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# DCU Spring Open Day

13 April 2024

10am - 3pm:  
Glasnevin Campus

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# Welcome to DCU's Spring Open Day 2024!

On Saturday 13 April, we invite you to our Glasnevin Campus for our Spring Open Day from 10am to 3pm. Our staff, students and graduates will help you experience all that DCU has to offer!

## DCU Glasnevin Campus

### What to expect

We want you to make the most of your time at the Spring Open Day. We have put together seven sections that will help you plan your visit to DCU Glasnevin campus:

1. Information Points
2. General Talks
3. Course Presentations
4. University Taster Lectures/Workshops
5. Graduate Panel with Q&A
6. Campus Tours
7. Exhibition Area

### 1. Information Points

There will be four Open Day Information Points on the DCU Glasnevin Campus. You will find them at the following locations: Collins Avenue Entrance — The U Building — The Helix — The Interfaith Centre (see Campus Map page 7). On the day, make sure to look out for our Student Ambassadors wearing 'Can I Help' red high vis jackets; they will be able to assist you with any queries.

### Quiet Space

You are welcome to make use of the designated quiet space, located as follows:

**DCU Glasnevin Campus:** 'Santry Room' KA102 (first floor of the 'U' Student Centre)

### 2. General Talks

Throughout the day, a number of general talks will take place offering information specific to DCU as well as advice about university life in general. The general talks include:

- INTRA Work Placement
- Sport and Performance Opportunities in DCU
- Student Life in DCU
- Advisory Session for Parents/Guardians
- Study Abroad with DCU: Erasmus/Exchange
- Accommodation

You can find the times for general talks on page 4.

### 3. Course Presentations

DCU offers over 75 undergraduate degree courses in the areas of Sustainability, Business, Languages, Arts, Humanities, Science, Health, Engineering, Computing, Education and Teaching. The presentations will cover course content, choices within degrees, differences between similar degree courses, work placements and career prospects. Each presentation will be 20-30 minutes in duration and will be repeated throughout the day. So, for example, if you are interested in attending the Aviation Management talk, go to room Q122 in the Business School (Q) at 11.30am or 12.30pm.

You can find the times for course presentations on pages 4/5.

### 4. University Taster Lectures/Workshops

There will be some University Taster Lectures/Workshops talking place throughout the day offering you a real life glimpse of university life.

### 5. Graduate Panel with Q&A Session

We are hosting two Graduate Panels with Q&A sessions on Glasnevin campus. Hear recent DCU Graduates talk about their university experience and career development since graduation. You will have an opportunity to ask questions at the end of the session. To view the list of Graduates participating in the Panel, please visit [www.dcu.ie/spring-open-day](http://www.dcu.ie/spring-open-day)

### 6. Campus Tours

If you are considering studying at DCU, it is important that you get a feel for the campus. It's a wonderful place and it could be your home from home for the next three or four years. Highlights include student accommodation\*, our award winning sports centre and the beautiful three-storey John and Aileen O' Reilly Library. Tours will depart from the "DCU Letters" in front of the Helix every half hour starting at 10.30am. The tour will take approximately 30 minutes with the last tour departing at 2.30pm.

\*Please note that specific tours of student accommodation will start from the Accommodation information stand located in the 'U' Student Centre.

## Demonstrations and Tours

Selected Schools within the **Faculty of Science and Health** will provide tours and/or demonstrations in the labs, skills centres and atrium of the Lonsdale (X) Building and in the Nursing (H) Building.

Our **Virtual Reality** lab will be open for demonstrations during Open Day but you will need to book your slot to take part at the reception desk on the ground floor of the Business School (Q), as spaces are limited.

**Media facilities** including the TV and Radio studios in the School of Communications and the **language and translation** laboratories in the School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies will also be open to visitors.

The **Faculty of Engineering and Computing** will also be conducting demonstrations in the Stokes (S) Building.

## 7. Exhibition Area

The Exhibition Area is located in the 'U' Student Centre. You will have an opportunity to meet representatives from the following areas:

- Accommodation
- Access Service
- Admissions
- Careers Service
- Clubs and Societies
- DCU Alumni
- DCU Autism Friendly
- DCU Sport and Wellbeing
- Disability and Learning Support Service
- INTRA/Work Placement/Internships
- Mature Student Information
- Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)  
Postgraduate Studies
- Sport Scholarships
- Student Support & Development
- Study Abroad with DCU: Erasmus/Exchange

If you would like to visit a Faculty information stand, you will find them in their respective buildings – check campus maps at the back of this brochure for locations:

### Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences:

#### Henry Grattan 'C' Building

- School of Communications
- School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies
- School of English
- Fiontar & Scoil na Gaeilge
- School of History and Geography
- School of Law and Government
- School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music

