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Ardeaglais Phádraig, Baile Átha Cliath
St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin

Fáilte an Uachtaráin

Tá áthas orm fáilte a fhearadh romhaibh inniu, lá deasghnátha agus ceiliúrtha. Tá céimithe, aíonna agus baill fhoirne de chuid Dámh na hEolaíochta cruinnithe in Ard-Eaglais mhaorga stairiúil Phádraig ar ócáid bhliantiúil Shearmanas Bhronnta na nGradam.

Is lá iontach é seo daoibh siúd atá ar tí bhur gcéimnithe. Is buaic é ar na blianta staidéir fhónta san Institiúid agus is marc tábhachtach é i dtógáil bhur saolréanna amach anseo. Tréaslaím sibh as bhur saothar agus bhur ngaisce, agus molaim bhur gclanna agus bhur gcairde as a n-íobairt agus a dtacaíocht thar na blianta. Fosta tréaslaím gach ball foirne - idir léachtóirí, teicneoirí, riarthóirí agus lucht cabhairithe eile - as na torthaí ar a sár-obair agus a ndúthracht, ar léiriú sibhse orthu. Sibhse atá ag tosú ar bhur saolréanna, ba mhaith liom féin gach rath a ghuí oraibh amach anseo.

Is lá fíor-thábhachtach é seo freisin i saol na hInstitiúide i gcoitinne mar is marc foirmiúil é ar aistriú nua-eolais agus scileanna chuig glún nua daoine óga, d'fhonn dul chun cinn leanúnach a chinntiú i bhforbairt na tíre agus an gheilleagair. Tá sé de cheangal ar an Institiúid an t-am ar fad an caighdeán is airde a bhaint amach, trí chúrsaí acadúla ard-leibhéil a choimeád ar siúl agus áiseanna oideachais agus deiseanna forbartha a dhéanamh insroichte do dhaoine de gach aois as gach cearn den tír. Bíonn cúrsaí lánaimseartha agus páirtaimseartha ar fáil anseo ó mhaidín go hoíche. Taobh istigh den Institiúid bíonn tréaniarracht á déanamh an t-am ar fad na foirgnimh a fheabhsú, na trealamh shaotharlainne a athnuachan agus na háiseanna tacaíthe a fhorbairt. Earcaítear baill fhoirne den chaighdeán is airde ina réimsí cuí agus spreagtar iad a gcuid eolais a leathnú trí thaighde agus tú fhorbairt. Déanann an saothar seo caighdeán acadúla a ráthú, cinntíonn go bhfuil cláracha na hInstitiúide ábhartha maidir le cúrsaí tráchtála, tionsclaíochta agus ealaíona, agus cothaíonn seirbhís den chéad scoth do na mic/iníonacha léinn.

Is í an DIT an chéad Institiúid de leibhéal ollscoile in Éirinn a chuir próisis chuimsitheacha Chinntiú Caighdeán i gcrích maidir lena cuid chláracha uile. Tá an saothar ceannródaíoch seo mar bhunchloch i bhaint amach na gcaighdeán acadúla den chéad scoth i ngach Scoil agus Roinn.

Tá athruithe suntasacha tagtha ar an Institiúid ó thosaig sibh ar bhur gcuid staidéar, ach tá ceangal fós uirthi coincheap nua oideachais, de leibhéal ollscoile, a chur chun cinn in Éirinn. Coincheap is ea é seo atá bunaithe ar an dá phrionsabal - caighdeán acadúil den chéad scoth agus feidhmiúlacht ghairmiúil - ionas go gcuardaíonn an Institiúid a bheith i ngar do shaol an tionscail agus an ghnó.

Anois, agus an chéad chuid de bhur staidéir fhoirmiúla críochnaithe agaibh, tá dóchas orainn go bhfanfaidh sibh i deagmháil leis an Institiúid trí Chumann na gCéimithe, cumann atá ag fás an t-am ar fad.

Dr. Brendan Goldsmith (Uachtarán)

Welcome by the President

I am pleased to extend a warm welcome to you on this day of ceremony and celebration. Graduands, guests and staff of the Faculty of Science are gathered here in the historic and magnificent surroundings of St. Patrick's Cathedral, on the occasion of the annual Graduation Ceremony.

This is a wonderful day for those of you who are about to graduate. It marks the culmination of several years of productive study in this Institute and is a significant milestone in the formation of your careers. I congratulate you all on your work and achievements, and commend your families and friends on their years of sacrifice and support. The staff of the Institute - lecturers, technicians and those in administrative and support functions - I also congratulate on the results of their outstanding work and dedication, which you represent. As you embark on your careers, I would like to express my best wishes for your future success in life.

