

SOCIETIES

End of Year Report

2018/2019



GiG Soc Win Best Society in Ireland at the BICS Awards

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Societies Officer Foreword

This was another successful year for the societies as can be seen from the statistics below and also in the sheer volume of activity which can be found described in the pages of this report. In this report we have included the societies' leadership report which demonstrates the skills gained by the committee members and how societies contribute to campus life. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the team in the SocsBox for their hard work and dedication in supporting the 1069 committee members this year and also the members of the University Societies Coordination Group for their support in always guarding the interest of the societies. Plus the numerous allies both on and off campus who work with us each year to ensure that the students in NUI Galway have a stimulating, diverse and culturally rich student experience.

The Alive Certificate incorporating the Society Leadership Award, The Employability Award, the Society Digital Badges and the Annual Society Awards are all ways that we acknowledge and thank the committee members for their tireless dedication to their societie work. We were delighted this year to also win two awards at the BICS Natonal Society Awards for our LGBTQ+ society GIG Soc who won Best Society and for our AMSI and Paediatric Societies who jointly won best event for 'Healthy Heroes'. The Societies were also successful this year in winning many other awards at national and international level.

However the true measure of success and the true rewards are in the doing, the challenges of dreaming a dream and seeing if you can make it come true, not just for yourself and your committee but for your members and the campus as a whole. The triumphs and the abysmal failures are of equal importance, the bravery of taking a chance and knowing that it is as much in our successes as in our failures we learn and grow. We set ths societies a task at the start of the year to set goals and to think about what they they hope to achieve and how they intend to achieve it and at the end of the year we ask them to reflect on this. Over the last number of years we have developed an IT support system second to none, our resources from our new kitchen to our dedicated creative spaces, our new audio engineering course, the new social spaces and the appointment of a Society Health & Safety and Technical Support Officer are all part of the strategic plan to give the students the tools to expand their horizons and aspire to greatness. The job of those of us who work with societies and support them is to give them the wings but it they that soar.

Enjoy the report, read, in their own words, what mattered to them and how much they contribute to the tapestry of our University and the potential they have to be future leaders in the world.

Society Members	Committee members	Number of Events excluding committee meetings posted to the calendar	Total Expenditure	Money Given to Charity	Committee Members received Digital Badges	Number of Societies who completed the report
13,951	1069	2951	€739,764	€82,063	454	109
% Achieved Personal Goals	Society Alive Certs Awarded	Hours Volunteered by ALIVE participants	Employability Award Recipients	% that learnt a new skill	% of funds generated by societies	% of survey respondants who considered leaving college who were helped by societies
84%	387	54,067	66	70%	79%	55%

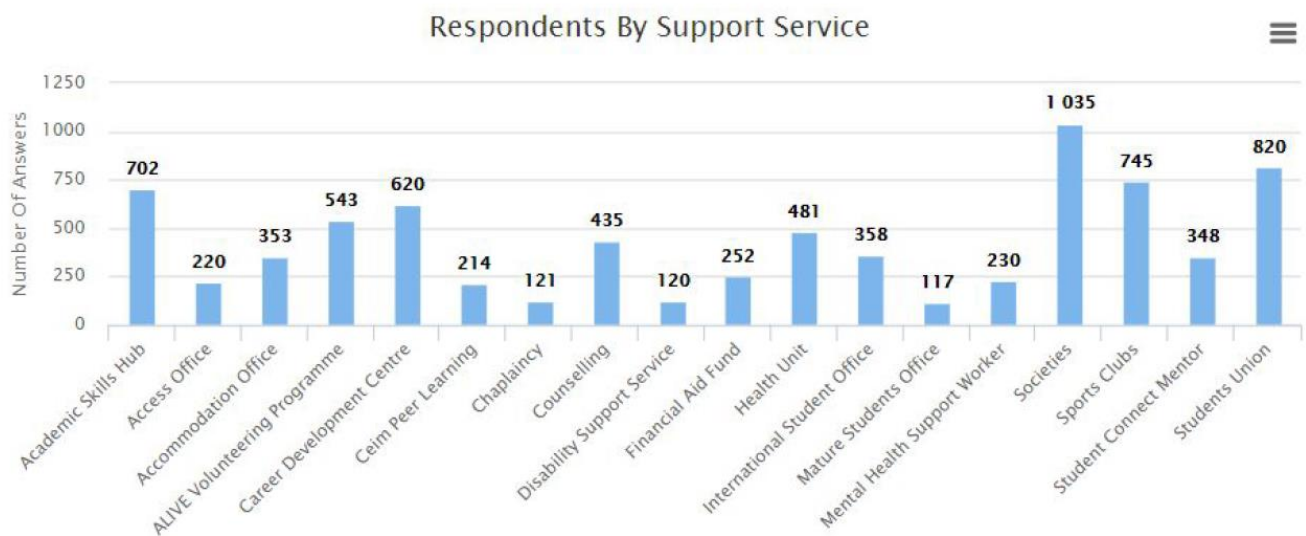
Societies Leadership Report 2018/19

Societies the popular choice.

80.5% of Students who completed the Success Quiz, (1160 students completed the quiz), expressed interest in Societies. It was also the most popular choice with 1035 choosing it from the support services. This was borne out by the high numbers becoming members on Societies Day. 13,951 students were members of societies this year. With 1200 of them holding positions on society committees.

I Hope to Join Societies in College

Scale	I hope to join societies in college.	
1	21	1.81%
2	67	5.78%
3	139	11.98%
4	335	28.88%
5	598	51.55%
Grand Total	1160	



How to get the Leadership Award

The Society Leadership Award

This is an add on to the ALIVE Cert, The society must be eligible.

Society Eligibility requires:

- The society must create a Mission statement and goals at the start of the year.
- 4 committee members (need to have their personal goals set at the start of the year)
- The society need to have held at least 8 events this year.
- The society must have 100 members

Personal Eligibility Requires

- Committee members must answering your first question (setting personal goals)
- Completed their end of year reflection in the leadership section in your dashboard.
- Completing the short Leadership survey
- Attending training or completed an on-line training module in Blackboard.
- Apply to do the ALIVE cert in yourspace.nuigalway.ie

Committee members were also eligible for **Digital Badges**, if they had completed all the steps above but had not applied for an ALIVE Cert.

What the committee members had to say about their experience in Societies.

The comments have anonymised

‘Being the auditor of the society this year was very rewarding for me. I learned a lot of new things that will benefit me both in life and in the workplace. I learned how to deal with different types of people and how to handle certain situations both good and bad. There were a lot of triumphs this year for us as a society. I am very proud of where we've come to be, and the reputation we've built as a society, regardless of the challenges we had this year. I am very proud of the committee we had this year as everyone brought something different to the table. We had very strong people on the committee and I feel that is what added to the triumph of the committee this year. I feel like we had a great impact on the students of the lower years (1st and 2nd), as they looked up to us as role models, and we were there for them to talk and have a bit of fun in the society when things got a bit tough for them.’

‘When we took over the society, I felt really driven to make something of what was once an incredible society. We wanted to regain the trust of the general student body and staff and encourage everyone to explore new skills. I have learned an incredible amount about the importance of my role as treasurer and the responsibility it holds and hope to continue to learn with the challenges of the coming year. I am so grateful to have this opportunity and look forward to everything we have planned for the future.’

‘I learnt a lot as a part of the society this year. I learnt how to work as a team to put together successful events. I learned how to communicate with new members and how to get them engaged. I also learned how to manage my time more efficiently. I really enjoyed our events as I took on important roles in running them and they turned out extremely successful. These events increased our engagement and it was nice to see members reappear at other events later on in the year. Finding times that suited most of the committee for committee meetings was a challenge but this was overcome by communicating important information through our WhatsApp group when needed and attending meetings whenever possible.’

'I am very proud of what myself and the committee have achieved with the society this year. I think we have grown the society and made it more inclusive, and produced some of the biggest shows the society has ever done. The standard of theatre we have produced has been so high and all of our events have been so successful, our members have been so involved and have thoroughly enjoyed everything we have done this year. Personally, I have gained invaluable leadership skills from.. My interpersonal, organisational and teamwork skills have grown massively and I have enjoyed the experience whole-heartedly. I have made some of my fondest college memories and friends for life through being a part of this committee.'

'Being a member of this society gave me an outlet to get involved in planning and organising various events that I enjoyed, and also gave me more confidence in decision making.'

'I learnt how to lead a committee which is a position I usually shy away from. It was an amazing opportunity to develop myself as an individual preparing to take on the world of work which I am grateful to have experienced. My time management, organisation and communication skills greatly improved in the process. The challenge is ensuring all members played an equal role in organising the event and communicating with outside members that were to be involved on the night.'

'We, as a society, have gone above and beyond the aims we set above for the year and have faced every challenge with professionalism and grace. We hope to continue the success as we go on in our lives. I personally feel I achieved all the goals I set for myself as auditor and believe the skills I have achieved will be beneficial to my day to day and professional life.'

'I made so many new friends, improved my communication skills and got to work with so many existing friends in the society. I believe I inspired younger members to become more involved with the society and to push themselves creatively. After 6 years of being involved with the society I feel as though I have left the society in a better position for future generations to come.'

'I have achieved many of the goals I personally set out for this year. I have learned to delegate and have hugely increased my leadership skills. I have also learned the importance of organisation, both for people and events. This year we have hosted new events that this society has never done before and that was a huge goal of mine and so I am very proud of that'

'I think we were able to create an open space, in which many people from completely different backgrounds could come together. Apart from screenings, we had controversial and highly interesting discussion and games nights to socialise, discuss and share our passion. Additionally, we had many interesting and fun special events.'

'Overall, I think the whole experience was a success! The process is definitely time consuming but rewarding. I think for a society to be run correctly requires input from the entire committee, even though each person is in-charge of their specific role, it's nice having regular meetings where all present can have input into the running of the soc outside of their little sphere in it. I enjoyed my time on the committee and would like to think I made some friends along the way!'

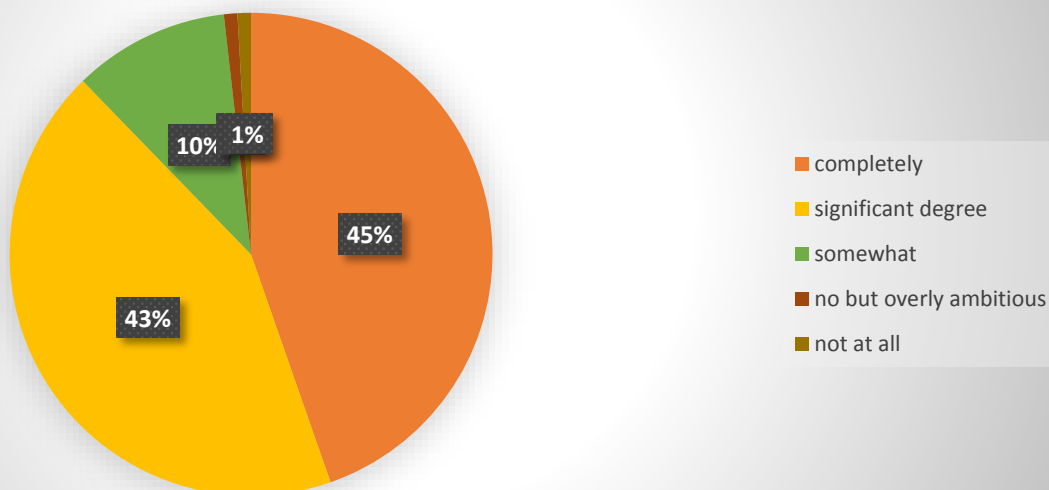
'Being the Auditor of this society has been one of the most challenging things I have ever done. That said, it has also been one of the best things I have done and something I am very proud of. I have grown personally in my leadership skills, interpersonal relationships, and professional abilities. I am proud of the change that I have seen in the ethos of the society and the care and commitment that the committee members have shown.'

Leadership Survey Results

Empowering Students – The Role of Societies

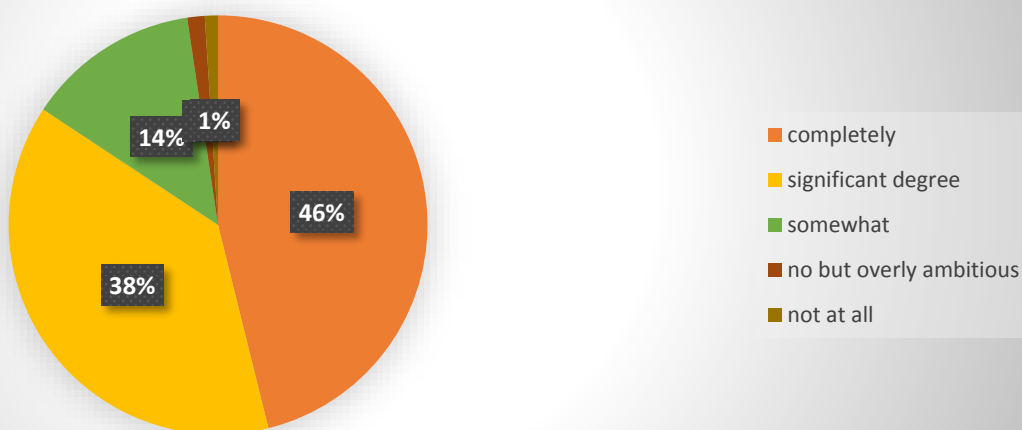
84%, 893 of the 1069 committee members completed the survey at the end of the year. Of these 88% believed that their society had either completely or to a significant degree achieved their goals. 84% believed they had completely or to a significant degree achieved their personal goals.

Did your society achieve its goals?



completely	To a significant degree	somewhat	no but overly ambitious	not at all
45%	43%	10%	1%	1%

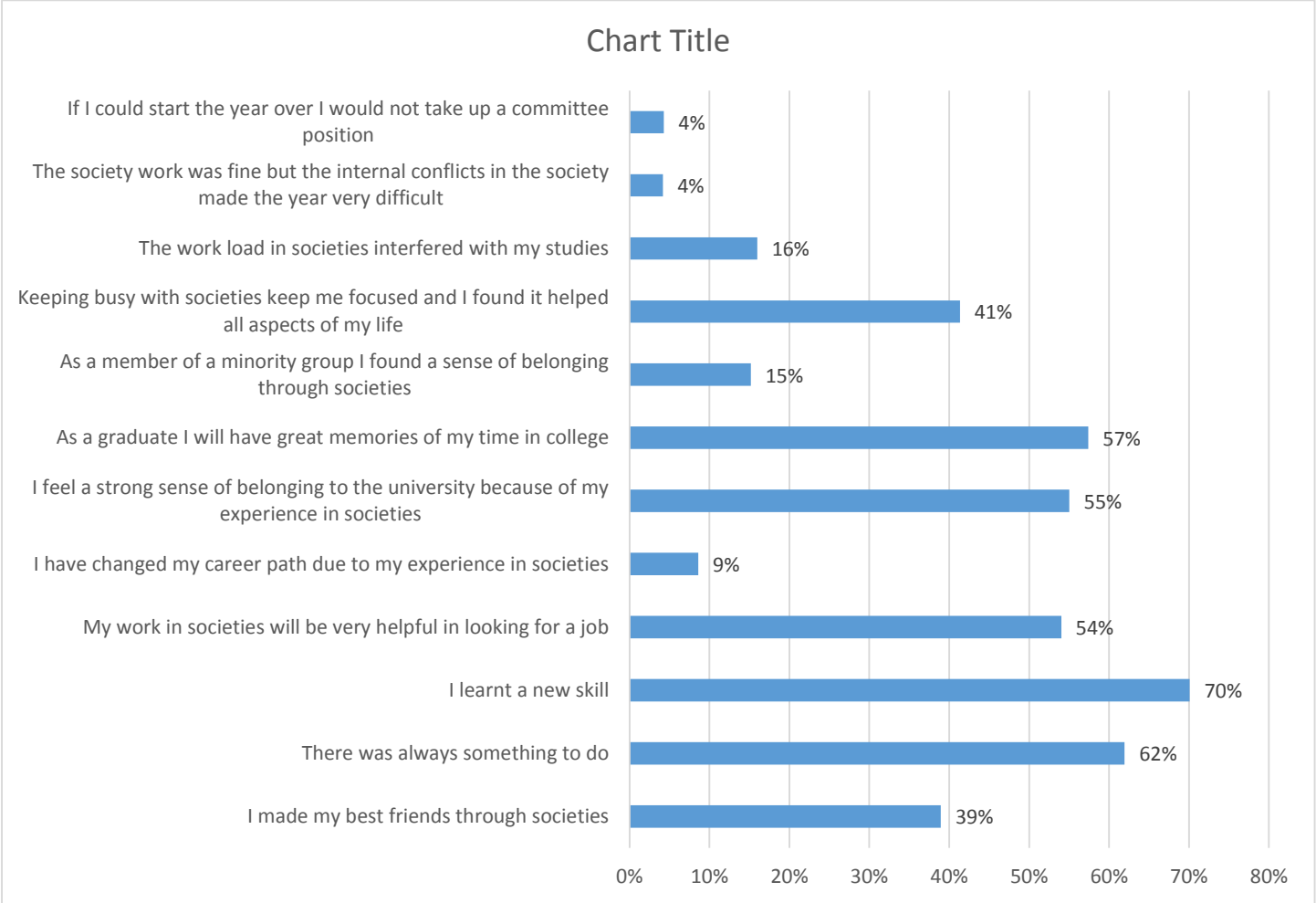
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completely	significant degree	somewhat	no but overly ambitious	not at all
46%	38%	13%	1%	1%

Belonging, Friendship, Purpose, Self-Actualisation

Societies gave committee members a sense of belonging and helped them to get through difficulties and stay in college. Societies will also help them find a job and give them great memories on NUI Galway. 70% learnt a new skill, 57% made great memories and 55% had a sense of belonging because of societies. 39% made their best friends through societies. 54% believe their work in societies will help in their search for a career. 9% changed their career path due to societies. While 64% were kept busy with all there was to do and 41% found it helped in all aspects of their life 16% felt it interfered with their studies. 15% as a member of a minority group found a sense of belonging through societies. Only 4% found internal conflict to be a problem and 4% wished they had not joined a committee.

