Quinnipiac in Ireland
Office of Global Engagement
University College Cork
2005 – Spring 2025



University College Cork

Video link





Student Digital Story:

- Cork, Ireland
- https://youtu.be/UQt_DpXzIGU



- ► The student population in is aprox 20,000
- Undergraduates aprox 12,578
- Postgraduates aprox 3,663
- Visiting aprox 1500 (Study Abroad/Erasmus)
- The UCC campus is noted for its mature well-wooded grounds containing several Californian Redwood trees. These form a splendid setting for the Gothic revival-style Main Quadrangle buildings, modeled on a typical Oxford college by the renowned Cork architect of the mid 19th century Sir Thomas Deane.
- The overall area of the main campus is forty-four acres, and is supplemented by further facilities nearby.
- The University's growing network of 114 student Clubs and Societies supports a vibrant student life: http://www.ucc.ie/en/current/clubs-socs/
- At one point The world's top tourist guide says the hot places to visit are Singapore, Vancouver, Sarajevo and Cork City - The Festival City

Facts About UCC!





WHY IRELAND?

- ▶ Voted 'best place to live in the world' due to security, freedom, family, community life, political stability, gender equality, income, health (The Economist)
- World's 5th best country for a long, healthy life, good education and good standard of living (Human Development Index)
- World's Friendliest Country (Lonely Planet)



WHY CORK?

- The 'city centre crackles with youthful energy... thanks in large part to award-wining University College Cork, which each year pumps out new ... life, enthusiasm and ideas into the city'
- Students study in a city which is 'sophisticated, vibrant and diverse' but retains 'its friendliness, relaxed charm and quick fire wit'
- Cork offers some of Ireland's 'most traditional and historical towns and villages dotted along its vast harbor





DISCOVER CORK

CORK

- ✓ Ireland's second city 300,000 pop small enough to really feel like university city
- European Capital of Culture 2005 art galleries, Opera House, theatres, café, restaurants, bookshops
- ✓ International festivals film, theatre, choral, jazz
- Just 3 hours by train to Dublin
- Gateway for West of Ireland tours
- International airport



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LONDON
PARIS
BARCELONA
AMSTERDAM

Eastern Europe

North Africa

GLANCE @ CORK/UCC



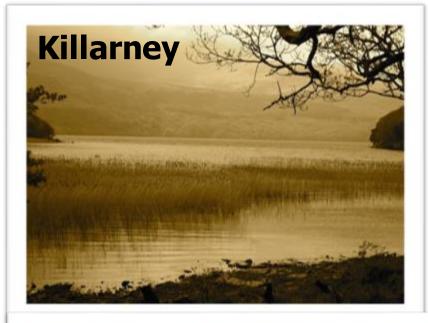




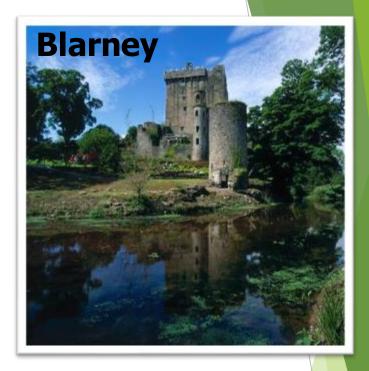




Places Near Cork City



























What a QU Students Said...

The Irish Culture is at a much slower pace then home....it gives me time to enjoy life and not be caught up in the hustle & bustle! - Student from Quinnipiac.



Resident Coordinator Mary Steele

Quinnipiac in Ireland



Graduate Student

Olivia Barrios Johnson





Mary Steele and UCC staff Visting QU in October 2024

Quinnipiac in Ireland



- ▶Office of Global Engagement policies governing semester-long study abroad are as follows:
- Students must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.00 at time of applying.
- ▶2. Students must not have any existing or pending conduct sanctions. Students with a conduct sanction or who have one placed on them after being accepted to study abroad must submit a Request for Waiver of Conduct Clearance. In special circumstances, QU may grant permission to study abroad in its sole discretion.
- Conduct Waivers can be found on the Study Abroad Portal when filling out your application forms.