This is also an important day in the life of the Institute as it formally marks the passing on of modern knowledge and skills to a new generation of young adults, thereby ensuring continuing progress in the development of this country and its economy. DIT continues in its commitment to the pursuit of excellence through maintaining high academic standards and providing educational facilities and development opportunities which are accessible to all age groups in the community. Facilities are provided for both part-time and full-time study through both day and evening courses. There is continuing effort to improve buildings, update laboratory equipment and improve support facilities. Staff, recruited on the basis of the attainment of the highest standard of excellence in their respective fields, are encouraged to advance their knowledge through involvement in research and development. This work not only guarantees academic standards but also ensures relevance to the needs of the commercial, industrial and artistic worlds and sustains a very high level of service to students.

DIT is the first national university-level institution to adopt comprehensive Quality Assurance procedures in relation to all its programmes. This pioneering activity is central to the attainment of the best possible academic standards and performance in every School and Department.

The Institute has undoubtedly seen significant changes since many of you commenced your studies but it remains committed to pioneering a new concept of university-level education in Ireland, a concept based on the twin principles of academic excellence and professional practicality which leads it to espouse unashamedly a closeness to the world of industry and commerce.

We hope now that the first phase of your formal studies is complete, you will stay in touch with the Institute through our expanding Alumni Association.

Dr. Brendan Goldsmith (President)

Clár an tSearmanais

Ceol an Orgáin

David Leigh, Orgánaí, Ardeaglais Phádraig

Cuireann Riarthóir an Tionóil tús leis an tSearmanas.

Mórshiúl Acadúil

Ceol an Orgáin

Cuireann an t-Uachtarán fáilte roimh lucht an tionóil.

Déanann Riarthóir an Tionóil meitheal an ardáin a chur in aithne agus cuireann tús le bronnadh na ngradam.

Deimhníonn an Cláraitheoir Acadúil go bhfuil riachtanais go léir na hInstitiúide comhlíonta ag na céimithe i gcomhair na ngradam.

Déanann an t-Uachtarán bronnadh ginearálta na ngradam.

Déanann Stiúrthóir na Dáimhe na céimithe a chur in aithne go ginearálta.

Cuireann gach Ceann Scoile na céimithe ón Scoil sin a chur i láthair ina n-aonair.

Ceol an Orgáin

Bronnadh na nDuaiseanna

Cuireann Riarthóir an Tionóil an tUachtarán, an Dr. Brendan Goldsmith, in aithne don tionól i gcomhair óráid an bhronnta.

Óráid an Bhronnta

An tUachtarán, an Dr. Brendan Goldsmith

Cuireann Riarthóir an Tionóil tús leis an mórshiúl acadúil amach as an halla.

Mórshiúl Acadúil

Ceol an Orgáin

Ag deireadh an tsearmanais, iarrtar ar na baíonna go léir fanúint ina n-ionaid chun ligean do na céimithe nua-bhronnta dul amach as an Ardeaglais ina mórshiúl. Ina dhiaidh sin beidh fáiltiú i Halla Uí Ghlíosaín, Sráid Choimbhín.

Order of Ceremony

Organ Music***David Leigh, Organist, St. Patrick's Cathedral***

The Ceremony is begun by the Assembly Administrator

Academic Procession***Organ Music***

The President welcomes the audience to the assembly.

The Assembly Administrator introduces the platform party and commences the conferring.

The Academic Registrar confirms that the graduands have fulfilled all the requirements of the Institute for their awards.

The President carries out the general conferring of the awards.

The Faculty Director makes a general introduction of the graduates.

Each Head of School introduces the graduates from that School individually.

Organ Music

Distribution of Prizes

The Assembly Administrator introduces the President, Dr. Brendan Goldsmith, for the Conferring Address.

Conferring Address***The President, Dr. Brendan Goldsmith***

The Assembly Administrator initiates the academic procession out of the hall.

Academic Procession***Organ Music***

At the end of the ceremony all guests are requested to remain in place while the newly conferred graduates leave the Cathedral in procession.

Afterwards there is a reception in the Gleeson Hall, Kevin Street.

DIPLOMA IN APPLIED SCIENCES (Food Science & Food Technology)**Dioplóma le hEolaíocht Fheidhmeach (Bia-Eolaíocht agus Teicneolaíocht an Bhia)**

Graduates of this course also qualify for the award of BSc (Applied Sciences) from the University of Dublin with the same classification as that obtained in the Diploma in Applied Sciences.