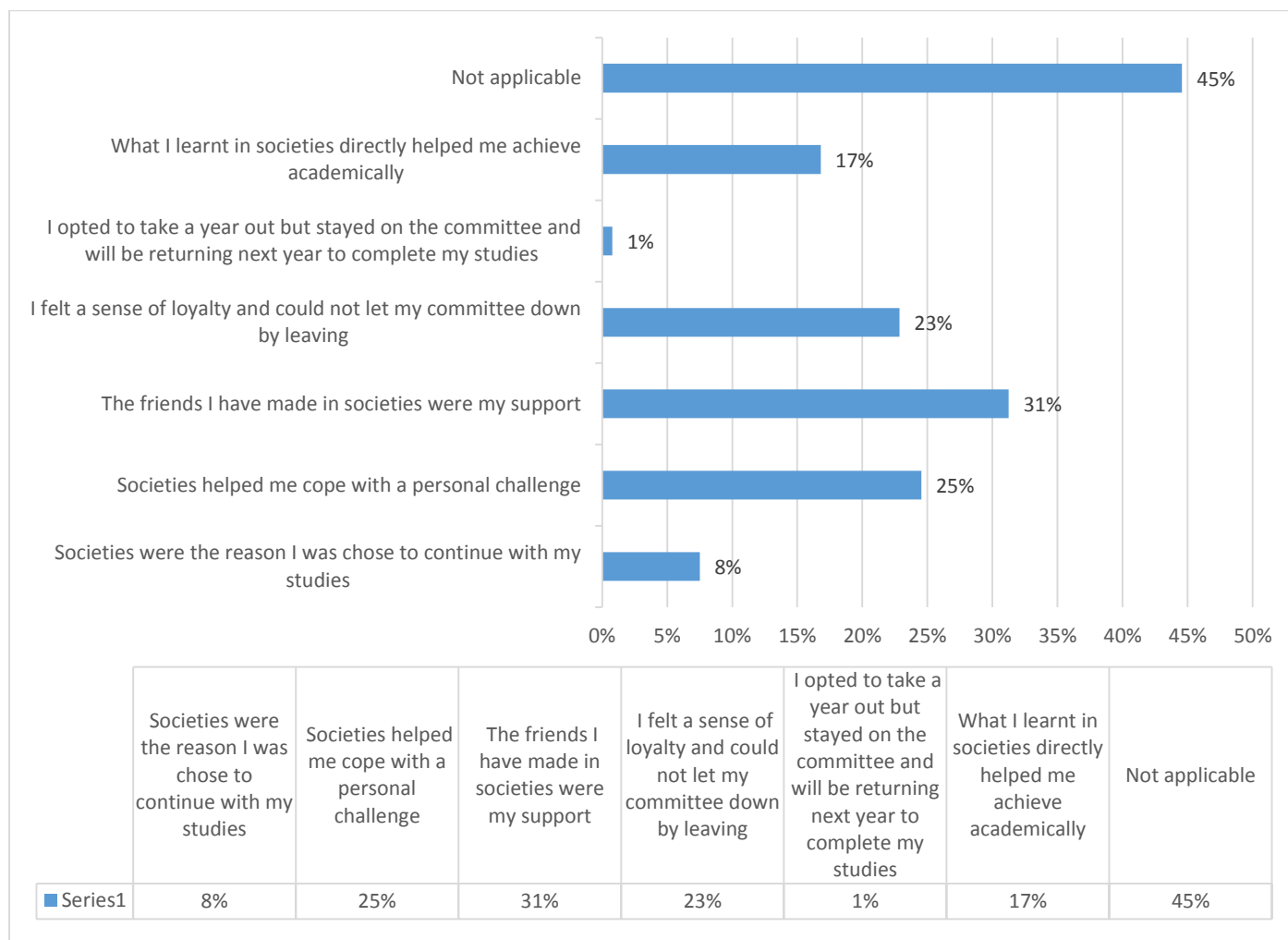


I made my best friends through societies	There was always something to do	I learnt a new skill	My work in societies will be very helpful in looking for a job	I have changed my career path due to my experience in societies	I feel a strong sense of belonging to the university because of my experience in societies	As a graduate I will have great memories of my time in college	As a member of a minority group I found a sense of belonging through societies	Keeping busy with societies keep me focused and I found it helped all aspects of my life	The work load in societies interfere d with my studies	The society work was fine but the internal conflicts in the society made the year very difficult	If I could start the year over I would not take up a committee position
39%	62%	70%	54%	9%	55%	57%	15%	41%	16%	4%	4%

Societies Aid Retention

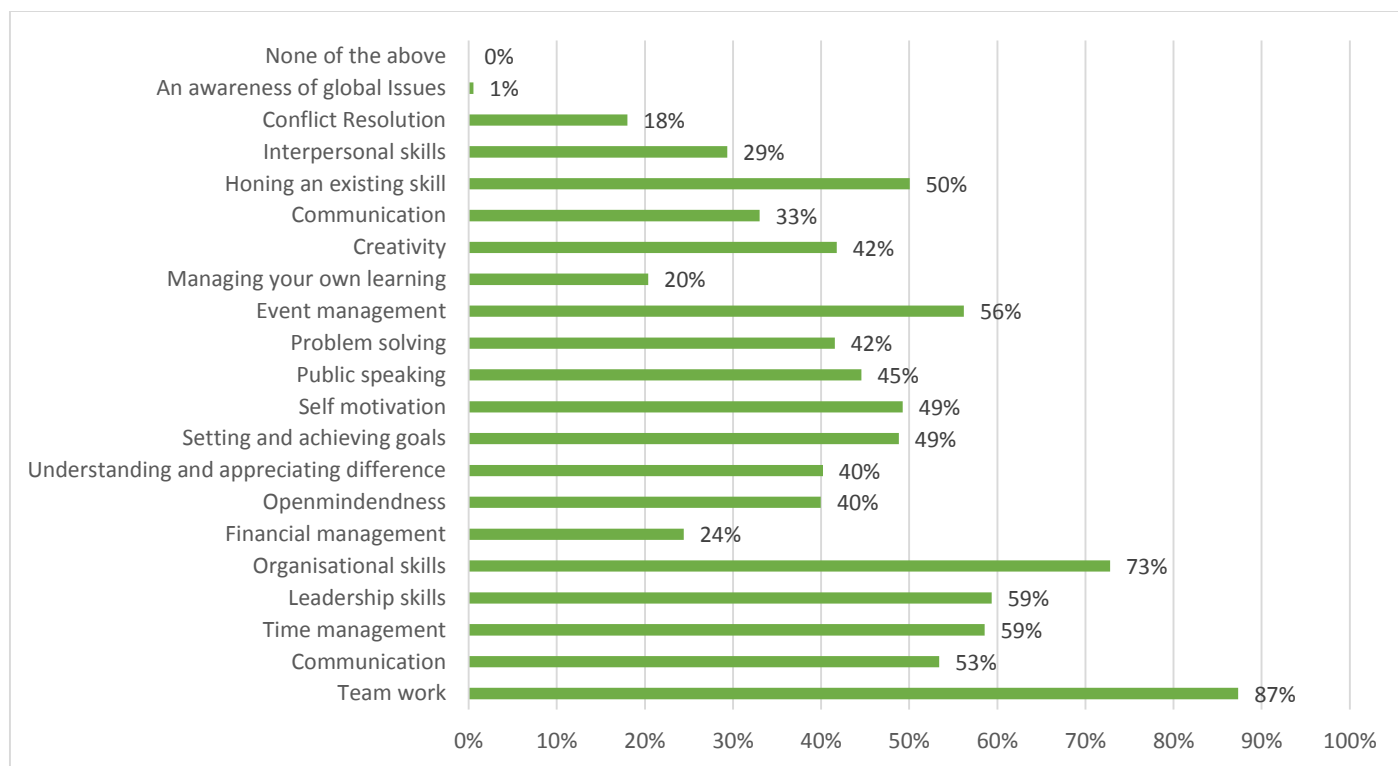
Question: *If at any stage during the year you contemplated leaving the college or felt yourself under significant pressure personally or academically to what degree did your involvement in societies help you cope?*

55% of students had contemplated leaving college. Societies helped students in times of difficulty, 31% of these said their friends in societies were their support. 25% of these said societies helped them cope with a personal challenge and 23% said it was their sense of loyalty to the committee that kept them in college. 8% attributed their reason for staying to societies.



Skills for life and to help create healthy campus.

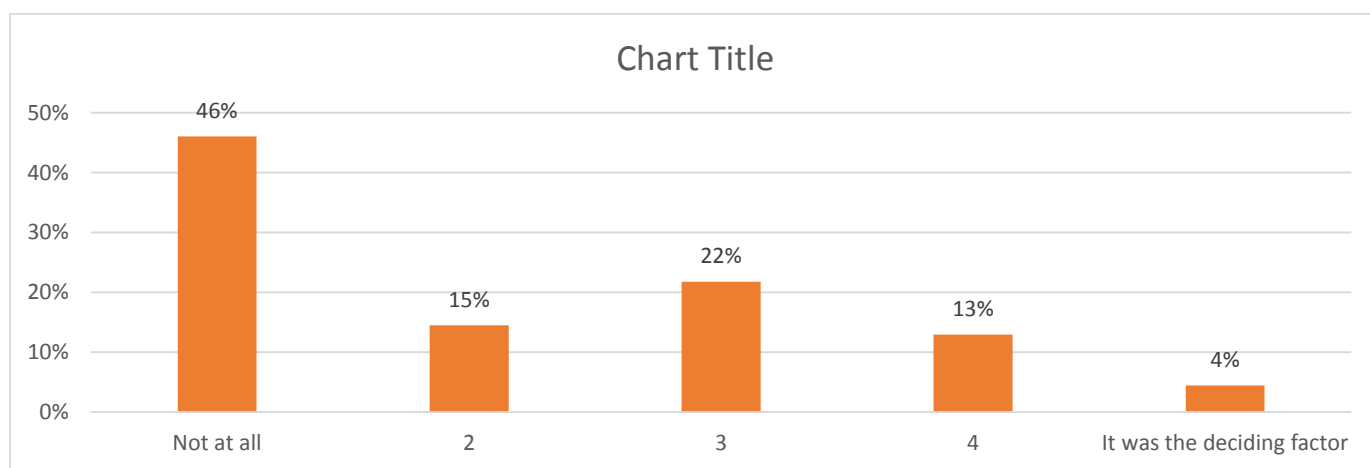
Committee members learnt a wide variety of vital life skills, the top five were Team Work (87%) Organisational skills (73%) Time Management (59%) Leadership Skills (59%) and Event management (56%) all skills needed for success booth in their careers and life. Happily 0% had learnt none of the above. As well as learning by doing and from more experienced committee members, the Societies Office offers society training workshops through the year and training modules through Blackboard in all aspects of running a society. In addition the staff in the SocsBox are on hand to help as required, so learning opportunities are available through the year.



Societies Help Students Choose NUI Galway

Question: Prior to enrolling in NUI Galway, did your knowledge of societies in NUI Galway influence you choice of college in any way?

17% of students were influenced by Societies to choose NUI Galway. For 40 (4%) committee members' societies were the deciding factor in choosing NUI Galway and for 116 (13%) more it strongly influenced their choice. Societies run numerous school outreach programmes throughout the year which may contribute to this phenomenon.



Society Leadership Recipients as part of their ALIVE Certificate

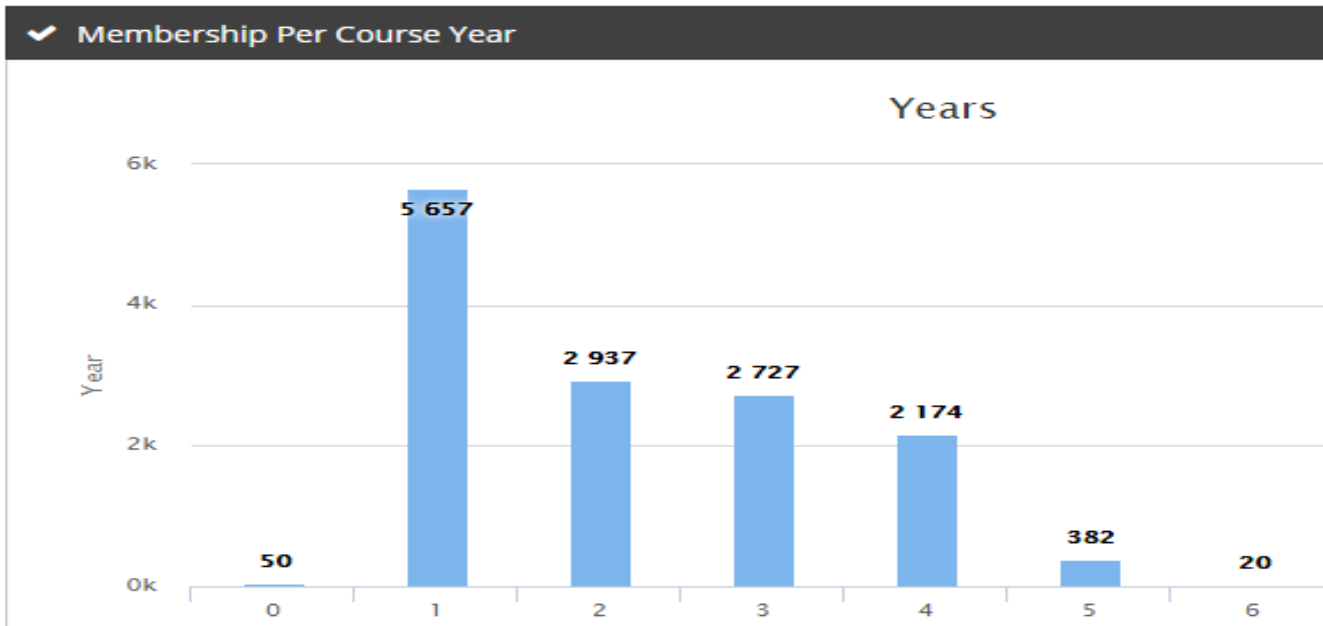
To receive the award their society had to be eligible, they had to attend society training, set goals, complete an end of year reflection and complete their ALIVE application. 68 students achieved this award and 454 committee members received their society leadership digital badge.

