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UNIVERSITY
OF GALWAY



Undergraduate **Open Days**

2 & 3 October 2026 9am – 3pm

Campus Map



Campus
Interactive Map
available
here



Exhibitions



Arts
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Access Centre



Engineering



Medicine
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Talks



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Access Talks



Check-in tents



Accessible Route



Shuttle Bus



Shuttle Train



Accommodation

Corrib Village
Goldcrest Village
Dunlin Village

Open Day Parking:

Google Maps Location: 7WRH+5P

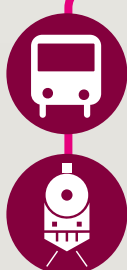
Green Zone
Áras Moyola

**Sports
Centre**

Parking

Parking information is available
on the Open Day website.

www.universityofgalway.ie/opendays





Shuttle Buses & Train

Shuttle buses depart every 15 mins from outside the Orbsen Building to Nursing & Midwifery, Allied Health (Áras Moyola), Moot Courtroom and Engineering talks (Alice Perry Building), and also serve Dangan Park & Ride and Campus Residences (look for the bus symbol on the map). The train runs continuously from outside the Red Zone to the same Green Zone locations (look for the train symbol on the map).



Restaurants

Scan the QR Code opposite for dining options.

Location: Quadrangle

Time: Every hour at 10am, 11am, 12pm, 1pm & 2pm

Tours last approx. 1 hour and are hosted by our Student Ambassadors.

Campus Tours

Location: Áras na Gaeilge

Time: 12.30pm

A Guided Tour as Gaeilge will leave from An Téatar, Áras na Gaeilge. Including a visit to An Teanglann - state-of-the-art interpreting suites

Campus Tours as Gaeilge

Location: Foyer of the Blue Zone

Time: 11.30am

Explore the space designed for teaching, rehearsing, and bringing theatre, drama, and performance to life.

Tour of O'Donoghue Centre for Drama, Theatre and Performance

Campus Experiences

Calm Zone

Location: Blue Zone, G010

Time: 9.00am to 3.00pm

If you are looking for a space to chill out, escape from sensory stress and overload, and 'just be' then The Calm Zone is for you.

Take a seat on bean bags in a softly lit sanctuary, do some arts and crafts, play cards and board games or chat.

Moot Courtroom Tour

Location: Cairnes Building

Booking: Registration is required at Stand 47 in the Orange Zone. Maximum 32 people per tour.

Time: 9.50am, 11.30am, 12.10pm, 1.45pm and 2.30pm

Tours of our Physics Labs

Location: Purple Zone, Kirwan Theatre

Time: 12.00pm OR 2.00pm (Duration: 20 minutes)

Booking: Book your place at Stand 2 in the Purple Zone

Places: 20 places per tour. Due to limited places, students will be prioritised. If some places are available, parents are welcome to join.

Location: Foyer of the Green Zone

Time: 9.15am, 10.15am, 11.15am, 1.00pm OR 2.30pm

Engineering Building Tours

Location: Meeting point is the Yellow Icon outside the Purple Zone. (If raining, meet inside the door.)

Time: 11.00am, 12.00pm and 2.00pm

Booking: Book your place at Stand 13 in the Purple Zone.

Join a guided tour of the fascinating animal specimens housed in the Zoology Museum. Along the way, discover the story behind the museum's historic collection, established in the University's earliest years.

Zoology Museum Tours

Location: Outside Lecture Theatre, Level 1, Áras Moyola, Green Zone

Time: 12.45pm OR 1.30pm

Tour of the Nursing and Midwifery Facilities



Tour of our Chemistry Lab

Location: Hydration Station in the Purple Zone beside Smokey's Cafe

Time: FRI Tour 11am ONLY
SAT Tour 11am & 1pm

Booking: Book your place at Stand 18 in the Purple Zone

Places: 30 places per tour. Due to limited places, students will be prioritised. If some places are available, parents are welcome to join.



Visit Student Residences

Location: Dunlin Village reception & Goldcrest Village reception

Time: Every 30 minutes from 10:30am - 3:00pm

Visit the residences and social spaces, meet our residence team and chat with current students about what it's like to live on campus.

The residences are located on the University's North Campus, between the Alice Perry Building and the Dangan Park and Ride facility. Shuttle bus available.



Medicine SIM Zone

Location: HBB G001, Red Zone

Time: 10.00am to 3.00pm

Get hands-on practice of clinical skills. Take a medical history from a virtual patient. Examine the ear and eyes of digital trainers. Meet our medical students, who will demonstrate clinical skills and share their experiences of Med school! Try out a VR headset for a virtual tour of our state of the art simulation centre.

