

# ATU NEWSLETTER

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## CAO Hub

The ATU CAO Hub is packed full of information on programmes, supports, clubs and societies, sport, student life, accommodation and lots more.

Visit [atu.ie/cao](https://atu.ie/cao) for more information.

## Open Days

There is nothing quite like spending a day experiencing university life before you even get started.

Open days are a great way to meet lecturers, staff and current students. [atu.ie/opendays](https://atu.ie/opendays)



Event	Date
ATU Mayo Open Day	13th March, 2024
ATU Connemara Open Day	23rd March, 2024
ATU Galway City Open Day (Dublin Road & Wellpark Road campuses)*	13th April, 2024
ATU Sligo & ATU St Angelas Open Day	20th April, 2024
ATU Mountbellew Open Day	27th April, 2024
ATU Donegal Open Evening	2nd May, 2024



## FREE Leaving Certificate Revision Courses

ATU is delighted to offer a suite of free Leaving Certificate Revision courses again this year. There are a variety of subjects available, some of which are offered on a particular campus, some are offered online. Visit [atu.ie/leaving-cert-revision-sessions](https://atu.ie/leaving-cert-revision-sessions) for more information.

## Project WAVE

ATU is proud to announce an inclusive programme for students with intellectual disabilities, available to study at multiple campuses across the ATU region. Applications will open on April 15<sup>th</sup> 2024 for September 2024 start. Visit [atu.ie/wave](https://atu.ie/wave) for more.



## Scholarships

ATU offers a wide range of scholarships for both undergraduate and postgraduate students. Scholarships allow our students to focus on achieving excellence in their field while also allowing them to build valuable relationships and enhance their career prospects. To see the wide range of scholarships available across ATU visit [atu.ie/scholarships](https://atu.ie/scholarships)

## ATU Sports Scholarship Applications are Open

ATU Sports Scholarship applications are now open. The ATU Sports Scholarship programme provides supports to talented student athletes to recognise their need to balance both sporting and academic commitments.

ATU award Sports Scholarships across a wide range of sports. Interested students can make an application or find more information at the [atu.ie/scholarships](https://atu.ie/scholarships)



## SciFest 2024 at Atlantic Technological University

Applications for SciFest 2024 are now open. SciFest provides a platform for students to present projects, fostering a love for STEM and encouraging creativity and critical thinking. SciFest is free to enter and open to all second-level students. SciFest will take place at ATU on the following dates:

- **Sligo Campus** – Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> of May 2024
- **Galway City Campus** – Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> of May 2024
- **Donegal Campus** – Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> of May 2024

Entry forms must be submitted before **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> of March 2024**. For more information or to submit an entry, [please visit the SciFest Webpage](#)

## Empowering students with boundless opportunities: ATU Civil Engineering Apprenticeship

ATU's new Civil Engineering Apprenticeships, [Higher Certificate](#) and [Bachelor of Engineering](#) offers a unique blend of providing students with hands-on experience while simultaneously earning a wage. The apprenticeships will be delivered by ATU Sligo and Galway City Campus in September 2024. Contact [civilapprenticeships.sligo@atu.ie](mailto:civilapprenticeships.sligo@atu.ie) for more information.



## ATU Postgraduate Information Events

Atlantic Technological University invites undergraduates seeking educational advancement, those desiring a return to education, and industry professionals aiming to enhance their skills to the upcoming Postgraduate Information events 'Study Your Masters, Your Way at ATU', held across four ATU campuses. The remaining dates in the series are:



- **Donegal Letterkenny Campus** - Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> of March 2024, 4pm – 6pm
- **Sligo Campus** – Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> of April 2024, 4pm – 6pm

For more information or to register, please visit [www.atu.ie/masters](http://www.atu.ie/masters)

## School or FE College Visits

The ATU Schools Liaison Team would love the opportunity to visit your School or FE College. Through an informative presentation, we can show your students all that ATU has to offer. Presentations are offered individually for ATU Galway-Mayo, ATU Donegal, ATU Sligo and ATU St Angelas.



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## Campus Tours

We offer campus tours throughout the year. A campus tour is ideal for students who are considering studying at ATU. Family and friends are also encouraged to come along on the tour. To book a campus tour or to take a virtual tour, please go to [atu.ie/cao](http://atu.ie/cao)

# ATU Campus Updates

## ATU Galway – Mayo

There are four remaining Open Days due to take place across the Galway / Mayo based campuses this year.

- ATU Mayo Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March
- ATU Connemara Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March
- ATU Galway City Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April (Both Dublin Road and Well Park Road)
- ATU Mountbellew Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April

For more information and to register for any open day, please visit [atu.ie/opendays](http://atu.ie/opendays)

## ATU Donegal

Join us on the Donegal Campus for an Open Evening on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> of May on the ATU Letterkenny Campus from 4pm – 7pm. For more information and to register for any open day, please visit [atu.ie/opendays](http://atu.ie/opendays)

## ATU Sligo and ATU St Angelas

### ATU Sligo and ATU St Angelas Open Days

The ATU Sligo and ATU St Angelas Open Days take place on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> of April from 10am to 1pm

The Open Day will include workshops and demonstrations, campus tours, opportunities to speak with academic and support staff, accommodation tours, information on transport providers, opportunities to speak with the students' union and current students, plus lots more. There will also be discount vouchers for a range of Sligo businesses to allow open day attendees to explore all that Sligo has to offer.

A free shuttle bus will also run between ATU Sligo and ATU St Angelas throughout the day.

For more information or to register, [please visit the Open Day Registration Page](#)

### Precision Engineering Bursary Awards

Congratulations to ATU Sligo students who were recently awarded financial bursaries from Abbott Nutrition, Avenue Mould Solutions (Nolato Group), Ophardt Hygiene Ireland, Prior PLM Medical and Ward Automation of a combined value of €3000.

The bursaries are provided to attract students to this specialist area of mechanical engineering, to help combat the huge skill shortages in the industry. Bursaries continue to be offered regularly, information on which will be provided to students when the application opportunities open. Visit [atu.ie/AU834](http://atu.ie/AU834) for more information.