What do I pay to study abroad Spring 25 Ireland?

Total:\$36,370

Program Inclusions (May vary from year to year)

- QU Tuition/Fees and Standard Room
- Single rooms with single bathrooms inside or outside the room. 1 token for Laundry Wash and Dry per week
- Bed linen on arrival
- Kitchen fully stocked with pans, glasses and silverware
- Transportation to and from the arrival and departure Irish airports on predetermined dates
- 24-hour access to an on-site Resident Coordinator
- Quinnipiac On-Site Orientation in addition to the UCC Orientation
- Family Farm Visit!
- Admission to Blarney Castle, Old Jail
- Farewell Celebration Dinner
- All University bells and whistles...pool, gym. clubs, societies, etc... http://www.mardykearena.com/



Students who receive financial assistance at QU may apply their financial aid for study abroad, including federal aid, state grants, college grants and scholarships.

Extra fees that the student will be responsible for, not limited to: Est- \$5000-\$7000 Meals

Insurance

Airfare

Immigration card on arrival

Transportation to and from JFK

Transportation around cork city

Leisure travel

Souvenirs

Extra bedding toiletries and supplies

Academic materials

Change fees regarding any adjustments made in flight departure from Ireland

Semester Important Dates QU orientation January 6th -9th 2025

Spring semester 2025 (semester 2)

- Orientation (Mandatory): Thursday 9th and Friday 10th January 2025
- Spring Semester Dates: Monday 13th January Friday 4th April 2025
- Easter Recess: Saturday 5th April Sunday 20th April 2025
- Study Review Week: Monday 21st April Thursday 24th April 2025
- Final Examinations: Friday 25th April Friday 9th May 2025



UCC Courses

Book of Modules at UCC:
https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/modules-visiting-student/

QU Past Course Equivalencies https://educationabroa d.qu.edu/index.cfm?Fus eAction=Programs.View ProgramAngular&id=391 49

Flight Information **subject to change slightly

- Departure will be Monday January 6th 2025
- Depart Ireland: Saturday May 10th 2025
- Students will book flight, once we send details in the Fall. Avg cost around \$1,000-1200





IMPORTANT INFO

- Due to housing capacity/restrictions in Cork
- Spring numbers will be capped between 35-40
- Program lottery will be used if students' numbers are higher than 40.
- BIO212 will be offered in Spring online with QU and onsite with UCC



Wellness Weekend



FEBRUARY 23-25

SAVE THE DATE

This weekend is all about checking in with yourself, with each other, with Mary and with the QU staff coming to spend time with you in your beautiful new home! You don't want to miss these off the beaten path activities in and around Cork which also allow us to care for you this weekend!







Friday

FEBRUARY 23

10am Chat & Chomp: reconvene
with UCC staff and resources over

Self Care: Spill the Tea: activity and check in, what is going well, how can we help you thrive? with LUNCH

12:50 pm Balleymalloe Cookery School: tour of the grounds, learn about the school, get a cooking lesson and then hands-on cooking opportunity and family dinner.

LINK TO COOKERY SCHOOL

Saturday

FEBRUARY 24 **10am Chi in the park:** outdoor tai chi lesson in Fitzgerald park Green Frog pop in

12:30pm Yoga Nidra Meditation & Rest
1:45pm lunch at Glucksman

3:00pm Art Walk & labyrinth walk

4:00pm Cork Storytellers traditional Irish storytelling group at Al Spailpan Fanach pub Sunday

FEBRUARY 25

9am Ballyvourney day trip: visit a Gaeltacht village in southwest County Cork traditional Irish mass with all men's choir Irish dance lesson

hurling lesson
forest bathing walk to holy wells
do "the measure" of St Gobanit
local musical group performances
dinner at Top of Coom - highest
pub in Ireland

breakfast,tea/snack and dinner

<u>TOP</u>OF COOM LINK

Details to follow on the exact times and meeting locations.

Bus provided to both Ballymalooe and Ballyvourney

And LOTS OF FOOD all weekend!

QU APP LINK
Deadline May 1st 2024



UCC APP LINK
Completed in Fall 2024



FACEBOOK GROUP



