

Mature Students Perspectives | Survey – Poster: Plain Text Version

TCD Mature Student Survey carried out by Jimi Donohoe and Martin Doolan for the Trinity Inclusive Curriculum Summer Student Partner Programme. Below are some quotes taken from the Survey.

1. "Flexible deadlines for mature students would make a massive difference in managing the workload"
2. "More online learning would be great as I have kids and other responsibilities"
3. "Lecturers talking about how young students are and how they will have a long future ahead of them is difficult to hear when you are a middle-aged student."
4. "Videos are a great way of explaining course materials instead of so much reading"
5. "Foundational concepts were glazed over, with the expectation you already had an understanding"
6. "I would like to have more on campus time if that could be provided with adequate controls in place"
7. "The best lectures are the ones where the lecturer talks with the students and not at us"
8. "Most lecturers direct their talk towards younger students. It's as though you are just there for the novelty of the education"