Aedin	O'Keeffe	Medicine Soc - Vice-Auditor
Aidan	Casey	Finance Society - Vice-Auditor
Alison	Levy	ZooSoc - OCM
Amey	Joshi	India Soc - Events Manager
Amy	Barrett	Writers Group Soc - Auditor
Amy	O'Reilly	Musical Society (GUMS) - Outreach Officer
Anna	Carroll	Lit & Deb - Treasurer
Annelise	Garrison	Baking Soc - Baking Assistant
Anuradha	Kar	Photography Soc India Soc - OCM
Aoife	O'Shaughnessy	Anime and Manga Society - Convention Director
Aparna	Pandey	ISS International Students Society - Events Manager India Soc - Auditor
Aran	Deely	Finance Society - Secretary
Austin	Curran	Physics Soc - Secretary
	Ayyalusamy Seenivasa	
Balaji	Raghavan	India Soc - Public Relations Officer
Bellvina	Obi	African Caribbean Society - Events Manager
Bernard	Boateng	Chemistry Soc - Ordinary Committee Member PENZA - Auditor
Caoimhe	Culhane	Energy Society - Auditor
Caolan	McManus	Time Lord Society - OCM
Caroline	Dix	Time Lord Society
Catherine	Higgins	Orchestra Soc
Charlene	Rodriguez	Anime and Manga Society - PRO
Ciara	O'Neill	Cheerleading Society - Secretary
Clodagh	Ryan	Slainte Soc. - Fundraising Officer 2
Colm	Kirke	Trad Soc - Auditor
Conor	McGovern	Compsoc - Systems Administrator & Chairperson
Dhaval	Salwala	ISS International Students Society - OCM
Donal	O'Dalaigh	Trad Soc - Events Manager
Eilish	Murray	Choral Soc - Public Relations Officer
Emmet	Lowry	Enactus - Chairperson
Ferdia	O'Headhra	Potter Soc - Secretary
Hasan	Ashraf	Islamic Society - OCM Pakistani Society - Auditor
		Mature Students Health Care Society - Nursing Representative VegSoc - Treasurer
Hector	Belmonte	
Jackson	Dsouza	India Soc
Jeromine	Schmidt	G-eos - 4th year Rep
Joe	Noonan	Circus Soc
John	Devaney	Trad Soc - Vice-Auditor/Treasurer Finance Society - Treasurer
Joshua	Mwenya	Anime and Manga Society - Vice Safety Officer
Karolina	Zimkowska	Biomedical Science - Auditor
Kate	Wylie	Circus Soc - Auditor
Laura	Britton	Organic Gardening Society - Auditor
Lauren	Walsh Foody	GiGSoc (Gay In Galway) - PRO
Lisa	O'Neill	St. Vincent de Paul - OCM
Marcus	Brownly-Otiede	African Caribbean Society - Auditor

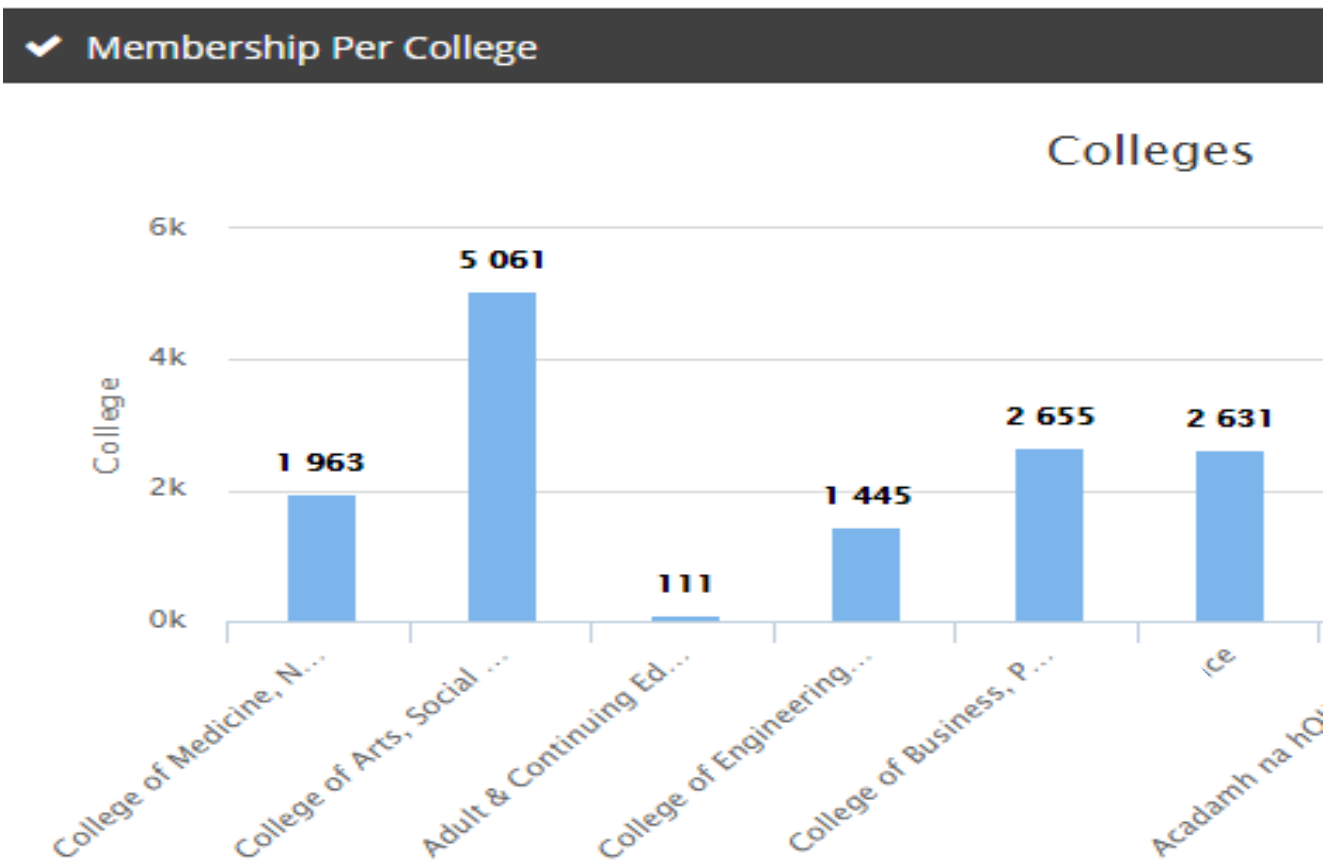
Megan	McLoughlin	Time Lord Society - Auditor
Michael	Murphy	Dramsoc - Treasurer
		Mature Students - Ordinary Committee Member Students for Sensible Drug Policy SSDP - OCM Irish Sign Language - Auditor Minceirs Whiden - O.C.M
Michelle	Mitchell	
Natasha	Lyne	Health Care Society - Treasurer
Owen	Higgins	Astronomy Society - Auditor
Pallavi	Soni	India Soc - OCM
Protim	Ganguly	India Soc - Treasurer
		ZooSoc - Ordinary Committee Member Musical Society (GUMS - Production Team
Raymond	Fox	
Raza	Abbas Syed	Health Care Society - Secretary
Rishabh	Jain	Pakistani Society - PRO
Robert	Naughton	Musical Society (GUMS - Events Officer
Sarah	Corsini	Failte Refugees Society - Secretary
Sarah	Smyth	Trad Soc - OCM
Shane	Molamphy	St. Vincent de Paul - Auditor
Shruti	Agarwal	India Soc - Trips Officer
		ISS International Students Society - Secretary AMSI Society - Local Officer for Professional Exchanges - Incoming
Sian	McGarel	ISS International Students Society - Auditor Business Analytics - Public Relations Officer
Siddhant	Mohapatra	
Silvia	Gigante	Potter Soc - Treasurer
Simran	Kalra	India Soc - Media Officer
Sonali	Raut	Business Analytics - Auditor
Steffi	Dsouza	India Soc - OCM
Storm	Mc Donald	Marine Soc - Safety Being ZooSoc
Taylor	Murphy	Health Care Society
Way Hinn	Chong	Medicine Soc - Treasurer
Zhen Xiang	Soo	Malaysian Society - Public Relations Officer Business Analytics - Treasurer

Societies Membership Report

A new IT development this year is creating detailed membership reports based on year and course. Total individual student membership this year is 13,951 which is an increase of 2,623 members on last year.



Membership numbers by year



Membership by College

Societies Balance Sheet - 2018/2019

Societies Balance Sheet - 2018/2019					
INCOME			EXPENDITURE		
Income	Amount		Expenditure Category	Amount	
Ecommerce	€63,380.14	8.57%	Account Closed	€100.00	0.01%
Fundraising	€77,264.57	10.44%	Affill/Mem fees	€680.00	0.09%
Hoodies	€705.00	0.10%	Apparel	€6,475.14	0.87%
Members	€19,891.96	2.69%	Arts Office	€43.88	0.01%
Socs box Till	€135,877.50	18.37%	Ball	€161,483.84	21.65%
Socs Till	€2,981.35	0.40%	Bank charge	€7,257.42	0.97%
Socs Till Refund	€415.00	0.06%	Costumes	€6,289.06	0.84%
Sponsorship	€88,217.88	11.93%	Dinner/Food	€75,084.16	10.07%
Ticket Sales	€193,538.43	26.16%	Entertainment	€45,386.95	6.09%
USC Grant	€157,492.46	21.29%	Entry fees	€22,238.52	2.98%
			Equipment misc	€19,845.05	2.66%
			Fundraising / Charity	€82,063.62	11.00%
			Garda Vetting	€200.00	0.03%
			Gifts	€2,733.33	0.37%
			Hall hire	€8,811.00	1.18%
			Hire Bus	€18,662.45	2.50%
			Hoodies	€5,596.83	0.75%
			Lights	€3,177.47	0.43%
			Makeup/Props	€5,563.94	0.75%
			Materials	€15,571.66	2.09%
			Non Alcoholic Refresh	€2,979.07	0.40%
			Performing rights	€7,513.85	1.01%
			Postage	€318.17	0.04%
			Printing	€4,577.26	0.61%
			Prizes	€13,415.25	1.80%
			Promotions	€2,730.37	0.37%
			Phone	€0.00	0.00%
			Reception	€1,201.94	0.16%
			Scores	€259.66	0.03%
			Security	€2,640.85	0.35%
			Services Hired	€39,361.05	5.28%
			Set	€4,384.31	0.59%
			Society accomm	€46,732.18	6.27%
			Society transport	€77,960.53	10.45%
			Socs day expenses	€540.98	0.07%
			Sound	€8,302.85	1.11%
			Speaker accomm	€8,059.63	1.08%
			Speaker travel	€13,147.22	1.76%
			Stationary	€1,175.65	0.16%
			Teacher fees	€22,465.00	3.01%
			Training	€24.49	0.00%
			Vaccinations	€715.85	0.10%
			Video Hire	€8.99	0.00%
Income Total	€739,764.29		Expenditure Total	€745,779.47	
Opening Balance Total	€286,995.63		Closing Bank Balance Total	€280,815.69	
			Cash In Hand Total	€164.76	
Total	€1,026,759.92		Total	€1,026,759.92	

African Caribbean Society

The African Caribbean Society has continued to make a community for African and Caribbean minorities in the college. We have successfully created a safe environment for our members, where they can express themselves and speak their truth. We have strived to bring fun and entertaining events to create an escape for our members while educating them about African and Caribbean culture.



African Caribbean Society Events list (15 Individual Events)

MEET N' GREET: Social » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 19th September 2018

This Wednesday the 19th we are holding our first event: MEET N' GREET in AC202 on the Arts/Science Concourse @6pm. It's a great way for all the society members new and old to get to know each-other and to find out a bit of what we have planned for you guys this year.

Meet n' Greet: Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th September 2018

Games night/EGM: Social » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th October 2018

Hey guys we are having an EGM (roles up for grab are safety officer, liaison officer and PRO) and games night.

Go karting: Social » Galway, Galway City, Galway Go Karting Lisbaun business park » 09th October 2018

Djembe Drum Workshop: Workshops » SC200A Seminar Room » 22nd October 2018

Djembe drum workshop in collaboration with Music Soc.

MOVIE NIGHT!!! : Social » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 25th October 2018

As we are coming up to Halloween, we thought we'd get you in the spirit with a MOVIE NIGHT on Thursday the 25th of October in AC202 @7pm. THERE WILL BE PIZZA AND DRINKS PROVIDED!! Bring a friend!

HALLOWEEN PARTY!!! : Social » AC214 » 30th October 2018

WE ARE HAVING A HALLOWEEN PARTY IN COLLABORATION WITH GMIT!!

QUIZ NIGHT & EGM: Social » SC003 - THOMAS DILLON THEATRE » 15th November 2018

This week we are back with a Quiz night and EGM next Thursday the 15th of November at 6:30pm in the Thomas Dillion theatre on the arts/ science concourse. The roles up for grabs are PRO, Liaison Officer and Safety Officer, this is a great opportunity to for you guys to get involved in the committee and have a say!!

Acs Rumble: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 25th January 2019

Acs Rumble intervarsity competition between NUIG AIT SLIT and GMIT @ 6:30 pm in the Anderson lectures theatre this Friday the 25th.

Meet n great / mental health discussion: Social » IT204 » 30th January 2019

Mental health week discussion night and semester 2 meet n Greet is happening in IT 204 @6:30pm on Wednesday the 30th of January!!!!

Black history month Quiz: Social » IT204 » 13th February 2019

Sex Talk!!! : Social » IT204 » 20th February 2019

Battle of Sexes & EGM: Social » IT204 » 13th March 2019

Movie Night: Social » IT125G » 27th March 2019

Destress & AGM: Social » IT204 » 03rd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(10/10) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our society aims to provide an atmosphere where people of any ethnicity can come and appreciate the rich cultures of Africa and the Caribbean as well as provide a positive image of Africa and the Caribbean on campus.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to have gone on our first society trip this year. We hope to improve on the success of last years' Masquerade Ball

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society was successful in the way we were able to integrate people of different cultures in our events and also give new members such as first years a space where they can be free and get to know each other.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I believe our society achieved its goals despite incidents that occurred. We were able to come together as a team to portray African and Caribbean culture. Even though we weren't able to reach our goals financially, we still worked together effectively and did our best to put on events for all members to enjoy.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our Societies greatest success this year was being more involved with the first years, accommodating their needs and wants so that they can feel comfortable enough to talk to us about anything and hopefully encourage them to become committee members.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our Societies greatest challenge was trying to figure out what to do for our annual ball. We had to make several important group decisions regarding changing of dates, entertainment and the financing of the ball. After the ball, we were still faced with more challenges in terms of losses and incidents which we are still trying to recover from.

African Caribbean Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Christopher Okeke **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Marcus Brownly-Otiede **Position:** Auditor
Name: Bernita Williams **Position:** Secretary
Name: Bellvina Obi **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Tomi Nkwanyuo **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Miriam Olamijuwon **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Chidinma Olorunfemi **Position:** Society Adviser
Name: Oluwaseun Olorunfemi **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Roselyn Eyoessien **Position:** OCM
Name: Chideraa Nnaemeka **Position:** Societies Liaison Officer

African Caribbean Society Incoming Committee

Name: Mukhtar Alli **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Elizabeth Olukunle **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Taibou Ba **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Bethany Williams **Position:** Secretary
Name: Marcus Brownly-Otiede **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Bellvina Obi **Position:** Auditor
Name: Tomi Nkwanyuo **Position:** OCM
Name: Oluwaseun Olorunfemi **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Roselyn Eyoessien **Position:** OCM
Name: Chideraa Nnaemeka **Position:** Liason Officer

African Caribbean Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1 505 03	Ball	€1 325 04
Balls	€0 00	Bank charge	€39 70
Ecommerce Sales	€90 00	Dinner/Food	€526 19
Socs box Till	€500 00	Entertainment	€153 94
Ticket Sales	€735 00	Entry fees	€50 00
USC Grant	€1 220 50	Materials	€22 50
		Prizes	€13 44
		Returned Socs Money	€564
		Services Hired	€98
		Society transport	€77
		Socs day expenses	€30
		Expenditure Total	€2899 81
		Closing Bank Balance	€1150 72
Total	€4050 53	Total	€4050 53

Alive Certificate Recipients

Chidinma Olorunfemi	100 hrs	Society Adviser
Bernita Williams	200 hrs	Secretary
Tomi Nkwanyuo	300 hrs	Treasurer
Bellvina Obi	350 hrs	Events Manager
Marcus Brownly-Otiede	450 hrs	Auditor
Roselyn Eyoessien	40 hrs	OCM
Miriam Olamijuwon	375 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Oluwaseun Olorunfemi	36 hrs	Safety Officer
Total Hours 1851 Participants: 8		

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 561

Amnesty Society

Amnesty Society is the NUIG group affiliated with the International organisation Amnesty International. We promote awareness of human rights: primarily throughout the university. As well as campaigning on the issues of the day we are building a close knit network of students through fun events and activities. Our biggest event this year was Jamnesty which is a music event to raise funds for Amnesty.



Amnesty Society Events list (8 Individual Events)

EGM + pizza party: Social » IT 250 » 18th September 2018

Join us for the first event of the semester where we're electing a brand new committee and no party would be complete without pizza and falafels, so join the famnesty for great evening positions: vice auditor Event planner 4 ocms.

Who Killed Natacha? Documentary Screening: Film » AC204, The Concourse » 02nd October 2018

Join us for a documentary about the mysterious death of a human rights defender in Chechnya, and the corrupt government that may be covering up her death. Free popcorn and refreshments provided.

Amnesty Student Conference: Conference » Dublin, The Complex, » 20th October 2018

Join us for Amnesty's annual conference! We're going to Dublin for two activism fuelled days! We'll be meeting with other groups from across the country to discuss strategies, network and have a great time trying to fix the world. E-mail us at Amnesty@socs.nuigalway.ie for more information as spaces are limited.

Human Rights & Democracy in Bahrain Panel: Educational » Tyndall Theatre » 21st November 2018

Hey Famnesty! 🍷We have an excellent panel on current human rights issues lined up for you all! Come along for some educational discussion and perspectives on the current situation in Bahrain. This is a really important topic that isn't being discussed enough in international politics, so come for the exclusive first-hand accounts. The title of the panel is Human Rights, Democracy & Violations of Medical Neutrality in Bahrain. featuring guest speakers: - Alessia Caizzone from Americans for Democracy and Human Rights in Bahrain- Ebrahim Demestani from the Bahraini Nursing Association- Tom Collins, former president of the Royal College of Surgeons in Bahrain- Frontline Defenders- Braine Dooley, Senior Advisor at Human Rights First- the European Centre for Democracy and Human Rights. This event is collaboration between Amnesty Soc, Friends of MSF and International Students Soc. There will be a Q+A portion and refreshments afterwards too!

Jamnesty Arts and Crafts: Gatherings » Art Room » 28th January 2019

Join the amnesty for a little craft sesh in preparation for Jamnesty! We'll be painting, drawing, creating, and listening to tunes to get us all ready for the big day! See you then!!

JAMNESTY - Rave for Brave: Entertainment » Galway, 5-7 Bridge St, Galway, The Loft Venue » 30th January 2019

AMNESTY SOC x FEM SOC NUIG PRESENT: JAMNESTY: RAVE FOR BRAVE this year's show is all about female empowerment! Join us on the 30th of January @ The Loft for a stellar all female line up including: CELAVIEDEMAI DJ KARMA PJ AND MORE

TBA Tickets: https://socsbox.nuigalway.ie/index.php?route=product/product&path=80&product_id=301

EGM: Other » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 05th February 2019

Interested in getting more involved? Well there's no time like now! We're holding elections for an auditor and treasurer. Hope to see you there!