### Faculty of Engineering and Computing: Stokes 'S' Building (Engineering) and McNulty 'L' Building (Computing)

- School of Electronic Engineering (Stokes 'S' Building)
- School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering (Stokes 'S' Building)
- School of Computing (McNulty 'L' Building)

### Faculty of Science and Health: Lonsdale 'X' Building and Nursing 'H' Building

- School of Chemical Sciences ('X' Building)
- School of Physical Sciences ('X' Building)
- School of Biotechnology ('X' Building)
- School of Mathematical Sciences ('X' Building)
- School of Health and Human Performance ('X' Building)
- School of Nursing, Psychotherapy and Community Health ('H' Building)
- School of Psychology ('H' Building)

### DCU Business School: 'Q' Building

## Complimentary Bus to DCU St Patrick's Campus

A complimentary bus from the DCU Glasnevin Campus to the DCU St Patrick's campus will depart from outside the Helix on a rolling basis from 10am on Saturday, 13th April. This will give you the opportunity to visit the DCU St Patrick's Campus, go to a Course Talk, attend a University Taster Lecture, visit the Graduate Panel session and take a Campus Tour. The last bus departs DCU St Patrick's Campus at 2.05pm.

## Catering Facilities

There will be a selection of hot food and drinks to purchase on DCU Glasnevin campus. Most facilities are card only and do not take cash.

**Visiting DCU St Patrick's Campus**  
**View Schedule**  
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# Saturday 13th April 2024

## DCU Glasnevin Campus



### Graduate Panel with Q&A

Hear from recent DCU Graduates about their university experience and career opportunities since graduation.

Time: 12.15pm, 1.15pm (1 hour session) Room: HG20

General Talks	Room	Times
INTRA Work Placement	Páirc Room 'U' Student Centre	10.15am, 1.15pm
Accommodation	Solas Room 'U' Student Centre	10.15am
Advisory Session for Parents/Guardians	Solas Room 'U' Student Centre	11.15am
Study Abroad with DCU: Erasmus/ Exchange Opportunities	Cuilín Room 'U' Student Centre	11.15am, 1.15pm
Student Life at DCU	Páirc Room 'U' Student Centre	11.15am
Sport and Performance Opportunities in DCU	Solas Room 'U' Student Centre	12.15pm
Assistive Technology for Students	Cuilín Room 'U' Student Centre	12.15pm

DCU Business School	Room	Times
<b>Location (Q) on Campus Map (All Talks 30 mins unless stated)</b>		
Why Choose DCU Business?	QG13	10.15am, 1.15pm
Business Studies	QG13	11am, 12.30pm
Accounting and Finance	QG15	11am, 12pm
Business Studies International	QG21	11am, 12pm
Global Business	QG27	11.45am, 12.45pm
Marketing Innovation and Technology	Q121	11am, 12pm
Aviation Management	Q122	11.30am, 12.30pm
Digital Business and Innovation	Q120	11.45am, 12.45pm

**VR Lab - Open for drop-in sessions**

The Colm Delves Leadership Lab is a creative learning space in DCU Business School. The Lab offers visitors an opportunity to learn and develop leadership skills through cutting-edge virtual reality. Using Oculus Quest 2 devices, participants take part in an instructor-led workshop and practise a variety of presenting and communication skills based on an experiential learning approach.

Taster Lectures/Workshops		
<b>Innovator's Toolkit</b>	<b>QG21</b>	<b>12.45pm (30mins)</b>
This 2nd year module is covered by a number of courses and teaches you how to tackle problems in a creative way within organizations. You'll learn about design-thinking and creative problem-solving through practical activities. Using both online and in-person learning, you'll get to work on real challenges faced by businesses.		
<b>Life in DCU as a Marketing, Innovation and Society (MINT) student</b>	<b>Q121</b>	<b>12.30pm (45mins)</b>
Current MINT students will share their individual experiences of the programme. They will discuss various aspects such as their academic journey, a brief flavour of modules in general, group activities and projects, extracurricular activities, and other relevant experiences at DCU. Attendees will have the opportunity to ask any questions they have around studying MINT at DCU.		
<b>The Importance of Failure</b>	<b>Q120</b>	<b>10.45am (30 mins)</b>
This activity introduces the concepts of failure and resilience by encouraging students to think creatively about how failures can sometimes lead to unexpected successes or valuable learning opportunities. Students are encouraged to look beyond the surface and imagine how setbacks could be reframed as a stepping stone to unexpected successes or valuable learning opportunities.		