Student Supports



Student Life Talks | Orange Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10.00am OR 1.00pm	Accommodation	30mins	Anderson Theatre	Purple
10.00am OR 1.00pm	Student Life at the University of Galway	30mins	Áras Uí Chathail, Theatre G002	Orange
 MEETING POINT: Outside the Orange Zone 10 minutes prior to each talk. Our Student Ambassadors will walk you to the venue.				
11.30am	Sports at the University of Galway Meet our team to find out about sports scholarships and the sports experience at the University of Galway	30mins	The Cube	Orange
12.15pm	Global Study Opportunities for our Undergraduate Students	30mins	The Cube	Orange

Access Talks | Yellow Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10.00am	Alternative Entry Pathways: Find out about the Access Programmes and HEAR Scheme	30mins	G010 Hardiman	Yellow
10.40am	Mature Student and QQI / FETAC / PLC as entry routes to University of Galway	30mins	G010 Hardiman	Yellow
11.10am	DARE Scheme and Disability Supports	30mins	G011 Hardiman	Yellow

**FRI 2
ONLY**

Session for Guidance Counsellors

Location: The View
Orange Zone (Upstairs)

Date: Friday, 2 October

Time: 11.30am

Meet and Greet from 11.00am.



Student Supports



Exhibition Stands | Orange Zone

1	Global Galway	7	Admissions
2	Careers and Work Placements	8	Scholarships
3	Adult Learning & Professional Development	9	Sport
4/5	Access Programmes	10	IdeasLab
	Disability Support Service	11	On-Campus Accommodation
	Entry Pathways: DARE & HEAR	12	Accommodation Advisory Service
	Mature Students and FETAC & PLC	13	An Scéim Cónaitheachta Gaeilge
6	Fees		



Studying Irish and Maths at University of Galway shaped my career. Now, I'm proud to work with Fibín Media!

Tá na léachtóirí ar fad an-phaiseanta, agus sásta cuidiú leis na mic léinn am ar bith agus bealach ar bith gur féidir leo.

Katelyn Hayes
Bachelor of Arts
(Joint-Honours)





Arts Exhibition Stands | Orange Zone

14	Acadamh	29	Social Sciences and Sustainability
15	Gaeilge	30	Child, Youth and Family: Policy and Practice
16	Philosophy	31	Government: (Politics, Economics and Law)
17	Archaeology	32	Sociology and Political Studies
18	Ancient Classics	33	Children's Studies
19	Film and Digital Media	34	Geography, Climate and Sustainability
20	Performance and Screen Studies	35	History
21	Drama	36	Modern Irish Culture Studies (Lit and Music)
22	Music	37	Celtic Civilisation
23	Journalism and Global Media	38	Italian
24	English and Creative Writing	39	Spanish
25	Information Technology	40	German
26	Mathematics	41	French
27	Maths & Education (BME)	42	Global Languages
28	Psychology	43	Welcome to Arts; BA (Joint-Honours) and BA (Global Experience)

Arts



Bachelor of Arts Subject Talks | Pink Zone | Purple Zone

	 PINK ZONE ROOM 1 Máirtín Ó Tnúthail Theatre	PINK ZONE ROOM 2 Fottrell Theatre	PINK ZONE ROOM 3 Ó hEocha Theatre	PURPLE ZONE AC204	PURPLE ZONE Dillon Theatre
Time Duration 30mins	Talk	Talk	Talk	Talk	Talk
10.00am			An overview of the BA (Joint-Honours) and BA(Global Experience) Room 3		
10.45am	Ancient Classics Room 1		Psychology and BSc Psychology (subject and degree) Room 3		Information Technology
11.30am	Archaeology Room 1	Modern Languages: French, German, Italian, Spanish Room 2	English Room 3	Mathematics AC204	Geography, Climate & Sustainability
12.15pm	Celtic Civilisation Room 1	History Room 2	Sociological & Political Studies Room 3	Economics AC204	
1.00pm	Modern Irish Culture Studies (Lit and Music) Room 1	Philosophy Room 2	Global Media (BA and subject) Room 3	Gaeilge AC204	
1.45pm	Performance and Screen Studies Room 1	An overview of the BA (Joint-Honours) and BA(Global Experience) Room 2	Psychology and BSc Psychology (subject and degree) Room 3		