EGM: Other » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 18th February 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	4 Total society committee members	(5/4) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

- raise awareness on campus and highlight key issues that happen throughout the year in a simple and accessible way.
- be prompt with our campaigns and hold events as key issues come up

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- increase foot flow on our events
- raise more money for jamnesty
- make people aware that they don't have to be a committed member to make some change

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This year our society planned a fundraising event called Jamnesty and it was open to anyone who found interest in the event. This was a way to raise more money. With the event we made people aware that they don't have to be a committed member to make some changes.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I think this year was very hit and miss. We managed to pull off Jamnesty and we also were able to attract a little more interest than previous years. Yet I found that the committee faltered towards the end, which could be due to many reasons, but I feel like we fumbled at our peak.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I would definitely say Jamnesty, it was much easier to organise this year and we tried to do different things. Like getting other section of amnesty colleges involved, and although the plan didn't go as expected it was still great that we tried reaching out.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Most definitely raising morale within the committee, most of us are seniors and most of us have been active on the activism scene for a few years now, there was a strong sense that most of us were burning out. I take that on myself mostly as it's my job as auditor to try and raise moral and create a sense of relaxation in the committee. But in reality these things are much harder to do when real life gets in the way. In addition, it is quite hard to find that spark when you feel the same sensation your committee is feeling. So it felt like a never ending cycle of wanting to do a lot but not having any of the energy or headspace to do it.

Amnesty Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Rema Hamid **Position:** Auditor

Name: Kitty Ryan **Position:** PRO

Name: Hannah Mounir **Position:** OCM

Name: Olamide Jalaade **Position:** Events Manager

Amnesty Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,306.33	Bank charge	€75.06
Ecommerce Sales	€174.00	Dinner/Food	€75.93
Fundraising	€93	Fundraising	€50

		Materials	€10.65
Members Contributions	€6.30	Non Alcoholic Refresh Prizes	€50.00 €51
USC Grant	€1352.00	Society accomm	€210.50
Refund of Expenses	€0.70	Society transport	€42
		Speaker accomm Speaker Travel	€126.70 €91
		Expenditure Total	€782.84
		Closing Bank Balance	€2149.49
Total	€2932.33	Total	€2932.33

Alive Certificate Recipients

Blessing Hamisi Juma	25 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Rema Hamid	92 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 117 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 732

AMSI Society

The AMSI NUIG society is the NUI Galway branch of the Association of Medical Students, Ireland (AMSI). It has strong links with international medical student bodies. It works across Public Health, Human Rights, Medical Education and Sexual Health to make positive changes and give prospective clinicians an awareness of society. The past year was our second year. It was a great success, we won NUIG Best New Society and Best event. We also won the BICS National Best Event.



Socs Awards

AMSI Society Events list (37 Individual Events)

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » CSI 2012 » 10th September 2018

NUIG Socs Day: Other » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th September 2018

AMSI Panel Discussion - Disability: Seminar » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 25th September 2018

Discussion around this year's Déan Athrú topic, disability Involving guest speakers

Déan Athrú: Charity » all around campus » 26th September 2018

AMSI National General Assembly: Committee Meeting » Dublin, trinity college » 28th September 2018

Scope Exchange Talk: Careers » CSI » 04th October 2018

AMSI Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » CSI 2010 » 09th October 2018

EGM - Update constitution: Other » CSI 2012 » 12th October 2018

Sign language workshop: Educational » CSI 2010 » 20th October 2018

EGM: Other » Fottrell Theatre AM200, Arts Millennium Building » 22nd October 2018

We want your organs: Other » all around campus » 31st October 2018

Health in Conflict Conference: Conference » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 03rd November 2018

Healthy Heroes Training Night: Training » Large Lecture Theatre, Human Biology Building » 05th November 2018

Bonding - Bowling: Social » Galway, Galway City, Planet Bowling » 07th November 2018

Healthy Heroes: Other » The View » 13th November 2018

Healthy Heroes event for local School children - 13th and 14th November 2018

Irish Guide Dogs - Exam stress: Other » CSI 2011 » 26th November 2018

Movember Talk: Educational » CSI LLT » 27th November 2018

Movember Closing Party: Charity » SULT - College Bar » 29th November 2018

Movember Coffee morning: Charity » Grumpy Mule » 30th November 2018

Information evening on clinical years with refreshments served afterwards: Educational » Mayo, Castlebar, Mayo Medical Academy » 31st January 2019

EMSA Talk: Trips » CSI 2010 » 06th February 2019

Information evening on clinical years with refreshments served afterwards: Educational » Sligo, Sligo Medical Academy » 07th February 2019

Information evening on clinical years with refreshments served afterwards: Educational » Galway, Ballinasloe, Ballinasloe Medical Academy » 07th February 2019

Charity Bake Sale for Galway Simon Community: Charity » Smokies Table B » 12th February 2019

We are having a charity bake sale in effort to raise essential funds for Galway Simon Community. The fund raised is to provide practical assistance on an expedited basis, to allow those at risk of, or experiencing homelessness to bridge the gap between funds they have and the costs incurred in securing accommodation in the private rental market. Practical items associated with moving into a new home are supported through the fund such as bed linen, a first week's groceries or kitchenware and rental deposits. Please support us in this noble cause. Thank you in advance.

Bake sale for Direct Provision: Charity » Smokeys Cafe » 20th March 2019

AGM: Other » CSI LLT » 25th March 2019

AMSI AGM Streaming: Committee Meeting » Mayo Medical Academy » 25th March 2019
AMSI AGM Streaming: Committee Meeting » Sligo Medical Academy » 25th March 2019
AMSI AGM Streaming: Committee Meeting » Ballinasloe Medical Academy » 25th March 2019
AMSI AGM Streaming: Committee Meeting » Letterkenny Medical Academy » 25th March 2019
EMSA Twinning Project: Other » NUI Galway » 04th April 2019
EMSA Twinning Project: Other » NUI Galway » 05th April 2019
Pre-departure Training for IFMSA Electives: Training » CSI » 06th April 2019
EMSA Twinning Project: Other » NUI Galway » 06th April 2019
EMSA Twinning Project: Other » NUI Galway » 07th April 2019
EMSA Twinning Project: Other » NUI Galway » 08th April 2019
EMSA Twinning Project: Other » NUI Galway » 09th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	27 society committee members with questions answered	28 Total society committee members	(24/28) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To enhance the experience for medical students in NUI Galway

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To enhance the experience for medical students in NUI Galway

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Did very well considering AMSI NUIG is a relatively new society

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, achieved some of them

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Healthy Heroes 2019

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Healthy Heroes 2019 Preparation; dealing with a large committee

AMSI Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Rosemary James **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member due to position on National Executive Board

Name: Ciara Clarke **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member due to position on National Executive Board

Name: Emily Stoll **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member due to position on National Executive Board

Name: Donal Flynn **Position:** Co-Auditor

Name: Sarah Fenn **Position:** Local Officer for Sexual and Reproductive Health, including HIV/AIDS (LORA)

Name: Shashank Thyarala **Position:** Co-Auditor

Name: Clara Knowles **Position:** EMSA Co-ordinator

Name: Vanessa Leung Shing **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Matthew Moran **Position:** Secretary

Name: Rachel O'Flynn **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Niamh Dundon **Position:** Local officer for research exchanges (LORE)

Name: Maria Regan **Position:** Events Officer

Name: Lidia Shafik **Position:** Local Officer for Public Health (LOPH)

Name: Peggy Miller **Position:** Local officer for medical education (LOME) **Name:** Conor

Medlar **Position:** Treasurer

Name: David Fitzsimons **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Gavin Calpin **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Patrick Folan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Aine Kelly **Position:** Assistant Local Officer for Public Health
Name: Ryan Biehn **Position:** Assisatant Local Officer for Human Rights and Peace
Name: Aisling Stafford **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Mary McNamee **Position:** Assistant Local Officer for Medical Education

Name: Timothy Siliang Lu **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member due to position on National Executive Board
Name: Nina Deacon **Position:** Assistant Local Officer for Sexual and Reproductive Health, including HIV/AIDS
Name: Carol Chin Yee Ng **Position:** Local Officer for Professional Exchanges - Outgoing
Name: Nur Syazana Idris **Position:** Local Officer for Human Rights and Peace (LORP)
Name: Sarah McDonnell **Position:** Assistant EMSA Co-ordinator
Name: Sian McGarel **Position:** Local Officer for Professional Exchanges - Incoming

AMSI Society Incoming Committee

Name: Rachel O'Flynn **Position:** Co-Auditor

AMSI Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€659.31	Bank charge	€41.70
Ecommerce Sales	€352.00	Dinner/Food	€752.85
Fundraising	€1,138.09	Entertainment	€244.70
Socs box Till	€352.00	Entry fees	€1,236.80
Sponsorship	€1,100		
Ticket Sales	€1,850.00	Equipment misc	€57.68
USC Grant	€1,500.00	Fundraising / Charity	€300.00
		Gifts	€29.94
		Materials	€27.63
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€93.44
		Printing	€10

		Services Hired	€1201.37
		Society transport Society Accommm	€656.69 €580
		Speaker accomm	€313.43
		Speaker travel	€188.05
		Stationary	€578.31
		Teacher fees	€350
		Expenditure Total	€6662.59
		Closing Bank Balance	€288.81
Total	€6951.40	Total	€6951.40

Alive Certificate Recipients

Sian McGarel	30 hrs	Local Officer for Professional Exchanges - Incoming
Ryan Biehn	10 hrs	Assisatant Local Officer for Human Rights and Peace
Nur Syazana Idris	12 hrs	Local Officer for Human Rights and Peace (LORP)
Vanessa Leung Shing	30 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Ciara Clarke	100 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Mairead Kilcoyne	2 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 184 Participants: 6

Other Information

We held 12 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 395.

Anaphora Orthodox Christian Fellowship Soc

Exploring the Orthodox Christian Faith and help students develop an Orthodox Christian way of life attuned the yearly liturgical cycle.

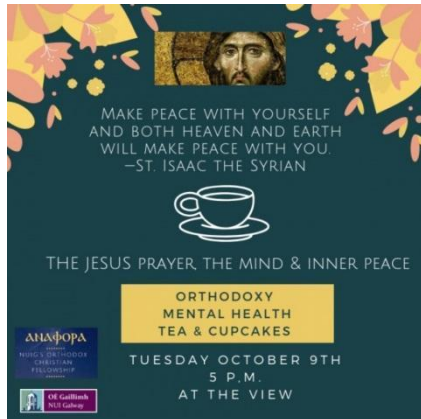
Anaphora Orthodox Christian Fellowship Soc Events list (27 Individual Events)

EGM: Committee Meeting » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 25th September 2018

EGM: Committee Meeting » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 01st October 2018

The Jesus Prayer, Mindfulness and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » The View » 09th October 2018

Join us for a chat on the Jesus Prayer, the Mind & Inner Peace and a discussion on how to keep a healthy mind anchored in Christ through Prayer amidst the craziness of life. TEA & CUPCAKES



Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » Campus » 15th October 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist. Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 22nd October 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 29th October 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 05th November 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 12th November 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 19th November 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 26th November 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Morning Prayers and Tea: Health & Lifestyle » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 03rd December 2018

Join us for a morning power boost with the Jesus Prayer & the Thanksgiving Akathist . Tea & Fruits will follow

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 16th January 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 23rd January 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 30th January 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 06th February 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 13th February 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 20th February 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 27th February 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 06th March 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 13th March 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 20th March 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Spiritual day: Workshops » Galway, galway, church » 23rd March 2019

A spiritual day beginning with liturgy in an Orthodox Church, followed by lunch, Bible study and Spiritual talks.

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 27th March 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 03rd April 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 10th April 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 17th April 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Prayer meeting: Gatherings » Chapel Common Room » 24th April 2019

a weekly meeting for morning prayer together in fellowship followed by Bible meditation and a quick breakfast before going to classes

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
3 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(2/6) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Exploring the Orthodox Christian Faith and help students develop an Orthodox Christian way of life attuned with the yearly liturgical cycle

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The aims of the Society shall be;

- To represent the Orthodox students at NUI Galway
- To cater to the needs of the Orthodox students
- To increase awareness among students of the Orthodox Church and its history.
- To provide a place for students to learn about Orthodoxy and Orthodox spirituality
- To encourage students to demonstrate kindness and virtue by providing opportunities for fundraising and serving with charities

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Did great! Enjoyed the fellowship

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yeah!

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Yeah

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

No challenges

Anaphora Orthodox Christian Fellowship Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Lidia Shafik **Position:** Co Auditor

Name: Diana Lajenko **Position:** OCM

Name: Marina Henein **Position:** OCM

Name: Marie Yacoub **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Mihailo Sreckovic **Position:** OCM

Name: Karin Ishak **Position:** Treasurer

Anaphora Orthodox Christian Fellowship Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.55
USC Grant	€200.00	Dinner/Food	€103.80
		Expenditure Total	€149.35
		Closing Bank Balance	€50.65
Total	€200	Total	€200

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 107.

Anime and Manga Society

The aim we set out this year was to screen anime twice a week. We achieved that with overwhelming success! We also ran Akumakon for the ninth year in a row, raising over two grand for charities of our choosing. Special events we organised and attended are J-con, Kaizoku-con and two twenty-four hour lock in. As we continued to grow and grow, and with new leadership as to the previous two years, we branched out and got out of the comfort zone we once had. We attempted collaborations as much as possible, while still attempting to stick to the difficult task of trying to screen anime not once, but twice a week! Making stronger bonds with other societies was our focus for the second semester and I think it's safe to say it was a resounding triumph. Not only with the establishment of the bi-annual special society cup, now we are connected to other special interest societies more than ever. The 2018-2019 year for the Anime and Manga society was without a doubt one of our strongest yet thanks to the strong base that was formed and the new approach that followed. Learning from this, we hope to strive even farther in the future.



Current Anime Fans!

Anime and Manga Society Events list (79 Individual Events)

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 13th September 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening: Another: Arts & Culture » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 17th September 2018

Blood, gore, and everything else you could ask for. Join anime and manga soc as we screen another. It's hella gory.

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 17th September 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening: All Out!! : Arts & Culture » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 20th September 2018

There's a rugby anime? I hear you ask. Yes, and it's just like every other sports anime you've ever watched (great and and mildly homoerotic)

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 20th September 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

EGM: Committee Meeting » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 24th September 2018

Join Anime and Manga Soc as we elect some new committee to both the soc and Akumakon committees.

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 24th September 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 27th September 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 01st October 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 04th October 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Trip to J-Con 2018: Conference » Dublin, Croagh Park » 07th October 2018

We go to J-Con and enjoy a weekend in Dublin!

Screening: Wandering Son: Arts & Culture » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 08th October 2018

We are watching the wonderfully fantastic anime Wandering Son, come join us!

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 08th October 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening: Space Dandy with Astro Soc: Arts & Culture » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 11th October 2018

Astro Soc actually wanted to do an event with us? Wow, alright. We're watching Space Dandy and having quite a bit of pizza so that's nice.

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 11th October 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 18th October 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 22nd October 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 25th October 2018

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Anime Marathon 2018: Entertainment » The Space Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th October 2018

Several people attempt to stay up all night and don't succeed, lots of pizza included!

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 29th October 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 01st November 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 05th November 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 08th November 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 12th November 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 26th November 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 29th November 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 03rd December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 06th December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 10th December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 13th December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 17th December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 20th December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 24th December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 27th December 2018

We screen anime twice a week. We typically watch a movie on Mondays and a few episodes of a new and popular or classic anime on Thursdays (pizza included).

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 31st December 2018

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 03rd January 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 07th January 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 10th January 2019

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Anime & Manga EGM: Committee Meeting » Áras na Mac Leinn, Meeting Room 1 & 2 » 14th January 2019

We are holding an EGM to elect a new Auditor and OCM; other positions may become available so stick around if you want to join the committee :)

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Akumakon: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 18th January 2019

Our annual anime, manga and gaming convention held in the college. We offer a range of panels, stalls, cosplay and special events throughout the weekend all in aid of charitable causes.

Akumakon: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 19th January 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 21st January 2019

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My Hero: Cinema Trip: Film » Galway, Galway City, Eye cinema » 23rd January 2019

We're going to leave the comfort of Campus to see the much anticipated My Hero Academia: Two Heroes film in the Eye Cinema!

Anime Screening: Rascal Does Not Dream of Bunny Girl Senpai: Film » Larmor Theatre, Concourse » 24th January 2019

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 24th January 2019

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Anime Screening: Gekken-Shojo: Nozaki-kun: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 28th January 2019

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 28th January 2019

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Anime Screening-Planetes: Film » Larmor Theatre » 31st January 2019

Collaboration event with Astro-soc

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 31st January 2019

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Anime Screening: Bungo Stray Dogs: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 04th February 2019

We actually watched School Life

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 04th February 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 07th February 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 11th February 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 14th February 2019

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Anime Screening: Professor Layton movie: Film » Anderson » 18th February 2019

A screening of the Professor Layton movie

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 18th February 2019

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The Promised Neverland: Film » Joseph Larmor Theatre » 21st February 2019

Screening of the Promised Neverland

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 21st February 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 25th February 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 28th February 2019

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Anime Screening: Hamtaro: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 04th March 2019

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 04th March 2019

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My Roommate is a Cat: Film » Larmor Theatre, Concourse » 07th March 2019

We're watching this seasons much loved "My Roommate is a Cat", free pizza for anyone who calls over!

