

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP

## FACTFILE

### Delivery

Blended (Online with some face-to-face classes). See page 4 for more information.

### Application

Apply online at [www.ncirl.ie](http://www.ncirl.ie)

### Part-time Schedule

#### Indicative Schedule

Monday and Wednesday 18.00 - 21.00 plus some Saturday workshops

#### Duration

2 full calendar years: 5 semesters; 4 taught semesters and a final dissertation to be submitted in the final year

#### Start Date

Sept 2021

#### Fees

€3,950 per annum (€7,900 total fee)  
(Fees revised annually)

### Full-time Schedule

Students need to be available 09.00-17.00 Mon – Fri. Full-time students may also be required to attend classes after 5pm.  
(Class days and times vary)

#### Duration

##### September Starts

1 year taught plus a final dissertation: 2 semesters (Sep-Dec and Jan-May) Dissertation due in August

##### January Starts

(where available and subject to numbers) 1 year taught plus a final dissertation: 2 semesters (Jan-May and Sep-Dec) Dissertation due in May the following year

#### EU Fee

€7,900 total fee  
(EU/Ireland applicants)  
(Fees revised annually)

### Course Description

The MSc in Entrepreneurship will provide you with a critical insight into entrepreneurship through a deep exploration of the stages of creativity, innovation and enterprise. Moreover the course will provide a critical insight into the culture of the entrepreneurial firm and the culture of the individuals who build and create such enterprises.

The course will allow you to develop an advanced understanding of the management function across a broad range of business disciplines including enterprise, innovation management, technology, strategy, finance and law, providing you with the ability to analyse and critically evaluate management theory and practice.

### Who is the course for?

This course is aimed at individuals seeking to develop an entrepreneurial mindset with a view to starting their own business or nurturing this approach within an existing organisational structure. Additionally, the course can provide a transition stage for graduates from other disciplines who wish to move into the management arena either as practitioners, researchers or consultants.

### Award and Progression

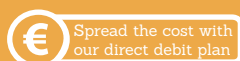
The MSc in Entrepreneurship course is awarded by QQI at level 9 on the National Framework of Qualifications. This award will allow transfer to level 9 research degrees and in some cases progression to taught doctoral courses at level 10 on the NFQ.

### Entry Requirements

Applicants are required to hold a minimum of a 2.2 honours degree in either a cognate or non-cognate area at level 8 on the National Framework of Qualifications. The college operates a Recognition of Prior Experiential Learning (RPEL) scheme meaning non-graduates with extensive professional experience and other prior qualifications may also be considered for the course.

### Laptop Requirement

All students applying to NCI must have access to a laptop that will allow them to attend classes online and, where relevant, to participate in on-campus learning. Some students may be able to avail of the Student Laptop Loan Scheme, subject to eligibility. See page 71 for more information.



## COURSE CONTENT

### Core Modules

- . Enterprise Management
- . Strategy for Decision-Making
- . Marketing Management
- . Commercial Law
- . Research Methods
- . Managing the Organisation
- . Enterprise Simulation Game
- . Management of Innovation and Technology

### Elective Choices

- . Corporate Social Responsibility and Business Ethics
- . Contemporary Issues in Global Finance
- . Services Marketing
- . International Business
- . Strategic Management of Human Capital
- . Employment Law
- . Global Value Chain Management (Operations Management)
- . Doing Business on the Cloud
- . Strategic Project Management
- . Strategic ICT and eBusiness Implementation

Availability of elective choices is subject to student numbers. The course content as shown above is for indicative purposes.

The college reserves the right to re-order the schedule of modules offered.

**Note:** that all modules count towards the final award classification.

