



Meeting of Graduate Studies Committee

on Thursday 23 January 2025 from 10am to 1pm (break @11.30am)

in person in Trinity Business School Boardroom

AGENDA A for Discussion and Decision

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| 01 | Minutes of 12 December 2024 | Encl |
| 02 | Matters arising | |
| 03 | New course proposal: MSc in Accounting and Analytics – Prof. Neil Dunne, Prospective Course Director (TBS), to present | Encl |
| 04 | Dean of Graduate Studies’ Draft Annual Report for 2023/24 - Dean of Graduate Studies to present | Encl |
| 05 | Policy Review: Assessment and Academic Progression - Dr Elizabeth Donnellan, Education Policy Developer (Academic Affairs, TT&L) to present | Encl |
| 06 | Policy Review: Remote Supervision of Postgraduate (Doctoral) Students - Dr Elizabeth Donnellan, Education Policy Developer (Academic Affairs, TT&L) to present | Encl |
| 07 | Policy Review: Return of Coursework - Dr Elizabeth Donnellan, Education Policy Developer (Academic Affairs, TT&L) to present | Encl |
| 08 | Horizon 2: PG Renewal monthly update (January) – Ms Leona Coady, Programme Director (PG Renewal) to present | Encl |
| 09 | Horizon2: Abridged Approval Process for changes to existing PGT programmes: Stage Gate Approval for proposed design - Memorandum from Professors A. Clements, R. Reilly, R. Fitzpatrick, and A. Kelly (Work Package #1 (Taught)) | Encl |
| 10 | Horizon 2: Stipend Payment Process for PGR Internal and External Awards – Stage Gate Approval - Memorandum from Mark Sheridan, Senior Project Manager, Ms Helen O’Hara, Work Package Lead (WP#3: Systems & Processes) | Encl |
| 11 | Any Other Business | |
| | (i) LERU Doctoral Summer School 2025, June 22-27 | |
| | (ii) Graduate Teaching Assistant Awards for 2024 | |
| | (iii) The Research Factor: A 3 Minute Thesis – 2024/25 internal competition | Encl |
| | (iv) Marking bands within PGT programmes | |

AGENDA B for Noting and Decision

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| 12 | Updated Academic Year Structure Option A – Memorandum from Prof. Vincent Wade, Senior Lecturer & Dean of Undergraduate Studies (Chair of AYS Working Group) | Encl |
| 13 | Cessation of PGDip in Accounting from 2026/27 – request from Trinity Business School | Encl |
| 14 | Cessation of PGDip in Engineering for Climate Action from 2025/26 – request from School of Engineering | Encl |
| 15 | Suspension of MSc in Community Health for 2025/26 – request from School of Nursing and Midwifery | Encl |
| 16 | MEd Strand title change from “Critical Perspectives on Education” to “Open Pathways” from 2026/27 on all FT & PT formats of delivery – request from School of Education | Encl |
| 17 | English language proficiency level: requirements for admission from 2025/26 aligned to Irish Dental Council – request from School of Dental Science | Encl |

AGENDA C for Noting

17 January 2025
Ewa Sadowska (GSC Secretary)
Academic Affairs, Trinity Teaching and Learning



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The University of Dublin

cc. Prof. Martine Smith	Prof. Sinéad Ryan	Prof. Rachel McLoughlin	Prof. Wladislaw Rivkin
Prof. Ana Perez-Luno	Prof. Iouri Gouko	Prof. Gavin Doherty	Prof. Evangelia Rigaki
Prof. Padhraig Fleming	Prof. Noel Ó Murchadha	Prof. Breifni Fitzgerald	Prof. Jane Suzanne Carroll
Prof. Russell McLaughlin	Prof. Rachel Moss	Prof. Jennifer Edmond	Prof. David Prendergast
Prof. Paul Conroy	Prof. Stefan Sint	Prof. Stephen Maher	Prof. Micha Ruhl
Prof. Brian Keogh	Prof. Cathal Cadogan	Prof. Graham Cross	Prof. Frédérique Vallieres
Prof. Etain Tannam	Prof. Selim Gulesci	Prof. Eavan Brady	Dr Geoffrey Bradley
Ms Siobhan Dunne	Ms Patricia Callaghan	Ms Breda Walls	Ms Leona Coady
Dr Cormac Doran	Mr Martin McAndrew	Ms Frances Leogue	PG Renewal: Ms Ewa Adach; Ms Aoife Kelly

TCDSU/AMLCT PGR Representative: Ms Almudena Moreno Borrallo; TCDSU/AMLCT PGT Representative: Ms Orla Richard