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 07th March 2019

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Anime Screening: Toradora: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 11th March 2019

Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 11th March 2019

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Screening-13th Sept: Entertainment » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 14th March 2019

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Anime Manga Lock in 2019: Entertainment » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 15th March 2019

Several people attempt to stay up all night and fail round two, more pizza!

Fansci Collab: Rising of the Shield Hero: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 18th March 2019

We're watching another Isekai folks! There'll be pizza for this Monday so bring all your buddies and lets show Fan Sci the do we do (dot com?)!

Anime Screening: Barakoman (Writers soc Collab): Film » AC214 » 21st March 2019

COLLAB WITH WRITERS SOC!! WE GOT PIZZA WE GOT POPCORN COME FOR A FUN TIME WITH A CHILL ANIME

Anime Manga Society AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 26th March 2019

We will be holding our annual AGM soon folks! If anyone wants a committee position for next year be sure to be there, we will be making modifications to our constitution as well. The Venue will be announced in an email and we will update it on the calendar as soon as we know.

Trip to Kaizoku Con 2019: Trips » Cork, cork city, UCC » 05th April 2019

Our Annual trip to Cork for UCC's anime convention "Kaizoku Con"

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	19 society committee members with questions answered	19 Total society committee members	(19/19) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To watch and enjoy anime and run Akumakon

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Screen anime twice a week.

Run Akumakon

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We've done well, we haven't skipped a screening, had good turnouts on a regular basis.

Plus Akumakon went very well.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved both of them yes.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Akumakon.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Akumakon?

Anime and Manga Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Eoin Devane Glynn **Position:** Co Con Director

Name: Aoife O'Shaughnessy **Position:** Convention Director

Name: Rachel Coleman **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Laura Doyle **Position:** Vice Treasurer

Name: Ethan Wilkinson **Position:** Secretary

Name: Seosamh O'Suilleabhain **Position:** PRO

Name: Lauren Bright **Position:** staff coordinator

Name: Cian Murphy **Position:** OCM

Name: Joshua Mwenya **Position:** Vice Safety Officer

Name: Kathleen King **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Ronan Timon **Position:** Auditor

Name: Charlene Rodriguez **Position:** PRO

Name: Diego Spranger

Torregrosa **Position:** Librarian

Name: Gareth Hunt **Position:** OCM

Name: Oisin Ganley **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Adam Flannery **Position:** OCM

Name: Paul Brennan **Position:** OCM

Name: Andrew Enright **Position:** OCM

Name: Andrius Sirvys **Position:** Web Master

Anime and Manga Society Incoming Committee

Name: Oisin Ganley **Position:** Auditor

Name: Gareth Hunt **Position:** OCM

Name: Paul Brennan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Charlene Rodriguez **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Adam Flannery **Position:** Secretary

Name: Aoife O'Shaughnessy **Position:** Special Events Organiser

Name: Diego Spranger

Torregrosa **Position:** Equipment Manager

Name: Joshua Mwenya **Position:** Health and Safety Officer

Name: Darragh Murray **Position:** Vice Treasurer

Name: Laura Doyle **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ethan Wilkinson **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Sarah Brady **Position:** Con Director

Name: Lauren Walsh Foody **Position:** Public Relations Officer: Posters

Name: Roisin Ni Cheallachain **Position:** OCM

Anime and Manga Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,215.27	Apparel	€390.00
Ecommerce Sales	€1,930.43	Bank charge	€34.55
Euros	€0	Dinner/Food	€1,436.76
Socs box Till	€0	Entertainment	€288.00
Sponsorship	€1,000.00	Entry fees	€187.50
Ticket Sales	€119.80	Equipment misc	€49.99
USC Grant	€1,120.00	Hoodies	€70.00
		Society accomm	€1266
		Society transport	€694
		Speaker accomm	€996
		Expenditure Total	€5412.8
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€972.70
Total	€6385.5	Total	€6385.5

Alive Certificate Recipients

Shrishyal Hadimani	25 hrs	Volunteer
Charlene Rodriguez	15 hrs	PRO

Kristina Lazauskaite	40 hrs	Volunteer
Lauren Walsh Foody	47 hrs	Volunteer
Joshua Mwenya	42 hrs	Vice Safety Officer
Samuel Tuohy	5 hrs	Volunteer
Adam Flannery	65 hrs	OCM
Rachel Coleman	180 hrs	Treasurer
Aoife O'Shaughnessy	846 hrs	Convention Director
Scott Green	17 hrs	Volunteer

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 736.

Arch Soc

Our goal as a society is to get people excited about what it means to be involved with archaeology no matter how small. In the first semester, our attendance was lower than expected particularly in social events such as the Christmas pub quiz. However, our lecture series consistently had certain members that came to nearly every one. Therefore we were excited that the aforementioned goal was being seen in this aspect of the social calendar. We held a committee meeting to discuss the issues of attendance and came to the conclusion that we needed to 'revitalize' the calendar and add more social events to raise interest in the society, balanced with traditional lectures. The attendance at bake sales and trips (Wales sold out all slots) was very good. However, we still saw low attendance outside of the 'regulars' and seek to change that next year by advertising more and seeking a broader audience outside niche-interest areas. Overall, this year saw an introduction of new faces and the much-needed discussion of how the committee with changing the society to reflect the changing student interests while staying to our traditional roots.



The Crew - Old and New Converge

Arch Soc Events list (25 Individual Events)

Social night: Entertainment » AC204, The Concourse » 17th September 2018

Cards Against Archaeology and Pizza! Come join us for our first social night for the New Year and meet and mingle with likeminded peeps!

Lecture with Christy Cunniffe: Arts & Culture » AC204, The Concourse » 24th September 2018

Lecture with Galway Community Archaeologist Christy Cunniffe on the built heritage and designed landscape features associated with landed estates and Big Houses of Co. Galway.

Social Night - Movies and Food! : Social » AC204, the Concourse » 01st October 2018

A night with something for your viewing pleasure that will have an Archaeological flavour. We will supply the popcorn and the soda, you just come and put your feet up!

Lecture with Dr. Tadgh O'Keefe: Arts & Culture » AC204, The Concourse » 08th October 2018

Please join us for 'From Canterbury to Cong: the Gothic style and the transformation of Ireland 1170-1240'

Social Night: Social » AC204, the Concourse » 15th October 2018

Lecture with Dr. James Mallory: Arts & Culture » AC204, The Concourse » 22nd October 2018

Come and join us for a Lecture on the Irish Dreamtime with James Mallory and discover the role of mythology in Archaeology and History.

Social Night - TBA: Social » AC204, the Concourse » 05th November 2018

Slieve Aughty Field Trip: Trips » Galway, Slieve Aughty, Slieve Aughty » 10th November 2018

Join us on a tour of the archaeology of Slieve Aughty Co. Galway, with Galway Community Archaeologist Christy Cunniffe. A fantastic day from the Neolithic to the Early Modern. Tickets availed online or from Socs Box and are €15.

Lecture with Professor Neil Carlin: Arts & Culture » AMB G-066 » 12th November 2018

Join us for a Lecture with Professor Neil Carlin from UCD.

Social Night: Social » AC204, the Concourse » 19th November 2018

Lecture- TBA: Arts & Culture » AC204, The Concourse » 26th November 2018

Xmas Bake Sale Fundraiser: Other » Smokies Table A » 03rd December 2018

Our Semester One fundraiser so come on down and grab your xmas treats ready for exam eating and general sensory delight. Raffle and spot prizes all day!

Xmas Party and Table Quiz: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 07th December 2018

Our annual Xmas party and table quiz. This promises to be an evening of wild shenanigans and great company. Hugely successful last year so don't miss out!! We will have a prize for the winning team and several raffle prizes on the night. So everyone's a winner!

Drinking Feasts in Medieval Ireland: Guest Speakers » AC204 » 21st January 2019

Come join your friendly neighbourhood ArchSoc this coming Monday, the 21st of January at 7pm in Room AC204 for our FIRST lecture of the year with Dr. Elizabeth Grey for her talk on Drinking Feasts in Medieval Gaelic Ireland! This will be a fascinating talk that you won't want to miss so we hope to see you all there!

Cards Against Archaeology: Social » AC204 » 28th January 2019

Cards Against Archaeology is back again by popular demand! Come join us next Monday the 28th of January at 7PM in room AC204 for gaming shenanigans, some FREE PIZZA, and getting to know our new members! We will also be holding our EGM right before the event starting at 6:30 PM so come by for that as well if you would like to be involved in our wonderful committee! We'll see you all there!

Dave Swift: Guest Speakers » AC204 » 11th February 2019

Come join us, Monday the 11th of February at 6PM, for a lecture with Dave Swift of Claiomh, who will be talking about the interpretive work he does ranging from c.800-1650 CE, with added bits about WWI and the Easter Rising as well. In addition to this, he will be bringing some top class artefacts for us all to look at! You won't want to miss this so grab your friends and we'll see you there!

Mining the Prehistoric Landscape of Shaugh Moor, Dartmoor: Guest Speakers » AC204 » 18th February 2019

Join us Monday, 18th of February at 6PM in AC204 for our next lecture this term with Michael McLean and his work on Mining the Prehistoric Landscape of Shaugh Moor, Dartmoor. He will be discussing the prehistoric archaeology of Shaugh Moor and explaining how the recent and historic mining in the district has had positive and negative effects on the prehistoric monuments there. Issues raised by this will feed into the wider discussions of threatened archaeological landscapes, public concern, and mining history in the area, as well as highlighting past archaeological investigations at Shaugh Moor and these monuments place in the prehistory of southwest England. It's sure to be an eye-opening and fascinating talk that you won't want to miss! See you there!

Wales Info Night: Social » AC202 » 25th February 2019

Hey guys! Come see us Monday, the 25th of February at 6pm in AC202 to have all of your questions about our upcoming trip to Wales answered! It's happening and we know all about it! Find out where, when, how, and why we're going and see how much fun it can be! We hope to see you all there!

Well-Being and the Historic Environment: Guest Speakers » AC204 » 04th March 2019

Come join us on Monday, 4th of March, at 6PM in Room AC204 to hear from Claire Nolan who will be talking about her research on the historic environment and its influence on individual lived experience. Claire will be sharing her work on the prehistoric landscapes of Stonehenge, Avebury, and the Vale of Pewsey in Wiltshire and their potential to act as therapeutic environments in the present day. So come by and check it out! See you all there!

Spring Bake Sale: Other » Smokies » 13th March 2019

Hi guys! Come see us on the 13th of March for our Spring Bake Sale! We are raising money for our trip to Wales this year and so that we can give you all amazing events next term! We always have sweet treats so stop by and try some! It's 10-5 in Smokies Cafe on Wednesday the 13th of March so grab your friends, take a break from studying and come by and say hi! We'll see you all there!

Times of Great Sacrifice: Life and Death in the Ancient Andes of Peri: Guest Speakers » AC204 » 19th March 2019

Pub Quiz: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 27th March 2019

British Bronze Age: Guest Speakers » AC204 » 01st April 2019

Harvest Knot Workshop: Workshops » AC204 » 08th April 2019

Wales Trip: Trips » United Kingdom, Wales, Lawrenny Millennium » 11th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(5/5) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The general aim of the society should be to bring together those with an interest in archaeology, history, and Celtic studies for a series of lectures, social events, and trips in order to foster a community within the disciplines as well as raise awareness with others in regards to heritage, history, and the archaeology of Ireland.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to achieve a greater awareness and participation within the Archaeology Society this year. We hope to have more participation in social nights and continued participation in our lecture series. Further, as this is our 50th anniversary year, we are hoping to hold a student led conference in the Spring term and be able to integrate more alumni participation and support within the society.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We were able to continue to foster a community of people with an interest in archaeology and all that goes along with it. We were not able to host as many social nights and our conference was pushed out a year in order to fully prepare and do it justice, however, I feel that our society was successful this year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We were able to have continued interest in our lecture series for this term, and as mentioned above, we still plan to go ahead with our conference next year, with interest already showing for that among both academics and students.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think our greatest success this year was the interest and level of speakers we were able to get this year. We had people from all over and all different disciplines with continued interest and attendance.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge this year was getting students interested in social night and fundraisers. We had a significant drop in numbers and support for events such as our pub quiz and even our annual trip to Wales.

Arch Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Frank Hall V **Position:** OCM

Name: Margaret Collins **Position:** Secretary

Name: Maeve Pritchard **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Jessica Pereira **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Kylie Crowder **Position:** Auditor

Arch Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Kylie Crowder **Position:** Auditor

Name: Margaret Collins **Position:** Secretary

Name: Jessica Pereira **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Maeve Pritchard **Position:** Treasurer

Arch Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€3,028.71	Bank charge	€34.28
Ecommerce Sales	€2,275.00	Dinner/Food	€657.85
Fundraising	€288.00	Hire Bus	€3,205.00
USC Grant	€2,000.00	Materials	€75.27
		Prizes	€50.14
		Returned Socs Money	€1500
		Society accomm	€1373.84
		Speaker accomm	€171
		Speaker travel	€85
		Expenditure Total	€7152.38
		Closing Bank Balance	€439.33
Total	€7591.71	Total	€7591.71

Alive Certificate Recipients		0 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Jessica Pereira			
Total Hours 0 Participants: 1			

Other Information

We held 2 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 363.

Art Soc

The current Committee of Art Soc took office in an EGM held on 6th March 2019. We took over because we couldn't get in touch with the previous committee, so any events that took place before March we were not involved in. This Report will therefore pertain solely to Art Soc activities during the tenure of the current committee.

Since March, we have run Studio Hours, twice weekly, for 3-hour sessions. Studio Hours offer our members the opportunity to take advantage of the Art facilities, use art supplies, and chill. We also provide coffee and snacks.

The highlight of our year this far was our event on Thursday 28th March in the Charles Mac Munn theatre. We held a screening of the art biopic "Loving Vincent". There was a good turnout (approx 20 people), and we got great feedback afterwards. Everyone enjoyed it and said that they would like to have more events in the same vein. We plan to run more like this next semester.



Art society open hours in the art room

Art Soc Events list (14 Individual Events)

Art Soc EGM: Arts & Culture » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 06th March 2019

EGM for Art Soc to elect a new committee!

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 12th March 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 13th March 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 19th March 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 20th March 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 26th March 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 27th March 2019

Open Studio Hours

Loving Vincent Screening: Arts & Culture » SC004 CHARLES MC MUNN THEATRE » 28th March 2019

Art Society's screening of "Loving Vincent". Rendered in the style of the beloved Dutch master, this animated biopic recounts the tortured last days of Vincent van Gogh. Join us on the 28/03/19 in the Charles Mc Munn theatre for some pizza, popcorn and artsymovie watching!



Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » The Art Room » 02nd April 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 03rd April 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 04th April 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 09th April 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 10th April 2019

Open Studio Hours

Studio Hours: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 11th April 2019

Open Studio Hours

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To share our passion in art and create opportunities for students to explore their artistic side.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To host events and get our members engaging with the society.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society was quite successful this year, at least for the period for which we were in charge. Owing to the fact that we took over the committee relatively late in the year, on the 6th of March, with no previous experience, we feel pretty proud of ourselves. We succeeded in setting up regular studio hours for our members, which went down very well and brought in many new members for us. We also had our first event which was a screening of an art biopic, "Loving Vincent".

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our society achieved our goal in making the art society active again. We also gathered many new regular members who attended our weekly studio hours and our event.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our society's greatest success was our screening of "Loving Vincent". It went really well. We had a larger turn out than expected and were really happy about how it turned out. We got a lot of positive feedback from the people who attended and a good time was had by all.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was re-establishing the art society, with no previous experience, and building trust among its current members. We feel we succeeded in overcoming this challenge and we look forward to the new and exciting challenges that next year will bring.

Art Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Sophie Plunkett **Position:** Auditor

Name: Jemima O'Farrell **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Caoimhe Mannion **Position:** Secretary

Name: Grace McCaffrey **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Lauren Hogan **Position:** OCM

Name: Jordan Raftery **Position:** OCM

Name: Jesandra Ni Shuilleabhain **Position:** OCM

Art Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Caoimhe Mannion **Position:** Secretary

Name: Sophie Plunkett **Position:** Auditor

Name: Jemima O'Farrell **Position:** Treasurer

Art Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,538.63	Bank charge	€30.15
		Dinner/Food	€70.81
		Materials	€498.78

		Returned Socs Money	€750
		Expenditure Total	€1349.74
		Closing Bank Balance	€188.89
Total	€1538.63	Total	€1538.63

Alive Certificate Recipients

Sophie Plunkett	0 hrs	Auditor
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Total Hours 0 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1002.

Astronomy Society

★ AstroSoc - We're out of this world! ★ A society to join for all those interested in space, stars, astronomy and astrophysics.

The Astronomy Society of NUI, Galway is for any and all students with an interest in astronomy or astrophysics - whether studying or just curious. This past year we held meetings every week at which we showed various astronomy and space-related documentaries and movies, we organised lectures based on interesting topics from students and professors of astronomy, we collaborated with other societies to bring you fun social events and we organised larger events such as trips abroad and observing nights for everyone to get a closer look at the stars!

Also this year, we hosted the second "Joint Astronomy Societies Conference" in collaboration with UCC. The conference consisted of talks from Astronomy and Physic lecturers who are at the forefront of their fields of research.