Arts



Bachelor of Arts Degree Talks | Pink | Purple | Blue Zones

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10.45am	BSc (Geography and Geosystems)	30mins	AC202	Purple
10.45am	BA (English and Creative Writing)	30mins	AC201	Purple
10.45am	BA (Children's Studies) and BA (Arts with Children's Studies) GY110	30mins	Room 2: Fottrell Theatre	Pink
10.45am	BA (Global Languages)	30mins	AC204	Purple
10.45am OR 1.45pm	BSc (Psychology)	30mins	Room 3: Ó hEocha Theatre	Pink
11.30am	BA (Arts with Human Rights)	30mins	AC201	Purple
11.00am	BA (Gaeilge agus Léann an Aistriúcháin)	30mins	Seomra 104, Áras na Gaeilge	See Map
11.30am	BA (Cumarsáid agus Gaeilge)	30mins	Seomra 104, Áras na Gaeilge	See Map
11.30am	Guided tour of the O'Donoghue Centre for Drama, Theatre and Performance including technical facilities.	30mins	Foyer of the Blue Zone	Blue
12.15pm	BA (Drama, Theatre and Performance Studies)	30mins	Theatre	Blue
12.15pm	BA (Music)	30mins	Siobhán McKenna Theatre	Pink
12.15pm	BA (Journalism)	30mins	AC202	Purple
1.00pm	BSc (Social Sciences and Sustainability)	30mins	AC202	Purple
1.00pm	Global Media (BA and subject)	30mins	Room 3: Ó hEocha Theatre	Pink

Arts



Bachelor of Arts Degree Talks (Continued)

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
1.00pm	BA (Child Youth and Family; Policy and Practice)	30mins	AC201	Purple
1.00pm	BA (History)	30mins	Dillon Theatre	Purple
1.00pm	★ MASTERCLASS "Drama Workshop" - a practical drama workshop that provides a taster of what you can expect! Spaces are limited to 20 people; sign up at the Drama stand in the Orange Zone	30mins	Studio 1	Blue
1.00pm	Pathways to Secondary Teaching. Find out more about what you can study as part of the University of Galway's bespoke Education degree: BA (Maths and Education)	30mins	McMunn Theatre	Purple
1.45pm	BA Government (Politics, Economics and Law)	30mins	AC201	Purple
1.45pm	BA (Film and Digital Media)	30mins	AC202	Purple

Medicine and Health



Exhibition Stands | Red Zone

1	Pharmacy	4	Occupational Therapy
2	Nursing & Midwifery	5	Podiatric Medicine
3	Speech and Language Therapy	6	Medicine

Schedule of Talks | Red Zone | Green Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10am - 3pm	Medicine SIM Zone: Get hands-on practice of clinical skills. Take a medical history from a virtual patient. Examine the ear and eyes of digital trainers. Meet our medical students, who will demonstrate clinical skills and share their experiences of Med school! Try out a VR headset for a virtual tour of our state of the art simulation centre.		HBB G001	Red
10.45am	Pharmacy	30mins	HBB G019	Red
11.30am OR 12.30pm	Medicine	30mins	HBB G019	Red
12.15pm OR 1.00pm	Nursing & Midwifery	30mins	Lecture Theatre MY243, Áras Moyola	Green
12.45pm OR 1.30pm	Tour of the Nursing and Midwifery facilities	30mins	Leaving from outside Lecture Theatre, Level 1 Áras Moyola	Green
10.45am OR 1.45pm	Allied Health - Occupational Therapy, Podiatric Medicine, Speech & Language Therapy	30mins	Lecture Theatre MY243, Áras Moyola	Green

Business and Law



Exhibition Stands | Orange Zone

44	Shannon College of Hotel Management	47	Law
45	Business	48	Human Rights
46	Economics		

Business Talks | Purple Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10.00am, 11.30am OR 1.00pm	Introduction to Commerce & Business Programmes Learn about business and life skills, international study options, work placements and career opportunities	30mins	Kirwan Theatre	Purple
12.15pm	Studying Accounting: Insights for Future Students and Parents	30mins	Kirwan Theatre	Purple
1.00pm	Studying Business Information Systems (BIS)	30mins	Larmor Theatre	Purple



Aislinn
Connaughton
Bachelor of
Commerce (Global
Experience)

My BComm (Global Experience) gave me real-world business experience in Ireland and abroad. Now, I'm a Brand Manager at Revive Active, applying everything I learned.

Business and Law



Tom O'Connor
Bachelor of Law (BCL)
and Human Rights



My BCL and Human Rights degree helped me combine my passion for law, media and storytelling. Now, I'm a National Student Media Award winner.