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|---------|---------|-------------|--------|-----------------|-------------|
| Friel | Deirdre | Honours 2.2 | Reilly | Michelle | Honours 1 |
| Hughes | Karen | Honours 1 | Tuttle | Edmund Michael | Honours 2.2 |
| McGrath | Martha | Honours 1 | Whelan | Ruth Anne-Marie | Honours 2.2 |

DIPLOMA IN HUMAN NUTRITION & DIETETICS**Dioplóma le Cothú Daonna agus Bia-Eolaíocht**

Graduates of this course also qualify for the award of BSc (Human Nutrition and Dietetics) from the University of Dublin with the same classification as that obtained in the Diploma in Human Nutrition and Dietetics.

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|----------|---------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|
| Barrett | Maria Therese | Honours 2.1 | McDonagh | Cliona Sorcha | Honours 2.1 |
| Brennan | Ann-Marie | Honours 2.1 | McMullen | Deirdre P. | Honours 1 |
| Culliney | Linda | Honours 2.1 | Moloney | Fiona | Honours 1 |
| Duffy | Edel | Honours 1 | O'Connor | Kathleen Marie | Honours 2.1 |
| Ennis | Judy | Honours 1 | O'Meara | Elizabeth Carol | Honours 2.1 |
| Fanning | Eimear | Honours 1 | O'Sullivan | Sinead | Honours 2.1 |
| Hall | Catherine | Honours 2.1 | Smith | Aoife Mary | Honours 1 |
| Kelleher | Carina Mary | Honours 2.1 | Smyth | Niamh | Honours 2.1 |
| Long | Alice Mary | Honours 2.1 | Walsh | Louise | Honours 2.1 |
| Lynch | Irene Theresa | Honours 2.1 | Wilkinson | Sandra Elizabeth | Honours 2.1 |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (Biochemistry and Molecular Biology)**Baitsiléir le hEolaíocht (Bithchemic agus Bitheolaíocht Mhóilíneach)**

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|-----------|----------------|-------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Buckley | Patrick Gerard | Honours 2.1 | McAuley | Lorna Marie | Honours 2.1 |
| Clarke | Oonagh | Pass | Maguire | Lisa Theresa | Honours 2.2 |
| Duggan | Shane Patrick | Honours 2.1 | Meleady | Elaine Mary | Honours 2.1 |
| Heffernan | Aisling Eileen | Honours 2.2 | Moore | Niamh | Honours 2.2 |
| Kelleher | James Colman | Honours 2.2 | Walsh | Sarah | Honours 1 |
| Kennedy | Paul Peter | Honours 2.1 | | | |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (Biochemistry and Biotechnology)**Baitsiléir le hEolaíocht (Bithchemic agus Bith-teicneolaíocht)**

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|---------|----------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| Carroll | Lorraine Judea | Honours 2.2 | Connolly | Elizabeth | Honours 2.1 |
| Cooke | Michelle Mary | Honours 1 | McCaffrey | Geraldine Ann | Honours 2.1 |

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Molecular Pathology)
Máistir le hEolaíocht (Paiteolaíocht Mhúilineach)

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|----------|------------------|------|----------|------------------|------|
| Barden | Eithne Mary | Pass | Murphy | Eithne | Pass |
| Sinead | Daly | Pass | O'Brien | Norma Antoinette | Pass |
| Devane | Muriel | Pass | O'Toole | Anne | Pass |
| Kenny | Colm D.G. | Pass | Steiner | Dagmar Edith | Pass |
| Harmon | Grainne Margaret | Pass | Williams | Padraig Anthony | Pass |
| Mitchell | Michael John | Pass | | | |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (Chemical Sciences)
Baitsiléir le hEolaíocht (Eolaíocht Cheimiceach)

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|---------|----------------|-------------|---------|----------------|-------------|
| Barton | Paul | Honours 2.1 | Murphy | Catherine Mary | Honours 1 |
| Carroll | Zanda Maria | Honours 2.2 | Palmer | Garrett Joseph | Pass |
| Greed | Sharon Mary | Honours 2.1 | Phelan | Martina Anne | Honours 2.1 |
| Haran | Mary Elizabeth | Honours 1 | Scanlon | Mary Eileen | Honours 2.2 |
| Mee | Blanaid | Honours 2.2 | Smith | Brigid Teresa | Honours 2.1 |

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Planning and Development)
Máistir le hEolaíocht (Pleanáil agus Forbairt)