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences	Room	Times
<b>Henry Grattan Building - Location (C) on Campus Map (All Talks 30 mins unless stated)</b>		
Bachelor of Arts: Joints Honours	CG86	11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm (45 min sessions)
Gaeilge at DCU	CG02	11am, 12.30pm, 1.30pm
Applied Language and Translation Studies	CG04	10.30am, 11.30am, 12.30pm
<b>University Taster Lecture: How to survive a semester on Erasmus in Spain?</b>	<b>CG04</b>	<b>11am</b>
<b>University Taster Lecture: How does language work - an introduction?</b>	<b>CG04</b>	<b>1pm</b>
<b>There will be an opportunity for visitors to talk to students of the School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies in the following rooms</b>		
<b>SALIS Language Labs &amp; Languaculture space mini-tour</b>	<b>CG08A, CG08B &amp; C135</b>	<b>After each Applied Language and Translation Studies presentation</b>
Social Sciences and Cultural Innovation	CG05	11am, 12pm, 2pm
Jazz and Contemporary Music Performance	CG11	10.30am, 12pm, 1.30pm
Climate and Environmental Sustainability	CG03	11am, 12pm, 1pm
<b>Presentations on BCL (Law and Society), International Relations and Economics, Politics and Law will be presented in the one talk in Room CG12</b>		
BCL (Law and Society), International Relations and Economics, Politics and Law	CG12	10.30am, 11.30am, 12.30pm, 1.30pm
<b>There will be an opportunity for visitors to talk to students of the School of Law and Government in the following room:</b>		
<b>Moot Court Room</b>	<b>C206</b>	<b>After each School of Law and Government presentation</b>
<b>Presentations on Communication Studies, Journalism and Multimedia will be presented in the one talk in Room C104</b>		
Communication Studies, Journalism, Multimedia	C104	11am, 12pm, 1pm (1 hour sessions)
<b>There will be an opportunity for visitors to talk to staff and students of the School of Communications in the following rooms:</b>		
Media Studio	C140	10.30am until 3pm
Radio Studio	C117 & C122	10.30am until 3pm
Photography Studio	C100B	10.30am until 3pm



## Graduate Panel with Q&A

Hear from recent DCU Graduates about their university experience and career opportunities since graduation.

Time: 12.15pm, 1.15pm (1 hour session) Room: HG20

Faculty of Science and Health	Room	Times
<b>Nursing Building - Location (H) and Lonsdale Building (X) on Campus Map (All Talks 30 mins unless stated)</b>		
Physics General Entry Applied Physics Physics with Astronomy Physics with Biomedical Sciences Physics with Data Analytics	XG22	11am, 12pm, 1pm
<b>Tours: Physical Sciences laboratory tours departing from the Physical Sciences stand in the Lonsdale (X) Building</b>		
		11.30am 12.30pm, 1.30pm
<b>University Taster lecture: Chemistry with Artificial Intelligence</b>	XG19	11am
Chemical Science General Entry Analytical Science Chemical and Pharmaceutical Sciences Chemistry with Artificial Intelligence Environmental Science and Technology	XG19	12pm, 1pm
<b>Tours: Chemical Sciences laboratory tours departing from the Chemical Sciences stand in the Lonsdale (X) Building</b>		
		11.30, 12.30, 13.30
Biological Sciences General Entry Biotechnology Genetics and Cell Biology Bioprocessing	XG20	10.30am, 11.30am
<b>Tours: Biotechnology laboratory tour departing from the Biotechnology stand in the Lonsdale (X) Building</b>		
		12pm
<b>University Taster Lecture: Clinical experience of the Athletic Therapy and Training course</b>	HG18	11am
Athletic Therapy and Training Physical Education with Biology Physical Education with Maths Sport Science and Health	HG20	10.30am, 11.30am
General Nursing, Mental Health Nursing, Intellectual Disability Nursing, Children's and General Nursing (Integrated)	HG23	11am, 12pm, 1pm

<b>Tours: Nursing Skills Centre tours, arranged locally at the Nursing, Psychotherapy and Community Health stand in the H Building</b>	<b>Nursing Skills Centre</b>	11.30am, 12.30pm, 1.30pm
Health and Society	HG05	11am, 12pm, 1pm
<b>University Taster lecture: Gravitational Waves: Listening to Cosmic Whispers</b>	HG19	10.30am
Common Entry into Actuarial and Financial Mathematics Actuarial Mathematics	HG19	12pm, 1pm
<b>University Taster Lecture: Psychology, creativity, and new technologies</b>	HG22	11am
Psychology Psychology and Mathematics Psychology and Disruptive Technologies	HG22	12pm, 1pm

Faculty of Engineering and Computing	Room	Times
<b>McNulty Building - Location (L) on Campus Map (All Talks 45 mins unless stated)</b>		
Computer Science Data Science Computing for Business	LG25	10am, 11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm
School of Electronic Engineering and the School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering	Room	Times
<b>Stokes Building - Location (L) on Campus Map (All Talks 45 mins unless stated)</b>		
Common Entry into Engineering Mechanical and Sustainability Engineering Electronic and Computer Engineering Biomedical Engineering Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering Mechatronic Engineering	SA101	10am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm
<b>University Taster Lecture: Technologies and Applications of 3D Printing with Dr Nigel Kent</b>	SA101	11am (30 mins)

# Design Your Own Open Day Schedule

Use this space to write down the General Talks and Course Presentations you will attend on Open Day.

