Postgraduate Open Evening;



Wednesday 13th March – Postgraduate Open Evening

Time: **17:00 to 19:00** Duration: **2 hours Contact:** Catherine Fitzgerald - <u>catherine.fitzgerald@ul.ie</u> Location: <u>Pavilion</u>, University of Limerick, Ireland

The University of Limerick offers a suite of full time, part time, taught, research postgraduate programmes, and invites you to meet UL Faculty and current postgraduates to learn more about the opportunities that await you for 2019 and beyond.

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On Campus Accommodation - now taking applications;



DEADLINE 31st March

With 2,700 rooms across six residential villages at University of Limerick, there is something to suit everyone. Each village has a distinctive character with a wide range of facilities suitable for first year students. Our six villages vary in price too; this means that there is accommodation on campus to suit all budgets. If you want to live as part of a vibrant student community, minutes' walk from lecture theatres, then campus accommodation at

University of Limerick is a must for you. Incoming first years are accommodated in all of our student residences.

The lottery based system will select successful applicants after the closing date. We will then communicate with all applicants on the status of their application.



Apply for accommodation here

Recent titles awarded to the University of Limerick

- We are delighted to announce we were awarded 'Best Student Campus' in Ireland and 'Best Erasmus Programme' (for the 2nd year in a row) in Ireland at the Education Ireland Awards.
- MORE THAN 95% of international students who studied at the University of Limerick report they were happy with their study experience, placing the university second out of 199 institutions globally.
- According to the the I-Graduate International Student Barometer (ISB), UL score tops marks worldwide for social activities and clubs and societies.



- Our students have voted us #1 in Ireland for Student Satisfaction and #2 in the world for Student Happiness
- The UL International Office was also ranked number one out of 51 UK and Ireland universities, the ISB found.

Journalism Masters with a twist in UL: MA in Journalism with emphasis on Sport

Beginning in Autumn 2019, the MA in Journalism now incorporates a specialised MA in Journalism, Sport pathway option for graduates interested in pursuing Sports Journalism.

As well as a grounding in key sports journalism skills, students taking the MAJ, Sport pathway will be trained in sports communication management and will learn about the relationship between sport, the media and society, and how the industry's professional and social dimension has evolved, including its legal and economic aspects. This course, the first of its kind in Ireland, is being designed and implemented with input from key figures in the sports media industry. Thus, students will receive practical instruction from leaders in the field, along with the networking and placement opportunities that are vital for a career in a fast-evolving industry. Rugby icon Keith Wood, Irish Examiner sports editor Tony Leen and RTÉ sports presenter Jacqui Hurley are among the sports media industry figures who are involved in the new UL MA in Journalism, Sport programme.

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Programme of the month: LM076 Product Design

About You

Are you curious and imaginative? Do you like a creative challenge? Would you enjoy developing solutions that improve the quality of peoples lives? Then product design and technology might be the course for you.

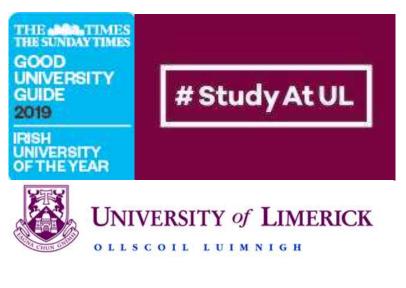
What is product design and technology?

In recent years industry and society are recognising the positive impact design can have on both business and people. Understanding user's needs is central to the UL design philosophy; we combine this with knowledge of technology, materials and manufacturing to ensure products are realisable and useful. PDT will bring you through a thinking process in creative design where human-focused research helps to reveal unmet needs and leads to ideas that are tested, developed and brought to life through sketching, modelmaking, computer aided design and cutting edge manufacturing techniques. Our strong links with industry and community partners brings a real-world focus that reflects professional design practice and helps designers build strong portfolios which strengthen their job prospects. The products that UL students design are many and varied and include medical devices, furniture, transport vehicles, consumer goods and services, household items, communication technologies, display systems, sports equipment and anything else they can imagine.

Career opportunities for Product Design and Technology graduates will be in roles such as Design Consultant, In-House Designer, Manufacturing Technologist with design capability or Designer with technological capability.

Watch our video here for a taste of this course

Course code: LM076 Level: NFQ Level 8 major Award Honours Bachelor Degree Length: 4 Years CAO points: 420 Course leader: Dermot McInerney Email: schoolofdesign@ul.ie Tel: 061 202638



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