This coming year, as well as continuing last year's activities, we will be hosting a 6 week "Astronomy 101" programme, which will consist of a series of talks by Astrophysics students, a 15 minute video further explaining the topic and finally a tea and coffee discussion session to close the night, where you can get to know more about Astro stuff and your fellow Astro Soc members and of course the Astro committee!

Keeping up to date: the AstroSoc is proud to announce that we have a weekly Newsletter which details our weekly events and also informs our members on up to date Astro topics and includes some links where our members can further expand their knowledge on the infinite space that is: space!

And last but not least, for more information on dates and/or weekly events, come along to Socs Day where the committee will have a stand or else you can always contact us by email or by social media. We look forward to seeing you!

★ AstroSoc - Going to the moon and back for our members ★



Astro Soc Committee 2018-2019

Astronomy Society Events list (23 Individual Events)

EGM & Social Night: Social » Dillon Theatre » 18th September 2018

AstroSoc's EGM will be happening to fill committee positions for the year to come! We are looking for a treasurer, academic liaison and first-year rep as well as some OCM positions. After the meeting we will go over to the College Bar to get to know members new and old and talk about upcoming events :)

Stargazing: Educational » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th September 2018

Meeting in the Hub at 8pm on Thursday for some hot chocolate and snacks, Weather permitting we will be stargazing.

The Quest for Darker Skies: Educational » Dillon Theatre » 01st October 2018

Attending a talk hosted by Galway Astronomy Club in the Harbour Hotel. Talk being given by Ray Butler. Meeting outside the Dillon Theatre at 7pm and then heading to the Harbour Hotel for 7:30pm.

Space Dandy Viewing: Entertainment » Anderson Theatre » 11th October 2018

Collaboration with Anime and Manga Society, Viewing Space Dandy in the Anderson Lecture theatre

Rendezvous with a Comet by Ronan Newman: Educational » Dillon Theatre » 16th October 2018

Guest speaker Ronan Newman will be presenting a talk on comets.

Camping Trip with Rover Soc: Trips » Galway, Oranmore, Renville Park » 19th October 2018

Camping trip to Renville Oranmore with Rover Soc

Cinema trip with Physics soc: Film » Galway, Galway, IMC Cinema » 23rd October 2018

Going to see first man in Collab with physics soc

Collab with Circus Soc and Alien Showing: Film » Dillon Theater » 30th October 2018

Games with Circus soc from 6pm followed by a showing of Alien in the Dillon Theater at 7:30pm

Collab with FanSci: Entertainment » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 08th November 2018

Games night with Fansci in the View at 7pm

Talk With Mark Lang: Guest Speakers » AC214 » 14th November 2018

Talk given by Mark Lang on topics such as VEIRTAS/LIGO/IceCube

Quiz Night: Entertainment » College Bar (SULT) » 28th November 2018

For our last event of the year we are collaborating with quiz soc! Join us in Sult at 7:30pm for questions, prizes and food!

Astro Trip to Edinburgh: Trips » United Kingdom, Edinburgh, hostel » 18th January 2019

Showing Goodbye Cassini hello Saturn: Educational » Dillon Theatre » 22nd January 2019

Collab with Anime and Manga: Entertainment » Larmor Theatre » 31st January 2019

Showing anime Planetes

Ronan Newman on Noctilucent Clouds talk: Educational » Galway, Harbour Hotel, harbour hotel » 04th February 2019

Talk hosted by Galway astronomy club.

Why Earth is a Toroidal: Guest Speakers » IT207 » 19th February 2019

Flat Earth Myths Debunked!! Join us in IT207 to here why Earth is a toroidal

Geos Social night: Social » Galway, Woodquay, Caribou » 21st February 2019

Adriana Cardinot Communicating astronomy through games and arts: Guest Speakers » IT207 » 26th February 2019

Second Joint Congress of University Astronomy Societies 2019: Conference » Foyer, Human Biology Building » 09th March 2019

March 9th 2019 Astronomy Society NUIG and Physics and Astronomy Society UCC are hosting the Second Joint Congress of University Astronomy Societies in the Human Biology Building NUIG. Talks to be given by Professors Andy Shearer, Niall Smith, Stuart Reid and Dr. Mark Lang, with more to be announced. Admission is free and talks begin at 9am.

AstroSoc and Baking Soc Collab: Social » AC202 » 14th March 2019

Make your own galaxy cake pops.

Dwarf and Minor Planets: an explosion in discoveries! Ray Butler talk: Educational » IT207 » 19th March 2019

Pub Quiz: Social » Galway, Galway City, Buskers Browns » 27th March 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » IT207 » 02nd April 2019

AGM 6pm room IT207. Stargazing after

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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Astronomy is the oldest of the sciences dating back as far as ancient Egypt and is a subject that fascinates people of all ages, with questions about what is out there and where did we come from. The main aims of the Astronomy Society shall be:

- To promote astronomy and astrophysics within the university and to make it accessible for everyone,
- To promote astronomy and astrophysics both academically and recreationally for all people who are interested or curious,
- To provide a resource whereby people can learn astronomy and learn about astrophysics without any prior knowledge, in the form of observing nights, talks about astronomy, tours etc.

- To provide social, recreational and intervarsity events for the benefit of its members with the aim of aiding the above objectives.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to improve our society even more beyond the level we got it to last year. To do this we hope to host our second Joint Congress of University Astronomy Societies, to organise our third trip abroad and to continue our regular schedule of astro events for students. In particular we would like to put on more stargazing events and give students the opportunity to do some astronomy!

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe that we did an excellent job this year again of promoting astronomy and providing social events for our students with a wide variety of events.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We did manage to pull off our second astronomy conference this year and we went on a trip abroad to Scotland as we had hoped to do. We kept ourselves at the high level achieved last year with our regular events, but we missed out on some opportunities to do stargazing, hopefully that can be improved next year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success this year was continuing our links with UCC and hosting in Galway the Second Joint Congress of University Astronomy Societies. With two successful events under our belt we hope that this now can become an ongoing annual event strengthening the links between our colleges.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

One challenge for us was keeping attendance at our events up in an environment of lower society engagement this year, which meant we had to ramp up the advertising and promotion we did.

Astronomy Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Owen Higgins **Position:** Auditor

Name: Cliona Donnelly **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Laura O'Sullivan **Position:** O.C.M.

Name: Cormac Kavanagh **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Niamh McDermott **Position:** P.R.O.

Name: Orla O'Neill **Position:** First-Year Rep.

Name: Keely Ni Luing **Position:** Secretary

Astronomy Society Incoming Committee

Name: Cormac Kavanagh **Position:** Auditor

Name: Keely Ni Luing **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Orla O'Neill **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Mario Quarenta **Position:** Academic Liaison

Name: Laura O'Sullivan **Position:** O.C.M.

Astronomy Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,326.30	Affill/Mem fees	€20.00
Ecommerce Sales	€100.00	Bank charge	€33.05

Fundraising	€806.84	Dinner/Food	€2,151.46
Members Contributions	€810.79	Entry fees	€28.50
Socs box Till	€1,480.00	Equipment misc	€532.64
Sponsorship	€1,359.54	Gifts	€180.70
USC Grant	€2,450.00	Hall hire	€25.00
		Hoodies	€313
		Printing	€140.85
		Prizes	€80
		Received Money Returned	€0
		Returned Socs Money	€750
		Society accomm	€674.22
		Society transport	€2531.25
		Speaker accomm	€363.1
		Speaker travel	€148.4
		Expenditure Total	€7972.17
		Closing Bank Balance	€361.3
Total	€8333.47	Total	€8333.47

Alive Certificate Recipients

Owen Higgins	300 hrs	Auditor
Julia Ingles Cerrillo	6 hrs	Volunteer

Laura O'Sullivan	24 hrs	O.C.M.
Niamh McDermott	35 hrs	P.R.O.

Total Hours 365 Participants: 4

Other Information

We held 23 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 922.

Baking Soc

This year Baking Soc held their EGM and Games Night event, went on a London Trip for a pastry workshop, served pancakes, collaborated with Astro Soc for galaxy cake pops and finally held their AGM and Easter Egg Nests event.



Baking Soc had a great turn out at events and won Best PR Award for Poster Series.

Baking Soc Events list (23 Individual Events)

Freshers Fair Cupcake Decorating! : Social » Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th September 2018

Come say hi to Baking Soc and decorate your very own cupcake!! What better way to be introduced to college life and societies than with some free baked goods? ;)

Socs Day: Social » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th September 2018

Join Baking Soc for a year full of activities, workshops, a trip abroad, and loads of fun!! Meet some of our committee at Socs Day to sign up, just bring your ID

and a friend! Sign up and be in with a chance to win a fantastic baking hamper!

Baking Soc Info Night: Social » AC202, The Concourse » 12th September 2018

Join Baking Soc this evening to get the lo-down on what goes on in our society and how you can get involved! We'll be giving out information on the committee roles that will be up for grabs at our EGM and you could also be in with a chance to win a fantastic hamper!

Baking Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » AC202, The Concourse » 18th September 2018

Fancy being on the Baking Soc committee this year to help organise and run our events? Come to our EGM and run for one of the available committee positions!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Group Study Room 1 » 25th September 2018

Mug Cakes: Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 02nd October 2018

Join us for our annual mug cake workshop for some cake and chats! This is a BYOM event, so bring your favourite mug and your best friend and get busy! Head over to our Facebook page and vote in our poll to choose the top two flavours of cake we'll make! Yum!

What's the Tea? : Social » IT202 » 08th October 2018

Join Baking Soc this Mental Health Week for afternoon tea! What better way to talk about your mental health than over a cuppa and tiny snacks with your friend? Join us and get talking!

Society Bonding Event: Trips » Galway, Headford Road, The Planet Galway » 18th October 2018

Join Baking Soc on our bonding activity to get to know our committee! We'll be doing laser quest and bowling! Tickets are limited and are available from the SocsBox for free food and drink will be provided

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Áras na mac Léinn, Meeting Room 2 » 24th October 2018

Committee Meeting to prep for upcoming events

Halloween Cookie Decorating: Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 30th October 2018

Trick or treat yo'self by decorating your own cupcakes and cookies for the spooky season! Be there or be scared!

EGM: Committee Meeting » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 30th October 2018

Want to join our committee? Now's your chance! We need a new Public Relations Officer (PRO) and you could be it, come to the meeting and stay for our Halloween event after!

Bonfire Night with Rover Soc: Social » Fisheries Field » 05th November 2018

A bonfire, free food and good company. What smore could you ask for?

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th November 2018

London Trip Info Night: Educational » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

We're going to LONDON Next semester; Baking Soc is heading to London for a pastry workshop! We're going from February 8th-10th and the approximate cost is €170. This price includes flights, accommodation, transport, and the workshop (price may decrease once numbers are confirmed) Interested? You should be! Sign up at the Socs box until November 30th to secure your place! A deposit of €100 is needed, with a photocopy of your passport; Places are limited so get yours soon! We're hosting an info night to answer any questions or queries you have about the trip so come along!

Movember Bake Sale: Charity » Smokeys Cafe » 15th November 2018

This November we're teaming up with the Movember Foundation and Slainte Soc to raise funds to aid men's health, come buy some goodies for a good cause.

Christmas Window Cookie Baking Class: Classes » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd November 2018

It's not just Santa that eats milk and cookies. Join us in this class to learn how to make biscuits and sugar glass, and do some decorating! For an extra special touch, we'll have ribbon so you hang them on your tree! Tuesday November 20th, 7-10pm, The Hub Tickets €2 in the Socsbox, available Monday 12th - Friday 16th November ONLY.

Socs Day 2: Other » Bailey Allen Hall Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd January 2019

Come say hi, sign up to our society, and grab a few treats!

EGM and Games Night: Entertainment » IT202 » 29th January 2019

Want to join our committee? Now's your chance! We need a new secretary and baking assistants, so come to our EGM and run for one of the available positions After elections, we'll have a games night with refreshments provided.

London Trip! : Educational » United Kingdom, london, london » 08th February 2019

Baking Soc is heading to London for a pastry workshop! Approximate cost is €170. This price includes flights, accommodation, transport, and the workshop (price may decrease once numbers are confirmed) Interested? You should be! Sign up at the Socs box until November 30th to secure your place! A deposit of €100 is needed, with a photocopy of your passport; Places are limited so get yours soon! Message us with any questions you have.

DIT Collaboration: Workshops » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd February 2019

Dublin IT has the only other college baking society in Ireland so we're going to team up for a collaboration event! Tickets for this event will be free but given out on a first come, first served basis A video similar to the class we'll be running will be available on our Facebook page soon! Time TBC

Pancake Tuesday: Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th March 2019

You'd better believe it's Pancake Day, join us for free pancakes, first come first served!

Cake Pop Making with Astro Soc: Workshops » AC202, The Concourse » 14th March 2019

You'll be blown out of this world with how cool these galaxy cake pops are, make your own cake pop and enjoy it with a nice cuppa. They don't have tea in space.

AGM and Easter egg Nests: Committee Meeting » AC202 » 02nd April 2019

AGM to elect committee members for the 19/20 academic year and egg nest making for Easter!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(8/10) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To inspire people to take up baking as a hobby or special interest

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To have a decent group of people show up to each event using effective advertising and enjoyable, unusual events that will interest people to come along

To do another trip abroad for as cheap as possible, with a small group of people that will have a good time and become friends outside of the committee as has happened in previous years.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society fulfilled our mission as we had good turnout at each event we held and the attendees had great interest in baking and asked questions about how they could do it themselves at home and asked for advice and recipes

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society achieved both goals it had set by having new and exciting events that were well attended by members, and by going on a trip to London for a pie and pastry workshop with a small group of members

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success this year was the bigger numbers of members attending events, which could be put down to more effective advertising of events and having new exciting events that we hadn't held before

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was the committee, as there was a high turnover of committee members due to people having to step down for personal reasons so many members didn't get the right training and didn't help out as much as was needed

Baking Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Emma Binions **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Megan Brogan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Lucy Holden **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Clara Callan **Position:** Baking Assistant

Name: Annelise Garrison **Position:** Baking Assistant

Name: Caoimhe O'Dochartaigh Barr **Position:** PRO

Name: Sarah Sukhni **Position:** Secretary
Name: Ashley Rutledge **Position:** Baking Assistant
Name: Emma Kirwan **Position:** Baking Assistant
Name: Taylor Gilbert **Position:** Baking Assistant

Baking Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Caoimhe O'Dochartaigh Barr **Position:** Auditor

Baking Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€687.56	Bank charge	€32.40
Euros	€55.96	Dinner/Food	€480.57
Socs box Till	€1,793.00	Entry fees	€208.00
USC Grant	€1,350.00	Equipment misc	€60.90
		Gifts	€13.19
		Materials	€64.80
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€8.98
		Prizes	€43.38
		Society accomm	€479.47
		Society transport	€822.50
		Socs Box Till Refund	€200
		Socs day expenses	€10.01
		Vaccinations	€715.85
		Expenditure Total	€3140.05

		Closing Bank Balance	€746.47
Total	€3886.52	Total	€3886.52

Alive Certificate Recipients

Annelise Garrison	50 hrs	Baking Assistant
Clara Callan	0 hrs	Baking Assistant
Emma Binions	100 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Megan Brogan	125 hrs	Auditor
Steffi Dsouza	15 hrs	Volunteer
Emma Kirwan	10 hrs	Baking Assistant
Caoimhe O'Dochartaigh Barr	32 hrs	PRO
Total Hours 332 Participants: 7		

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 2059.

Best Buddies

The Best Buddies society this year has been extremely successful and without a doubt has been one of the best years so far for 'Best Buddies Society'. We began the year with a large interest at the Societies day and numerous new members joining the society and the committee.

This year we were honored to be awarded the 'Bank of Ireland' bursary for our society. This was a huge benefit as it meant we had more funding to spend on our events, as we knew the costs would be covered for our main event from this sponsorship. We are extremely grateful for this as 'Best Buddies' receives no other funding from year to year.

Our year got off to a flying start with our 'Welcome Back' party, which was held on campus at NUIG.

Plenty of games were played and introductions were made. New members were shown what Best Buddies is all about. Everyone was happy to be back and excited to see what the year had in store for 'Best Buddies'. We continued our events in a joyful, open-minded and fun way, where we then had our 'Halloween party' which was held in the super facilitating and gorgeous 'Harbour Hotel'. It was spooky to say the least! Everyone danced their socks off, enjoyed all the refreshments and decorations and had a great night. Unfortunately, we were not able to host a 'Christmas Party' as it was the dates co-insided with the NUIG Christmas Holidays. This was greatly missed by all.

Other events that were held were a bake sale, table quiz, volunteer mixers and a coffee morning of 'Add a buddy to your Tea'. Each of these events were successful in their own right and were thoroughly enjoyed by all participants.

We kicked off our events for semester two with a 'Welcome Back Party', which once again involved the things that all of the members and service users of Best Buddies love. These are things such as dancing, singing, chatting and catching up with our friends. One of our main events occurred in February and was a wonderful day out for all involved. It was our Friendship Walk, the sun was shining and everyone was smiling from ear to ear. The 'Best Buddies' society marched through campus promoting what a wonderful society it is, after the walk, everyone gathered in 'The Cube' for drinks and refreshments.

This year we were lucky enough to be able to partner up with different societies in NUIG to co-host events. Our first partnership was with 'Impacte Soc', this involved hosting a 'movie night to break stereotypes'. Our second event was with 'Entrepreneurship Soc' where a guest speaker called Shane Finn told his inspirational story about raising money for 'Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland'. Money was raised on entry fees to this event and all money was donated directly to him. We will be sure to stay in contact with these societies and hopefully partner up with them in the future again.

