

# Postgraduate Renewal Programme GSC Update – March 2024



## HORIZON 2

### In progress

- TRDA applications open
    - Student of Sanctuary (01.05.24)
    - School Based (01.06.24)
    - ECRs – under review
    - Group Based – under review.
  - Irish State Funding Agencies Fee Differential for PGR: pilot continues for new entrants admitted in 2024/25.
  - Benchmarking organizational structures in PG education and service excellence strategy.\*
  - Business Case for funding Year 2 H2 under discussion.
- \*Expect proposal for GSC April 2024.



## CURRICULUM & TRIPLE I

### CURRICULUM

#### On Agenda

- Eligibility Criteria for Supervision of PGT Research
- PGT Cyclical Review Framework (Stage Gate Approval)

#### In progress

- PGT Cyclical Review Framework\*
- Pilot rollout new two-phased process for PGT proposals.

### TRIPLE I

#### In progress

- Design Triple I Framework\*
- Develop I<sup>3</sup> inter-disciplinary activities.

→ \*Expect proposal for GSC May 2024.



## STRUCTURED PHD & DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

### In progress

- Propose strategy and blueprint for Development of PhD Student Multi-dimensional Skillsets
- PDP
- Pilot Research Student : Supervisor Agreement – interim review\*

→ \*Expect proposal for GSC April 2024.



## STUDENT / STAFF EXPERIENCE

### STUDENT

#### In progress

- Service Excellence benchmarking
- Consideration of approach to detailed work programme.

### STAFF

#### In progress

- Conflict mgmt. in supervisory relationship
- Integrate adjunct staff into Community
- Development of Academic Staff Induction & Dev. Prog.



## STUDENT LIFECYCLE

### Update

- Prioritization of WP3 detailed work programme agreed.
  1. PGR Progression\*
  2. On-line application form enhancements.\*
  3. Off-books procedures / processes for PGR
  4. Internal Awards Reporting
- Remaining roles 1.5 FTE in recruitment phase.

### In progress

- Design new framework for English language admission requirements. \*\*

→ \*Expect Stage Gate Report GSC May 2024.

→ \*\*Expect proposal GSC May 2024.

### COMMUNITY & CONNECTION

- Research Supervision: pioneering excellence
- Trinity Blueprint for PhD Student Skills Development
- Recognition of PGR Teaching & Learning
- Policy for PGR internal awards



#### Structured PhD & Doctoral Programmes



#### Curriculum & Triple I



- Trinity Blueprint for Triple I
- Programme Approval Process Pilot
- Framework for PGT Cyclical Review
- Exit Framework for PGT programmes



#### Student & Staff Experience

- Academic Staff Induction (Supervision)
- Integration of Adjunct Staff into community
- Conflict Mgmt & Resolution (supervision relationship)
- Service Excellence strategy

#### Student Lifecycle



- Student Journey mapping
- Implement QA Framework for Process Design
  - Integration of PGR processes into SITS
    - Rollout new application form
- New framework for English language requirements



#### Structures & Spaces

- Organisational structures: Doctoral 'Academy'
- Digital Information hub
- PGR Student Space



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