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|-----------|--------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| Barnes | Jeremy | Honours 2.1 | McBride | Joseph | Honours 2.2 |
| Brunton | Alan | Honours 2.1 | McCabe | William Aiden | Honours 2.1 |
| Byrne | Joseph Christopher | Honours 2.2 | Myler | Áine | Honours 2.1 |
| Cleary | Michael | Honours 2.1 | ó hUallacháin | Dónal | Honours 2.2 |
| Connolly | Martin | Honours 2.1 | Reddy | Leo | Honours 2.1 |
| Conroy | Patrick | Honours 2.1 | Rocca | Lisa | Honours 2.1 |
| Gallagher | Gavin James | Honours 2.2 | Traynor | Kevin Michael | Pass |
| Hanratty | Martin | Honours 1 | | | |

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Sustainable Development)
Máistir le hEolaíocht (Forbairt Inchothaithe)

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| Boland | Avril | Honours 2.1 | Manning | David | Honours 2.1 |
| Donnelly | Eamonn | Honours 2.1 | O'Callaghan | Una | Pass |
| Fernandez | Manuel | Honours 2.2 | Oda | Toshiyuki | Honours 2.2 |
| Kavanagh | Bridget | Pass | Ryan | Caitriona | Honours 2.1 |
| Lopez-Lopez | Victor Manuel | Honours 2.1 | Woodlock | Jane | Honours 2.1 |

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Regional and Local Development)
Máistir le hEolaíocht (Forbairt Réigiúnda agus áitiúil)

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| Cournarie | Morgane | Honours 2.1 | Keenan | Brian | Honours 2.1 |
| Day | Thomas | Honours 2.2 | Madden | Mary | Honours 2.2 |
| Domergue | Geraldine | Honours 2.2 | Ryan | Mairead | Honours 2.2 |
| Jordan | Anthony | Pass | Woods | Maria | Pass |

The Irish Nutrition & Dietetics Institute Prize (Joint Award)

(1975) Awarded to the student in the Diploma in Human Nutrition & Dietetics/BSc in Human Nutrition & Dietetics course who maintained the most consistently high standard over the four years of the course.

Eimear Mary Fanning & Fiona Moloney

Flora Nutrition Award (Joint Award)

(1982) Postgraduate scholarship sponsored by W. & C. McDonnell Ltd. and awarded to the best final year student in the Diploma in Human Nutrition & Dietetics/BSc in Human Nutrition & Dietetics course.

Eimear Mary Fanning & Fiona Moloney

Milupa Award

(1989) Sponsored by Milupa and awarded to the student who made the best oral presentation for the final year project in the Diploma in Human Nutrition & Dietetics/BSc in Human Nutrition & Dietetics course.

Eimear Mary Fanning & Irene Lynch

SHS Clinical Dietetics/Nutrition Award

(1991) Sponsored by Scientific Hospital Supplies (SHS) Ireland Ltd. and awarded to the student with the most outstanding performance in Clinical Dietetics/Nutrition in the final examinations of the Diploma in Human Nutrition & Dietetics/BSc in Human Nutrition & Dietetics course.

Edel Duffy

Coca-Cola Atlantic Award

(1993) Awarded by Coca-Cola Atlantic to the student with the best performance in the final year of the Diploma in Applied Sciences/BSc Applied Science (Food Science & Food Technology) course.

Martha McGrath

RSC Project Prize

Awarded by The Royal Society of Chemistry (Republic of Ireland Section) to the student with the best project to promote excellence in practical chemistry in the Diploma in Chemical Sciences.

Catherine Murphy

Cow & Gate/Nutricia (Ireland) Travel Scholarship

(1994) Provides for a visit to the Research and Development plant of Cow & Gate/Nutricia in Holland for the best student in Year 3 of the Diploma in Human Nutrition & Dietetics/BSc in Human Nutrition & Dietetics course.

Orla Wharton

Sean Hanratty Medal

(1996) Sponsored by the Institute of Biomedical Science (Irish Branch) and awarded to the student with the highest marks in the final year project of the Diploma in Biomedical Science/BSc Applied Sciences course.

Margaret Rush

Glenn D'Arcy Medal

(1993) Founded by the Glenn D'Arcy Memorial Trust and awarded to the student with the best final year project in the Graduateship Diploma of the Institute of Biology/BSc in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology)

Sarah Walsh

Derek Cullen Memorial Medal (Joint Award)

(2000) Sponsored by the Department of Cellular Pathology, St. James's Hospital, in memory of Derek Cullen (1948-1998), Chief Technologist, Department of Cellular Pathology, St. James's Hospital and awarded to the student who attains the highest marks in the examination of the joint Dublin Institute of Technology/University of Dublin, Master of Science course in Molecular Pathology.

Eithne Barden & Sinead Daly