Another special idea that was created by the experience committee members of 'Best Buddies' was the 'Compliment wall' which is still standing strongly in 'Aras na Mac Leinn' in NUIG. The idea behind this is to spread love and positivity. Each person can take a compliment or piece of encouragement from the board for themselves; they can then replace it with another one for the next person that uses this kind gesture.

Best Buddies as a society is extremely proud of its members this year, with three of them chosen to attend an international Best Buddies conference in America this summer. These loyal, dedicated and super members are Lucy, Sara and Dylan. Sara has also been awarded 'young volunteer of the year' by the mayor recently. We share her excitement, love, joy and congratulate her immensely. We are so proud to have her as part of our society.

Our biggest event of the year is still to come; this is the 'Best Buddies Ball' which takes place on the 10th of May in 'Menlo Park Hotel'. Everyone is waiting impatiently for this and can not wait for a night of dancing till our feet are sore and singing until we are hoarse. This night is promised to be packed full with entertainment, good food and great friends.

The aim of these events is to introduce our volunteers with their potential buddy and to simply, just build a new friendship. They also encourage everyone to mingle among one another and encourage us all to step out of our comfort zones and have some fun.

With so many new members this year, there have been plenty of opportunities for new friendships to be made and new ideas to be created. This past year has been extremely enjoyable, fun and beneficial for all involved. The aim of our society is to eliminate the discrimination; those with intellectual disabilities may feel in society. In order to do this, we hold events for them to come to, in a safe and fun environment. 'Best Buddies' as a society feel like it has achieved all of its goals for the year and is extremely happy with the progress made.

We hope to continue this spirit of positivity, enthusiasm and fun for the next academic year of 2019/2020, where all of our participants love coming to 'Best Buddies' events.



Smiles in the sunshine

Best Buddies Events list (14 Individual Events)

Info Night: Other » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 19th September 2018

Come meet our lovely committee and find out more about what Best Buddies is and how you can get involved!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 19th September 2018

First committee meeting of the year

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » CONCOURSE » 25th September 2018

Add a buddy to your tea: Social » The View, Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

Celebrate the power of friendship with us this Mental Health Week! Pop into us for free tea, coffee and treats provided by Sult with music by Orchestra Soc. And why not decorate a cupcake and sign our Compliment Wall while you're here! See ye there!

Compliment Wall: Health & Lifestyle » The View, Aras na Mac Leinn, » 08th October 2018

Visit our Compliment Wall in The View on Monday from 12pm! Write up a compliment for another student to take to brighten up their day. Leave what you can, take what you need xx

Welcome Back Party: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 09th October 2018

Join us for an evening of games, laughter, friendship and free pizza! Our buddies from Ability West are so looking to seeing all the new and old faces so make sure to join us on Tuesday the 9th October 7-9pm in meeting rooms 1 & 2! Everyone is welcome! xx

Volunteer Mixer: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 09th October 2018

All volunteers welcome to come to Sult after our Games Night for free finger food and a chance to get to know eachother!

Movie Night with IMPACTE Soc: Film » ac213 » 15th November 2018

Join us and IMPACTE soc for a screening of 'Adam', a romantic comedy which tells the tale of a young man named Adam, who has Asperger Syndrome, as he falls in love with a young woman named Beth. Free tea, coffee and pizza will be provided so make sure to join us!

New Years Party: Social » Galway, Galway, Harbour hotel » 22nd January 2019

Guest Speaker - Shane Finn - Entrepreneur, coach, endurance athlete: Guest Speakers » O'Flaherty Theatre » 19th February 2019

Friendship Walk: Social » The Cube » 27th February 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » AC202, NUIG Concourse » 10th April 2019

Bake Sale: Charity » Smokeys Cafe » 11th April 2019

Hey guys! We are having a bake sale to raise funds to go towards three of our members attending the Best Buddies International Leadership Conference in Indiana this summer. Please drop by for some study break treats xx

Best Buddies Ball: Social » Galway, Galway, Menlo park hotel » 10th May 2019

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The general aim of the society, is to create one to one friendships with people who have intellectual disabilities. We hope to inspire students of NUI Galway to be a part of this experience, to not only change their own perspectives on people with intellectual disabilities, but all of their friends and families too. Best Buddies is the world's largest organisation dedicated to ending the social, physical and economic isolation of the 200 million people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and here at NUIG, we hope to inspire as many people as we can to join us on this journey.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year we hope to achieve:

- The Bank of Ireland Sponsorship award
- Fundraising events (bake sale, friendship fair etc)
- Host welcome, Halloween and Christmas party.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society supported the members to build friendships with service user of Ability West and did so with great enthusiasm, running numerous events to help to reduce isolation of those with intellectual disability.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I believe that the co-operation of our members was one of our greatest successes. Students turned up diligently to events and were hugely supportive of their Buddies assigned from Ability West.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

A very new committee with little experience of working with Ability West; we relied closely on past auditors and committee members to ensure the best structure possible for the events.

Best Buddies Outgoing Committee

Name: Sara Fuller **Position:** OCM

Name: Laura McBrinn **Position:** Auditor

Name: Chloe Keleghan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Conan O Donnell **Position:** OCM

Name: Lucy Dockery **Position:** OCM

Name: Elise Byrne **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Treasa Ni Mhiochain **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Ciara McDaid **Position:** Events Officer

Name: Sarah Meehan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Sally Cahill **Position:** Secretary

Name: Conor Casey **Position:** Events Officer

Name: Fergal Kelly **Position:** OCM

Name: Seamus Monahan **Position:** OCM

Name: Dylan Somers **Position:** Treasurer

Best Buddies Incoming Committee

Name: Sheila Keeshan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Laura McBrinn **Position:** Auditor
Name: Chloe Keleghan **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Ciara McDaid **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Elise Byrne **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Treasa Ni Mhiochain **Position:** Secretary
Name: Anna Lynam **Position:** Treasurer

Best Buddies Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€303.62	Entry Fees	648.13
Fundraising	€960.00	Bank charge	€48.73
Socs box Till	€960.00	Dinner/Food	€329.28
Sponsorship	€600.00	Equipment misc	€29.34
USC Grant	€2,500.00	Fundraising / Charity	€960
		Hall hire	€50
		Materials	€20.06
		Promotions	€47.65
		Society Accomm	€64
		Socs Transport	€2,399.52
		Expenditure Total	€4,596.71
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€726.91
Total	€5323.62	Total	€5323.62

Alive Certificate Recipients		
Ciara Kelsey	8 hrs	Volunteer
Elise Byrne	15 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Karen Hamilton	30 hrs	Volunteer
Ellen Keyes	75 hrs	Volunteer
Rachel Keane	20 hrs	Volunteer
Josephine Sweeney	40 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Meehan	40 hrs	OCM
Ciara McDaid	40 hrs	Events Officer
Odhran Whelehan	12 hrs	Volunteer
Sara Fuller	50 hrs	OCM
Sinead Keane	12 hrs	Volunteer
Aine Ryan	10 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Jennings	30 hrs	Volunteer
Alanna Henry	4 hrs	Volunteer
Treasa Ni Mhiochain	50 hrs	Events Officer
Luke Roche	12 hrs	Volunteer
Meghan Kelly	10 hrs	Volunteer
Chloe Keleghan	25 hrs	Auditor

Seamus Monahan	10 hrs	OCM
Total Hours 493 Participants: 19		

Other Information

We held 6 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1179.

Biomedical Science

We feel we achieved our aims and objectives for the year 2018/19. The Biomedical Science Society became further established within the university. Both academic-based events, as well as society-bonding and recreational events, united students with an interest in the biomedical sciences and promoted biomedical science within the university. Our events brought together students from Science, while also introducing those from Engineering; Medicine; Nursing; and Arts to the society.



Biomedical Science Events list (11 Individual Events)

Biomed Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn » 25th September 2018

Come join us for our EGM, lots of committee positions available on the day and FREE PIZZA!

Antidepressants - Life changing medications or expensive placebos? A talk with Professor John Kelly: Guest Speakers » Colm O hEocha Theatre, Arts Millenium » 11th October 2018

Join us this Thursday for our Mental Health Week event - Antidepressants - Life changing medications or expensive placebos? A talk with Professor John Kelly. There will be free tea and desserts available too! Hope to see you all there.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Library study room 1 » 30th October 2018

Biomed Soc Committee Bowling: Social » Galway, Galway, Planet Bowling » 08th November 2018

Biomed Soc committee bonding bowling night

BioMedSoc Movember Fundraiser: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 22nd November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 21st January 2019

Socs Day 2: Other » Bailey Allen » 22nd January 2019

Careers in Healthcare: Careers » Career Seminar Room » 21st February 2019

Biomed Soc and the Career Development Centre present: Careers in Healthcare. Information on how to enter graduate medicine, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, pharmacy and other allied health careers. With a special guest, past Biomedical Science student, Kate Warde. 6:30-7:30 pm on Thursday 21st of February. Location TBC.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 12th March 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 01st April 2019

AGM to elect committee members for the next academic year.

Information on Biomedical Subjects for First Years: Educational » Thomas Dillon Theatre » 02nd April 2019

Information on biomedical science subjects (biochemistry, physiology, pharmacology and anatomy) for first year students provided by 3rd year students.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	17 society committee members with questions answered	17 Total society committee members	(15/17) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

- Promote the biomedical sciences within the college
- Bring different years of science and health science students together by organising social and educational events
- Raise awareness of various health-based charities through fundraising events
- Collaborate with different societies in organising events
- Invite guest speakers from NUI Galway and other universities to speak on biomedical research
- Unify students of the college with an interest in the biomedical sciences
- Invite various speakers to come in, to inform of the career paths available
- Guide younger students within the society, so that they have a better university experience

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- Hope to meet new people from different years of biomedical science through organizing events
- Host at least one speaker each semester to deliver biomedical research topics
- Organize charity events each semester
- Host an information session about future career paths in biomedical science in semester 2
- Organize an information meeting for first years on the subject choices for second year

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We succeeded in fulfilling most of the points stated in our mission statement.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We managed to achieve all our aims and objectives. However, we hosted only one charity event instead of two.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

In my opinion, our Careers in Healthcare Information Evening was a great success. We collaborated with the Career Development Centre and got very good feedback from the people that attended.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge was finding a suitable time that would suit all the 17 committee members for meetings.

Biomedical Science Outgoing Committee

Name: Karolina Zimkowska **Position:** Auditor

Name: Catherine Healy **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Claire Coleman **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Eoin Gillespie **Position:** General Science Rep

Name: Alison Graham **Position:** OCM
Name: Cian Mulqueen **Position:** 4th year Rep
Name: Patrick C Hurley **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Eva Mannion **Position:** 1st Year Rep
Name: Machila Phiri **Position:** 1st Year Rep
Name: Sarah Ward Murphy **Position:** 3rd Year Rep
Name: Amin Oun Ibrahim **Position:** Postgrad Rep
Name: Charlotte Lucas **Position:** Secretary
Name: Luke Carroll **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Ellie Gallagher **Position:** Art Director
Name: Roisin Ni Hamail **Position:** OCM
Name: Ivana Pyne **Position:** OCM
Name: Laura Casserly **Position:** OCM

Biomedical Science Incoming Committee

Name: Claire Coleman **Position:** Auditor
Name: Catherine Healy **Position:** Auditor
Name: Patrick C Hurley **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Sarah Ward Murphy **Position:** PRO
Name: Charlotte Lucas **Position:** Secretary
Name: Luke Carroll **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Ellie Gallagher **Position:** Art Director
Name: Karolina Zimkowska **Position:** OCM

Biomedical Science Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€455.01	Bank charge	€30.90
USC Grant	€550.00	Dinner/Food	€357.84
		Equipment misc	€2.95
		Fundraising / Charity	€49.5
		Gifts	€25
		Printing	€49.2
		Prizes	€8
		Expenditure Total	€523.39

		Closing Bank Balance	€481.62
Total	€1005.01	Total	€1005.01

Alive Certificate Recipients

Claire Coleman	40 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Charlotte Lucas	40 hrs	Secretary
Eoin Gillespie	5 hrs	General Science Rep
Sarah Ward Murphy	7 hrs	3rd Year Rep
Karolina Zimkowska	180 hrs	Auditor
Laura Casserly	10 hrs	OCM
Ivana Pyne	7 hrs	OCM
Alison Graham	35 hrs	OCM
Total Hours 324 Participants: 8		

Other Information

We held 5 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 497.

Botany Soc

The Botany Society is focused on hosting events, speakers and discussions based in the Botanical Science's.

Mushroom Forray 2018

Botany Soc Events list (36 Individual Events)

Botany Soc EGM: Other » TBC » 19th September 2018

The Botany Society EGM to elect some new committee members! There will be plant based food and drinks for all. It is a good chance to meet other plant enthusiasts and to have your say in the running of the society this year. Wednesday the 19th of September.

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 26th September 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 03rd October 2018

Fungus Day Galway: Educational » Smokies Table, Concourse » 05th October 2018



Meet the Botany Society for some fun with fungi! The mushroom season is at its peak, and we'll be presenting a table with the many colorful mushrooms found on the NUIG campus and around Galway, literature explaining the importance of fungi in the ecosystem and our daily lives, and info on the Botany Society's upcoming annual Mushroom Foray and other Botany Society activities throughout the year. From 1-3 pm, we'll have one of our resident mycologists at the table available to identify mushrooms that people bring in and answer questions about fungi. NUIG Botany Society proudly presents this event as part of the larger British Mycological Society Fungus Day events throughout Britain and Ireland: <https://www.ukfungusday.co.uk/>

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 10th October 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 17th October 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 24th October 2018

Mushroom Hunt: Seminar » Galway, Clonbur, Clonbur Woods » 28th October 2018

Mushroom foray to learn about the different fungi that grow in Irish Woodlands

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 31st October 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 07th November 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 14th November 2018

Social Night: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 18th November 2018

Social Get together and social evening to let people to get to know each other better

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 21st November 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 28th November 2018

Movie Night: Film » Charles McMunn Theatre » 29th November 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 05th December 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 12th December 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 19th December 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 26th December 2018

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 02nd January 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 09th January 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 16th January 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 23rd January 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 30th January 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 06th February 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 13th February 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 20th February 2019

Mushroom Forray: Gatherings » Galway, galway, Field beside Goldcrest » 22nd February 2019

Mushroom Forray

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 27th February 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 06th March 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 13th March 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 20th March 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 27th March 2019

Bot Soc Committee Meetings/Social evening: Committee Meeting » Botany Board Room » 03rd April 2019

Kew Gardens Trip: Educational » United Kingdom, London, Kew Gardens » 09th April 2019

Trip to Kew Gardens and National History Museum

Annual General Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 12th April 2019

Annual general meeting in order to elect new committee and discuss society business going forward for the year.

Leadership

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4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(7/8) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

We want to engage people in botany and promote awareness of natural sciences within NUI Galway and the wider community.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Engage with members to learn about botanical subjects and eat plant based foods.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe we held enough events and educated others.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes I believe we achieved all that we had set out to do.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The mushroom hunt.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Many of us were quite busy with college and other society commitments and it was difficult at times to find the right time of the week to meet.

Botany Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Deirdre Lynch **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Eilis Delaney **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Aine-May Gregg **Position:** Auditor

Name: Georgina Tuohy **Position:** Treasurer

Name: James Ryan **Position:** Secretary

Name: Aoife Hughes **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Peter Werner **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Lisa Buckley **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Botany Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Lisa Buckley **Position:** Interim Auditor

Botany Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€944.71	Bank charge	€31.37
Bank Charge	€0.61	Dinner/Food	€221.47
Members Contributions	€160.00	Hire Bus	€40.00
Socs box Till	€258.50	Returned Socs Money	€469.00
USC Grant	€500.00	Services Hired	€320.00
		Society accomm	€341.61
		Socs day expenses	€32.9

		Stationary	€5.2
		Expenditure Total	€1461.55
		Closing Bank Balance	€402.27
Total	€1863.82	Total	€1863.82

ALIVE Recipients

Georgina Tuohy	50 hrs	Treasurer
Aoife Hughes	50 hrs	Public Relations Officer
James Ryan	50 hrs	Secretary
Total Hours 150 Participants: 3		

Other Information

We held 22 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 409

Business Analytics

The Business Analytics Society of NUIG is an interdisciplinary network of professionals and students interested in exploring the role and impact of business analytics in the growth of organizations across domains.