## General Talks

Title of Talk	Time	Location

## Course Presentations

Course Name	Time	Location

## General Talks and Course Presentation Notes

Use this space to write down notes from General Talks and Course Presentations you attend today

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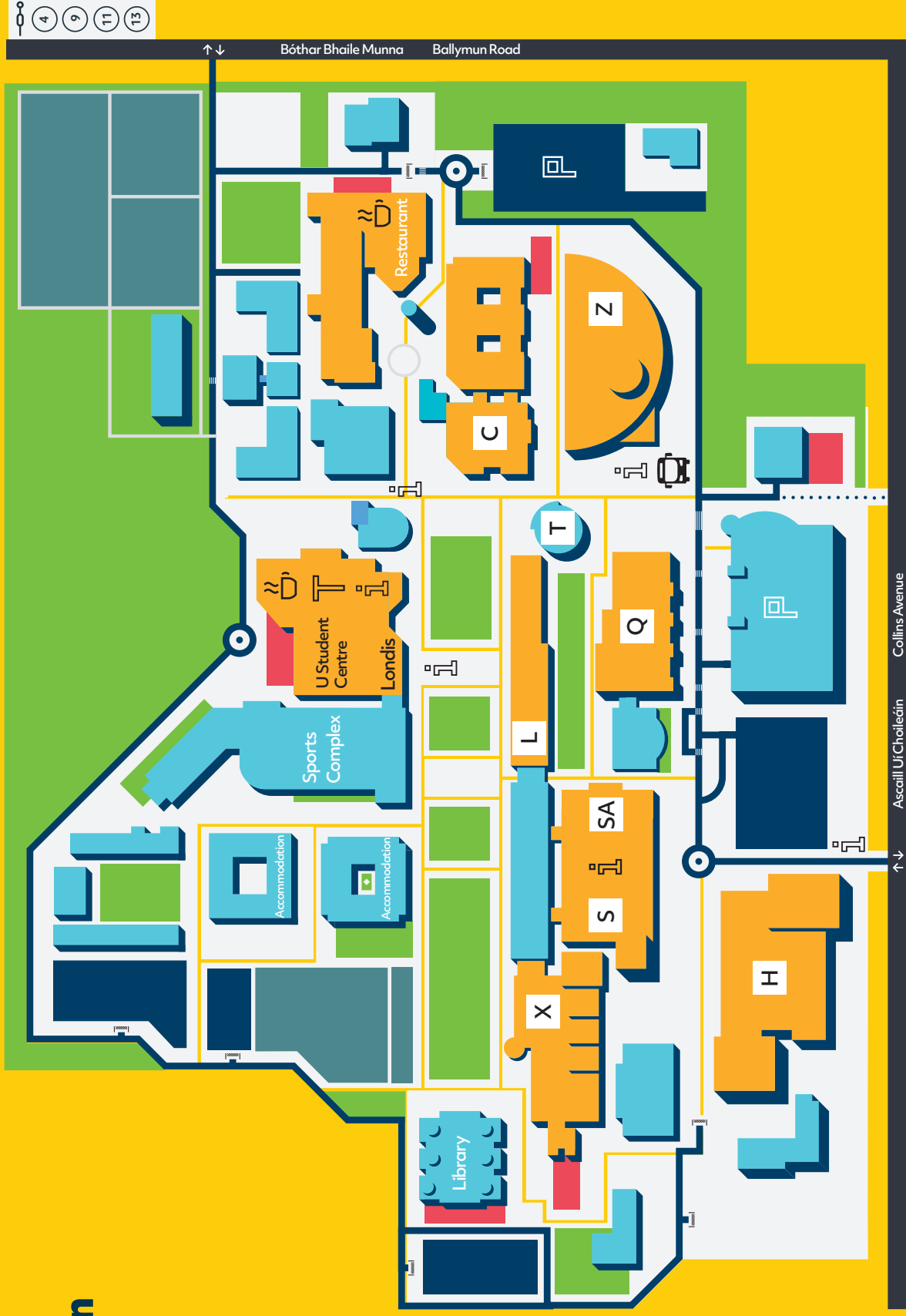
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- C** Henry Grattan Building
- H** Nursing Building
- L** McNulty Building
- Q** Business Building
- S** Stokes Building
- SA** Stokes Extension
- Z** The Helix
- X** Lonsdale Building
- T** Terence Larkin
- Parking
- Information Point
- Food on Campus
- General Talks
- Bus Stop
- Bus to St Patricks Campus



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