Anne
O'Shea Kirwan, Elmarie
Otsuka, Arisa
Oyeleye, babatunde
Pachpande, Atharva Prasanna
Pandey, Nikkhil
Pandhare, Aditya Ameet
Pawar, Hetvi
Penso, Alvise
Ponkshe, Divyesh Shishir
Ramesh, Ramitha
Ryan, Orla
Ryan Toulliou, Liam Kiaran Bernard
Saha, Aishika
Scaife, David
Shanley-Brookes, Mia
Shehzad, Sahal
Tanner, Keith
Theron, Anine
Traas, Daniel Hanraoi
Udanapalli Sivapriya Radhakrishnan, Nithish
Ukwuani, Emma Chisom
Verma, Aditi
Verma, Kushal
Vinodh Krishnan, Lakshmi
Wall, Daniel David
Yadav, Harshit
Zade, Sanskruti Sagar

Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

Chen, Yuting
Narrative Economics, Investor Behaviour, and
Asset Pricing

Ceol leis an Ceathairéad Teaghrán Astral
MUSIC BY THE ASTRAL STRING QUARTET

Handel
Charpentier
Handel

Water Music – Hornpipe
Te Deum (Prelude)
Firework Music 'La Rejouissance'

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Laoi na hÁilleachta

I gcoill Fómhair faoi chiúnas clabhstrach na gcrann
Tháinig duille feoite ag foluain anuas go mall
Trí cholúin na beithe, trí áirsí na dara,
Trí stuanna míne na beithe, trí stuanna cama cumhdachta na dara,
Ó uaine go haraile,
Duille fáin faoi chiúnas clabhstrach na gcrann
Is spreagadh an fear chun filíochta leis an áilleacht a chonaic sé ann.

In an Autumn wood under the cloistered quiet of the trees
A withered leaf floated slowly down
Through the columns of birch, through the arches of oak,
Through the smooth arcs of birch, through the bent covering arcs of oak,
From one green to another,
A stray leaf under the cloistered quiet of the trees
And the man was moved to poetry by the beauty he saw there.

By Eoghan Ó Tuairisc.

These are the opening lines from *Laoi na hÁilleachta*, a poem on the beauty of the world, published in Ó Tuairisc's first collection of poetry, *Lux Aeterna* (1964). Poet, Novelist and Dramatist, Eoghan Ó Tuairisc wrote in both Irish and English. He received a BA and MA from UCD in the 1940s.

