

International Student Guide



TUS
Technological University
of the Shannon





Why Ireland?



English speaking country recognised for excellence in education.



Ireland is a member of the European Union and home to many of the world's most successful globally-traded companies. It offers excellent graduate employment and long term career opportunities.



The 3rd safest country in the world according to the Global Peace Index in 2022.



Minimum 12-month post-study work permit for International graduates with an Irish Honours Degree qualification, 24-month for Masters graduates.



Students can work part-time (20 hours per week) during term time and full-time (40 hours) during breaks. Irish minimum wage is €11.30 per hour.



Recent studies show that Ireland offers the best international student experience and quality of life.

For more visit: www.EducationIreland.ie, www.thea.ie, www.DiscoverIreland.ie, www.IrishJobs.ie.



About Athlone

Athlone is located in the midlands of Ireland and is often referred to as the "Heart of Ireland". Situated on the River Shannon, Athlone is a busy and prosperous town with an abundance of interesting tourist attractions and excellent sporting and leisure facilities. It has a population of 30,000 people and is just over one hour's drive from the capital city of Dublin.

About Limerick

On the banks of the River Shannon and sitting at the edge of the Wild Atlantic Way, Limerick is Ireland's third largest city, and the third largest English-speaking city in the EU. Limerick is a historic city with a rich medieval past and steeped in culture. Located 15 minutes from Shannon International Airport, Limerick is within Europe's Top-10 cities in attracting investment, growth and opportunity.

Multinational employers in Ireland

Large employers in Ireland include Alkermes Plc, Ericsson, Covidien, Utah Medical, M&C Specialties, IO Systems, One Direct, Teleflex and KCI Medical, Johnson & Johnson, Uber, PWC, Intel, Dell, Northern Trust, Cook Medical, Stryker, Analog Devices, Ernest & Young. Over 1,000 FDI giants in ICT, Social Media, Pharmaceuticals and Finance have made Ireland the hub of their European operations, with names such as Google, HP, Apple, IBM, Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, Pfizer, GSK and Genzyme.

Postgraduate Courses

Programme

Location

BUSINESS & ANALYTICS

Masters

Master of Arts in Accounting	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Master of Arts in Leadership in Workplace Health & Wellbeing	Limerick Campus
Master of Business	Athlone Campus
Master of Business Administration**	Athlone Campus
Master of Business in Strategic Management & Marketing	Limerick Campus
Master of Science in Business Analytics*	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Master of Science in Data Analytics*	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Master of Science in Digital Marketing	Athlone & Limerick Campuses

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Masters

Master of Science in Applied Network Security	Limerick Campus
Master of Science in Software Design with Artificial Intelligence	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Software Design with Cloud Native Computing	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Software Design with Cybersecurity	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Software Engineering	Athlone Campus

ENGINEERING

Masters

Master of Science in Quantity Surveying*	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Master of Engineering in Engineering Management	Athlone Campus
Master of Engineering in Energy Infrastructure	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Master of Engineering in Packaging, Innovation and Product Design	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Quality Management and Validation	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Product Design Control	Limerick Campus
Master of Science in Process Validation and Regulatory Affairs	Limerick Campus

SCIENCE

Masters

Master of Science in Environmental, Health and Safety Management	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Biopharmaceutical Technology*	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Nursing in Leadership & Quality Healthcare**	Athlone Campus
Master of Science in Pharmaceutical and Chemical Analysis*	Athlone Campus

ART & DESIGN

Masters

Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Design	Limerick Campus
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PRE-MASTERS

Business & Analytics

Higher Diploma in Arts in Accounting	Limerick Campus
Higher Diploma in Business Management	Limerick Campus
Higher Diploma in Digital Marketing	Limerick Campus
Higher Diploma in International Business	Limerick Campus

Information Technology

Higher Diploma in Science in Agile Software Design	Athlone Campus
Higher Diploma in Science in Software Development	Limerick Campus



Undergraduate Courses

Programme

Location

BUSINESS, FINANCE & MARKETING

Bachelors

Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Accounting	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Accounting & Finance	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Business & Law	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Business	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Business with Computing	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Digital Marketing	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Enterprise & Innovation	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in International Business (with a Mandatory Language)	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Law & Taxation	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Marketing & Management	Limerick Campus

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Bachelors

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Software Engineering	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Computer Networks & Systems Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Computer Engineering for Autonomous Systems	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Computer Engineering with Network Infrastructure	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Mobile & Web Computing	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Software Design with Artificial Intelligence Cloud Computing	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Software Design with Mobile Apps & Connected Devices	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Software Design with Virtual Reality & Gaming	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Software Development	Limerick Campus

ENGINEERING

Bachelor of Engineering (Common Entry) +	Athlone Campus
One of the 4 courses below:	
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Automation & Robotics	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Mechanical & Polymer Engineering	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Mechanical Engineering with Energy	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Mechanical Engineering	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelors	
Bachelor in Engineering in Music & Sound Engineering	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science in Aircraft Maintenance Engineering	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Automotive Engineering & Transport Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Electrical Engineering	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Electronic Engineering with Computer Systems	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Industrial Automation & Robotic Systems	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Precision Engineering	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Renewable & Electrical Energy Engineering	Limerick Campus

BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Bachelors

Built Environment (Common Entry) +	Limerick Campus
One of the 4 courses below:	
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Civil Engineering	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Construction Management	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Property Valuation & Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Quantity Surveying	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) in Civil Engineering	Athlone & Limerick Campuses

SCIENCE

Bachelors

Bachelor of Science in Applied Biology	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences (Drug Development & Analysis)	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science in Veterinary Nursing	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Agricultural Science & Sustainability	Thurles Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Applied Bioscience	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Bioanalysis & Biotechnology	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Biotechnology	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Biotechnology with Biopharmaceutical Science	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Bioveterinary Science	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Drug & Medicinal Product Analysis	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Environmental Science & Climate	Thurles Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Forensic & Pharmaceutical Science	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Medical Technology	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Microbiology	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Pharmaceutical Sciences	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Pharmacology	Athlone Campus

HEALTH SCIENCE

Bachelors

Bachelor of Science in Exercise & Health Science	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy Technician	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Physical Activity & Health Science	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Athletic & Rehabilitation Therapy	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Nutrition & Health Science	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Sports Science with Exercise Physiology	Athlone Campus

SOCIAL SCIENCE & CARE

Bachelors

Bachelor of Arts in Applied Social Studies in Social Care	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Arts in Social Care Practice	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Community & Addiction Studies	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Social Care Work	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Early Years Care & Education	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Applied Psychology	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Early Childhood Education & Care	Limerick Campus

SPORTS & WELLNESS

Bachelors

Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Business Studies with Sports Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Sports Development & Performance	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Management in Tourism & Sport	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Sport Management (with International Placement)	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Applied Sports Science with Performance Technology	Thurles Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Applied Strength & Conditioning	Thurles Campus

HOSPITALITY & TOURISM

Bachelors

Bachelor of Arts in Culinary Arts	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Arts in Hotel & Leisure Management	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Business Studies with Event Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Business Studies with Beauty & Spa Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Business Studies with Travel & Tourism Management	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Culinary Entrepreneurship	Athlone & Limerick Campuses
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Hospitality Management (with International Placement)	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Business (Hons) in Tourism & Hospitality Management	Athlone Campus

ART & DESIGN

Bachelors

First Year Art & Design (Common Entry) +	Limerick Campus
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One of the 8 courses below:

Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Animation & Motion Design	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Ceramics	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Fashion Design	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Graphic Design Communication	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Painting	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Photography Moving Image	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Print Contemporary Practice	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Sculpture & Combined Media	
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Animation & Illustration	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Fashion & Textiles for Product & Costume Design	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Graphic & Digital Design	Athlone Campus
Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Interior Design	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Education (Hons) in Art & Design Teacher Education	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Creative Broadcast & Film Production	Limerick Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Creative Media & User Experience Design	Clonmel Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Digital Animation	Clonmel Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Game Art & Design	Clonmel Campus
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Music Production & Technology	Limerick Campus

Foundation

Certificate in Foundation Studies for International Students	Limerick Campus
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About TUS



- A multi-campus university spread across six campuses in Athlone, Limerick City, Thurles, Clonmel and Ennis.
- Over 14,000 students from 110+ nationalities enrolled in hundreds of programmes from Bachelor to PhD.
- Active learning is central at TUS with a blend of practice and theory in every discipline area.
- Industry engagement is a core ethos with Paid Placement opportunities on almost all programmes.
- 91% of graduates in employment or further study within nine months of graduating from TUS.
- Students enjoy personalised service from the international office and academic staff, offered in a friendly and supportive environment.
- Free Academic Supports including academic writing and English classes on campus.
- Lower living costs - average cost of living of €10K in Athlone & Limerick. Up to 50% more affordable than Dublin.

Apply to TUS today to gain an internationally recognized qualification sought by employers all over the world.

How To Apply?

1. Decide on your course: A full list of the available courses can be found at <https://tus.ie/courses/>
2. Ensure to have all relevant documentation such as previous qualifications and academic results ready to upload
3. Complete your application form: The TUS International Application Portal can be accessed from **here**
4. Application deadline for September start is the 1st of June



English Language Requirements

IELTS Qualifications Minimum Level Required

Certificate in Foundation Studies	IELTS 4.5
First Year Undergraduate	IELTS 5.5 – 6.0
Advanced Entry Undergraduate (Year 2, 3 or 4)	IELTS 6.0
Postgraduate	IELTS 6.5

NB Proof of English language capacity other than IELTS (such as Duolingo, TOEFL, Cambridge, etc.) will be considered. Please provide documentary evidence of your scores.

www.tus.ie



Tuition Fees

Certificate in Foundation Studies	€10,000
Undergraduate Bachelor's Degree	€12,500
Postgraduate Higher Diploma	€13,500
Taught Master's Degree	€14,500
Master's programmes with*	€16,500
Master's programmes with**	€18,500

Scholarships of up to €3,000 available

Industry Engagement At TUS

TUS programmes are designed in collaboration with industry consortia to ensure that graduates have the skills that industry needs. Almost all of our programmes include a relevant industry placement as a compulsory, graded element of the programme. We are home to industry-led research projects and small businesses that have spun-out from learning, research and innovation at TUS.

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