Law Talks | Purple Zone | Orange Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10.45am OR 12.15pm	Introduction to studying Law at University of Galway Learn about the opportunities that a law degree offers students, including the skills developed and specialisms available.	30mins	O'Flaherty Theatre	Purple
9.50am, 11.30am, 12.10pm, 1.45pm and 2.30pm	Moot Courtroom Tour Visit our-state-of-the art Moot Courtroom which was designed to replicate the experience of a real court hearing and enjoy watching a mock trial delivered by our current students. Registration is required at Stand 47 in the Orange Zone. Maximum 32 people per tour.	30mins	Cairnes Building	See Map

Shannon College of Hotel Management Talks Blue Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
10.45am OR 12.15pm	Business Studies in International Hotel Management: Discover our three Level 8 degrees, combining business, practical learning and paid industry experience. Explore International Hotel Management and our new Global Luxury & Experience Management degree and find out how Shannon can prepare you for an exciting global career across the business hospitality, luxury and experience industries.	30mins	Studio 2 O'Donoghue Centre	Blue

Engineering



Exhibition Stands | Green Zone

1	Mechanical Engineering	4	Civil Engineering Project and Construction Management
2	Electrical & Electronic Engineering, Electronic & Computer Engineering	5	Energy Systems Engineering
3	Biomedical Engineering		

Schedule of Talks | Green Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
9.00am to 3.00pm	Interactive Engineering Zone		Alice Perry Building	Green
9.15am, 10.15am, 11.15am, 1.00pm OR 2.30pm	Tour of the Engineering Building	30mins	Alice Perry Building	Green
10.45am OR 1.45pm	Studying Engineering	30mins	ENG-G018, Alice Perry Engineering Building	Green
12.15pm	Engineering for Everyone Curious about what your life will look like as an Engineering student at the University of Galway? Find out from our current students in this panel discussion, representing all programme areas. They will cover student life and the exciting opportunities they have experienced, followed by an audience Q&A on what to expect when you choose engineering.	60min	ENG-G018, Alice Perry Engineering Building	Green

Molly Hennessy,
Bachelor and Masters of
Engineering (Mechanical)



Engineering at University of Galway combines problem-solving, design, and teamwork with amazing opportunities like the Geec project. It's been inspiring to work on real projects and know that what we're building has real-world impact.

Computer Science



Schedule of Talks | Purple Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
9.00am to 3.00pm	Interactive Computer Science Zone		Purple Zone	Purple
11.30am	Introduction to Computer Science & Information Technology	30mins	McMunn Theatre	Purple

Natalia Stolarska
Bachelor of
Science (GY301)



The Earth and Ocean Science pathway gave me the skills for my career in environmental science. Now, I'm an Environmental Scientist at MKO.



Science



Exhibition Stands | Purple Zone

1	Mathematical and Statistical Sciences	11	Occupational Health & Safety Management
2	Physics	12	Environmental Science
3	Green Biosciences	13	Zoology
4	Agricultural Science	14	Genetics and Genomics
5	Microbiology	15	Biotechnology
6	Anatomy/Physiology/Pharmacology	16	Biochemistry
7	Biomedical Science	17	Computer Science
8	Marine Science	18	Chemistry/ Medicinal Chemistry
9	Botany and Plant Science	19	Biopharmaceutical Chemistry
10	Earth and Ocean Science	20	Bachelor of Science (GY301)



Science



Schedule of Talks | Purple Zone

Time	Schedule	Duration	Location	Zone
9.00am to 3.00pm	Interactive Science Zone		Purple Zone	Purple
10.00am OR 1.00pm	Studying Science at University of Galway	30mins	O'Flaherty Theatre	Purple
10.45am	Mathematics (Mathematical Science, Financial Mathematics & Economics, Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Computer Science)	30mins	Larmor Theatre	Purple
10.45am	Zoology	30mins	D'Arcy Theatre	Purple
10.45am	Occupational Health & Safety Management	30mins	AC203	Purple
10.45am	Microbiology	30mins	Anderson Theatre	Purple
11.30am	Earth & Ocean Sciences	30mins	D'Arcy Theatre	Purple
11.30am	Biotechnology	30mins	Anderson Theatre	Purple
11.30am	Physics	30mins	Larmor Theatre	Purple
11.30am	Green Biosciences	30mins	AC202	Purple
12.15pm	Marine Science	30mins	D'Arcy Theatre	Purple
12.15pm	Genetics and Genomics	30mins	Dillon Theatre	Purple
12.15pm	Biochemistry	30mins	Larmor Theatre	Purple
12.15pm	Agricultural Science	30mins	McMunn Theatre	Purple
12.15pm	Biomedical Science	30mins	Anderson Theatre	Purple
1.45pm	Chemistry; Medicinal Chemistry and Biopharmaceutical Chemistry	30mins	Anderson Theatre	Purple
1.45pm	Environmental Science	30mins	D'Arcy Theatre	Purple

Plan Your Day

Question to ask

Talk/Tour/Activity

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