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J.E. Cairnes School of
Business and Economics

MSc Sustainability Leadership

New Programme

Commencing September 2023

2 Years Part-time

This programme equips students with the leadership skills to address the challenges, risks, and opportunities that environmental sustainability and social responsibility present for organisations.



Sustainability is a leadership imperative in today's world, as organisations face increasing pressure to respond to complex global problems such as climate change, labour exploitation, and persistent inequality.

The MSc (Sustainability Leadership) draws on expertise from many fields including business, science, social science and engineering, allowing participants to develop a multi-perspective approach to designing sustainable business models. The programme enables participants to formulate strategies for driving sustainable business transformation.

Successful graduates of the programme will be fully equipped to lead organisations through the transition towards a sustainable planet and society.

Why Choose this Course?

- Wide interdisciplinary curriculum, suitable for any working professional who is looking to understand the impact of sustainability on organisations.
- Weekly online evening classes, allowing for industry's skills needs to be met in a flexible manner.
- Immersive in-person blocks, providing for peer-to-peer exchanges, collaborative opportunities and network building.
- International study trip to experience global efforts at sustainability transition management.
- Strongly integrated with industry through a combination of guest speakers, company site visits, real-life case studies and applied sustainability projects.



Entry Requirements

Applicants should have a minimum of two years' post-graduation working experience, along with a primary degree in business, science, engineering or social science.



Learn More



Modules Available on the Programme Include:

- Consumption and Society
- Responsible Management and Leadership
- Introduction to Sustainability
- Sustainable Innovation
- Corporate Governance and Taxation
- Sustainable Information Systems
- The Economics of ESG
- IrelandNetZero Simulator
- Stakeholders, Partnership Development and Collective Action
- Financing Net Zero Summer School
- Systems Thinking and Practice for Sustainable Leadership
- Field Trip: Leading Sustainable Business Transformation

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