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Business Analytics Events list (14 Individual Events)



Socs Day: Gatherings » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th September 2018

EGM: Other » IT250 (IT Building) » 02nd October 2018

Data Analysis: Growing potential in the Department of Justice and Equality: Social » ARAS MOYOLA MY243 » 18th October 2018

Dr. Gurchand Singh holds BA, MA, and PhD in Sociology and is currently the Chief Information Officer at Department of Justice and Equality and was formerly the Head of Analysis Service at Garda Síochána- the police service of the Republic of Ireland. He was also a Programme Director for the Crime & Drug Analysis and Research programme in the Home Office London. He is going to give a presentation and a lecture on Data Analysis: Growing potential in the Department of Justice and Equality.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » School of Business » 02nd November 2018

Retail Analytics: Customer visit segmentation using market basket data with Anastasia

Griva: Seminar » ARAS MOYOLA MY243 » 15th November 2018

Socs Day: Gatherings » Bailey Allen Hall » 22nd January 2019

DevOps and DataScience - Essential skills in demand for DevOps and DataScience with Sughosh

Harve: Guest Speakers » MY129 Aras Moyola » 12th February 2019

Google Hash Code: Seminar » CA 244 Business Building » 28th February 2019

Google Analytics with Swapnil Parashar: Training » 118 Business Building » 05th March 2019

Movie Night: Entertainment » Galway, Galway City, Eye cinema » 12th March 2019

Master Class with Bill Schmarzo- CTO of Hitachi Vantara: Guest Speakers » Large Lecture Theater, Aras Moyola » 26th March 2019

Hackathon in association with Insight Centre for Data Analytics: Educational » Galway, Galway City, Inisght Centre for Data Ana » 06th April 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » Kirwan Theatre » 10th April 2019

Machine Learning from A to Z with AutoML: a Hands-on Workshop: Educational » ARAS MOYOLA MY243 » 24th May 2019

This hands-on workshop will cover Automated Machine Learning (AutoML) at a level appropriate for IS majors, non-majors, MBA students, and faculty. AutoML is simply machine learning where data cleaning, feature engineering, algorithm selection, hyperparameter tuning, as well as most other steps are done automatically, removing the need for years of training in machine learning and statistics. In three hours, with no programming, we will do what will normally take a data scientist three months. Participants will go through the whole data science process from project objective definition, acquisition and exploration of data, modeling of the data, interpreting and communicating results, and implementing the solution. Kai Larsen has won both college-wide and university-wide teaching awards and has taught ML for a decade and AutoML for three years at both the undergraduate and graduate level, and his book entitled Automated Machine Learning for Business is under contract with Oxford University Press. P.S.: Attendees will also receive certificates. Kindly register on <https://forms.gle/B2XvHGakceKun23k>

Leadership

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4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(7/7) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The general aim of the society is to develop an interdisciplinary network of professionals and students who are interested in exploring the role and impact of business analytics in the fields of teaching, research and business applications.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year we plan on organizing and leading events and training's on business analytical tools every month that model effective data use and functional business strategies. Actively working to launch a platform wherein participants can discuss current trends and research in analytics with industry experts. This will allow the members to enable data-driven decision-making as well as acquire exceptional analytics talent and leadership

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Business Analytics Society is a new Society and it did a fabulous job in delivering the events as committed to the society members and were aligned with the key objectives and goals throughout the year. Society has 273 active members and organized successful events in analytics with key speakers from Industry like Gurchand Singh (Chief Information Officer at Garda Siochana) , Anastasia Grivia PhD Student doing research in Business Analytics, Sughosh Harve MSc Business Analytics alumni giving career guidance to the students and helped them tailor their approach in analytics domain so that align themselves with right skill set, collaborated for Google Hackathon event, collaborating with Lero for Bill Schmarzo (CTO of Hitachi Vantara) event on Big Data Analytics, collaborating for Google Hackathon event, organizing movie night. Presently, society is working on organizing the biggest event of the year Datathon and has collaborated with Insight Center for the same and Community Event with Hope Foundation at the University. I firmly believe society has worked towards organizing the events that benefited members by gaining the valuable skills and knowledge in the analytics field which are in great demand in the industry. It helped society people to embed analytics in their field of interest, learn disruptive data and analytics strategy, learn about emerging technologies - Artificial Intelligence, Machine learning, Blockchain and accelerate the adoption of new skills and data-driven decision making.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, Society achieved the objective of developing the interdisciplinary network of professionals and students sharing the same interest and building analytics platform to share their knowledge, experience, expertise in analytics.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Business Analytics Society is a newly established society and the greatest success of the Society is its capability to develop analytics network, organize the events that benefit the society member on professional as well as personal front and having 250 plus active members.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Some of the challenges that Society faced were building and strengthening the society infrastructure, developing the meaningful partnership, increasing the value, impact and recognition of volunteer management, decisions on the organizing events that interest people, harnessing the benefits of digital technology for marketing and promotions of the society.

Business Analytics Outgoing Committee

Name: Sonali Raut Position: Auditor
Name: Harshal Deshmukh Position: Vice-Auditor
Name: Zhen Xiang Soo Position: Treasurer
Name: Siddhant Mohapatra Position: Public Relations Officer: Social Media
Name: Shefali Sawant Position: OCM
Name: Christopher Patti Position: Assistant Marketing & Promotion Officer
Name: Anna Quinn Position: Vice Secretary
Business Analytics Incoming Committee
Name: Zhen Xiang Soo Position: Auditor

Business Analytics Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.17
USC Grant	€500.00	Dinner/Food	€384.50
		Expenditure Total	€429.67
		Closing Bank Balance	€70.33
Total	€500	Total	€500

Alive Certificate Recipients

Harshal Deshmukh	0 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Anna Quinn	10 hrs	Vice Secretary
Siddhant Mohapatra	100 hrs	Public Relations Officer: Social Media
Christopher Patti	16 hrs	Assistant Marketing & Promotion Officer
Sonali Raut	160 hrs	Auditor
Zhen Xiang Soo	26 hrs	Treasurer
Shefali Sawant	16 hrs	OCM

Ammar Tahir	12 hrs	Secretary
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Other Information

We held 7 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 354.

Business Society

Business Society Events list (13 Individual Events)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Fottrell Theatre » 01st October 2018

Bizsoc First Year Party: Gatherings » College Bar (SULT) » 03rd October 2018

Bizsoc proudly presents the First Year Party, for first years to get to know each other. Free into 4/4 after, not to be missed. Check Facebook or Instagram for more details

Insights from Niamh O'Sullivan and Jameson Marketing Team: Guest Speakers » IT250 (IT Building) » 05th November 2018

Obtain career insights from past NUIG graduate, now blogger Niamh O'Sullivan! She will be talking you through her personal experience with interviews, internships, working in PR and marketing, blogging, branding, graduate visas, making the move abroad and the move back! Jameson will also be giving a talk about their amazing graduate programme and how you can become part of their team! There will be free pizza provided on the night.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Fottrell Theatre » 19th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Fottrell Theatre » 22nd November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Fottrell Theatre » 12th December 2018

BizSoc Presents: The CommCarnival: Social » Galway, Galway City, Galmont Hotel » 23rd January 2019

WE'RE BACK WITH A BANG! Every year we say the Commerce Ball is bigger and better than the last, we're not just saying that this time. We're pulling out all the stops to make sure it'll be a night you'll never forget. FULL TICKET HOLDERS♦ Champagne reception at 5:00pm.♦ An Orchestra will be on hand to greet you with tunes from a very famous circus themed movie soundtrack live♦ Four course meal commencing at 6pm🎪 CARNIVAL (FULL TICKETHOLDERS ONLY) In line with our theme we're pulling out all the stops as usual. We'll have popcorn machines AND candyfloss machines to greet you at reception. The ballroom will be fully transformed into a carnival from 7-9pm with classic carnival games and a carnival themed photo shoot area. AFTERS TICKET HOLDERS: We'll welcome the afters ticket holders at 9pm to fill them in on everything they've missed out on.**We are raising the standard this year with a huge 4 acts that will keep you entertained all night long!**What more could we possibly do for you? Your wristband given to you on arrival (both full and afters tickets) will grant you entry to the College Bar queue skip and complimentary entry to Electric on Day 2 - Act will be announced soon. Keep an eye on the page we'll be announcing acts over the next few weeks 🎟 Tickets will be on sale for a very limited time, be sure to click attending for all ticket sales info. Get your clown shoes on and get excited for the best night of your life. xoxoBizSoc **Tickets can be purchased online by anyone but must have a student card upon collection**

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Fottrell Theatre » 22nd February 2019

Committee Dinner: Gatherings » Fottrell Theatre » 06th March 2019

In Biteclub

BizSoc's Big Buttery Biscuit Quiz: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 14th March 2019

Table Quiz in aid of Cancer Care West. Hosted by Galway's favourite Drag Queen, Kiki St Clair, with music from a Red Bull DJ €5 per person, in teams of 4-5 people. Many prizes to be won on the night, for great cause.

Committee Dinner: Committee Meeting » Fottrell Theatre » 02nd April 2019

In Bite club

Biz Soc AGM: Gatherings » Charles McMunn » 09th April 2019

Biz Soc AGM, positions up for grabs for next year's committee. All welcome!

Leadership

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4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(5/6) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

NUI Galway's Business Society's primary objective is to be recognized as a resource for NUI Galway students interested in professional, social, educational and developmental experiences. We hope to serve our members by providing them opportunities and resources to learn more about graduate career paths, professional development, enterprises and innovation, in a setting that promotes inclusion and collaboration.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

As a society, this year we hope to: increase membership by 800, organize 3 career development events, increase sales of our commerce ball by 15%, fundraise €1,000 for charity.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Extremely well, we had a great ball, international trip and 1st year party, table quiz and guest speaker

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes to a great degree

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Massively, best year yet

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Including more students outside core committee

Business Society Outgoing Committee

Name: David Mannion **Position:** Auditor
Name: Liam Sheehan **Position:** Secretary
Name: Rhianna Head **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Laura Beirne **Position:** Strategy Consultant
Name: Aimee Palmer **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Ryan Heron **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Business Society Incoming Committee

Name: Jack Grealish **Position:** Auditor
Name: James Costelloe **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Tomas Forde **Position:** PRO (Public Relations Officer)
Name: Andrea Callaghan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Chloe Keleghan **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Eoin Day **Position:** Events Manager

Business Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€16,654.11	Ball	€45,345.54
Ecommerce Sales	€27,765.00	Bank charge	€68.93
Fundraising	€400	Dinner/Food	€1,970.60
Socs box Till	€175.00	Entertainment	€180.00
Sponsorship	€8,000.00	Fundraising / Charity	€700
Ticket Sales	€4,820.00	Non Alcoholic Refresh	€6.9
		Online Sales Mass Refund	€35
		Printing	€24.45
		Prizes	€511.35
		Society transport	€5347.34
		Socs Box Till Refund	€125
		Socs day expenses	€21.71
		Expenditure Total	€54,336.82
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€3477.29
Total	€57,814.11	Total	€57,814.11

Alive Certificate Recipients

Bryan Carroll	0 hrs	Treasurer
Paul Crampton	24 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 24 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 2496.

Cancer Society

Huge thanks to the team this year, Everyone carried their weight and more for every event. Although it was a lot of stress we did so much and accomplished many things including

Relay for life

Although we encountered many Many MANY obstacles. We availed to get a venue for Relay for life. I am proud of many things that I noticed throughout the event. Many people came upto us asking how we managed to entertain irish students for 12 hours on a Thursday night (a typical night out) without alcohol. We are proud to encourage fun in a healthy and safe way all while fundraising for a great cause. Although last minute many attended and we made a total of 4400 Euros! Relay is a huge event with many subcommittees to get everything in order. From logistics, Candle of Hope, Fundraising, Team development, Entertainment, Food and drink, Survivorship and PRO! I think it was definitely the bigger endeavours in terms of events done on campus! I hope next year they will be able to put more energy and effort in the event rather than finding a venue and hopefully make more money and include more entertainment ideas!

Charity Boxing

As a team, this was a less stressful event to plan! We had fun planning it and running it! We made about 14 000 euros and the night was lively! People getting together to fundraise and encourage their friends who are fighting. Huge shoutout to the fighter who fundraised a lot of money and committed to 2 weekly of training! They all enjoyed and gained confidence and got fit! Some even showed interest in continuing boxing in their personal lives! I suggest the next committee plan Charity boxing a couple of weeks earlier so they can apply for BICS as it is such a unique idea and many people are involved! We did at least 6-7 bake sales and stands and the team was very involved! One thing I would like to be proud of is that our events were filled with different types of students! Not just medical students! We had Commerce students, ERASMUS students, arts, podiatry and science students actively volunteering at both events! And this is amazing because it shows that I didn't have to ask my friends to come support. Random people were dedicated and wanted to take part and help or volunteer or take part in both Relay and Charity Boxing, which was so encouraging and motivating!



A team of a thousand med

Cancer Society Events list (37 Individual Events)

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

Meeting our members!!: Charity » AC215 » 24th September 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC214 » 01st October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC214 » 08th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC214 » 15th October 2018

Pink Day Committee Craft session: Arts & Culture » Galway, Galway City, Dun na Coiribe » 21st October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC214 » 22nd October 2018

Race in Pink Bucket collection: Charity » Galway, Galway, Galway races » 28th October 2018

Bucket collection at Race day for the breast cancer research

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC214 » 29th October 2018

Pink Day: Charity » Áras na mac Léinn - Table A at Smokies » 30th October 2018

We will be having a bake sale and games beside Smokies cafe to raise money and awareness for Breast Cancer, as well as mobile health units outside the Bailey Allen Hall.

Bake Sale: Charity » Áras na mac Léinn - Table A at Smokies » 30th October 2018

Bake Sale: Charity » CSI Stem Cafe » 30th October 2018

Bake Sale: Charity » Engineering Building Foyer » 30th October 2018

Bake Sale: Charity » Foyer, Human Biology Building » 30th October 2018

We have contacted the people in charge of booking the HBB foyer and are still awaiting approval so this one is not definite yet.

Mobile units - Breast Cancer checks info sessions: Educational » Foyer of Bailey Allen Hall » 30th October 2018

Mobile units from the Marie Keating foundation, they will be handing out pamphlets and educating the public about efficient breast checks for cancer.

RFL training: Training » AC 202 » 08th November 2018

Representative will come teach us some tips for organizing RFL, committee and members are invited!

Selling Candle of Hope bags: Charity » Smokeys Table » 19th November 2018

Selling Candle of Hope bags, marketing for RFL

Selling Candle of Hope bags: Charity » Engineering Building Foyer » 20th November 2018

Selling Candle of Hope Bags, marketing for RFL

Cancer soc committee meeting: Committee Meeting » AC201 » 26th November 2018

Committee meeting for RFL

AGM: Charity » AC 214 » 23rd January 2019

New secretary Election Charity boxing event debrief and volunteer recruitment RFL subcommittee volunteer meeting

Meeting for RFL - all members welcome: Charity » SC003 - THOMAS DILLON THEATRE » 28th January 2019

RFL planning and delegation and team recruitment and development

FIGHT NIGHT info session: Charity » Dillon Theater » 30th January 2019

Trainer and manager of White Collar boxing will explain more about the commitments to joining the training for FIGHT NIGHT! Q&A to further explain any queries

World Cancer day: Charity » Smokeys Table » 04th February 2019

Bake Sale for World cancer Day + Relay For Life team sign ups!

Meeting for Relay For Life - all members welcome: Committee Meeting » Thomas Dillon theatre, on the Concourse » 04th February 2019

Plan for Relay for life and Charity boxing

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dillon Theater » 11th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Thomas Dillon Theatre » 18th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dillon Theater » 25th February 2019

Team Captains Meeting: Other » Dillon Theater » 28th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dillon Theater » 04th March 2019

Relay for life preparation: Gatherings » Dillon Theater » 05th March 2019

Relay for life preparation and bag decorating.

Relay for life preparation: Gatherings » Dillon Theater » 06th March 2019

Relay for life preparation and bag making.

Relay for life 2019: Charity » Bailey Allen Hall Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th March 2019

The 5th annual Relay For Life is happening on Thursday, the 7th of March in the Bailey Allen Hall! - RFL is a 12-hour event that runs from 6pm-6am where we celebrate and remember the lives of cancer survivors, cancer fighters, and those who have lost their fight against cancer. - Multiple participating teams will have different fundraisers including bake sales, henna tattoos, video games and much much more! - Entertainment throughout the night such as silent disco, yoga, Zumba, etc will be provided for everyone to take part in! - A track will be made in the hall out of Candle of Hope bags for participants to walk on! - Food and T-shirts* will be provided with each 10 euro entry! Make sure that you do not miss the most fun event of the year! *We always have a limited stock of t-shirts and they will be given out on a first come, first served basis.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dillon Theater » 11th March 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dillon Theater » 18th March 2019

Bake Sale: Other » Engineering Building Foyer » 19th March 2019

Bake Sale

Boxing: Charity » Galmont Hotel » 21st March 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	11 Total society committee members	(11/11) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

As a society our aim to continue to raise funds for charities supporting families and patients affected by cancer. In addition, we will put more effort in raising awareness as well as including more educational information to our members. We will also try to support cancer patients in more direct ways, by volunteering or taking part in research opportunities.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

3 main events

5Km race for pink day - raise 2000 euros

Relay for life - raise 10 000 euros

Charity boxing - raise - 15 000 euros

Bring in more speakers. Oncologists

Raise more awareness (race day will be an outdoor event so the community will be able to see and remember or learn more about breast cancer.

Try to find foundations that allow volunteers to spend time with cancer patients, keep them company or help in any way.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We did as amazing as expected considering the circumstances! The team carried their weight and more in every event and anything we decided to do together.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We raised a lot of funds for cancer charities! We had both of our events!

Got a solid venue with a good and well written EMP (after many trials and edits) for future years for relay Keeping Boxing as an event

-getting the ball rolling early and having fun planning it and running the event while fundraising

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Reaching out to a bigger audience and recruiting volunteers from different faculties

Raising a lot of money!

Bringing Charity Boxing back as a cancer soc event and raised as much money as the first time when it was a huge success!!

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Finding a venue for Relay for life.

Cancer Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Aman Pal **Position:** Education Officer

Name: Albert Gurses **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Amir Al-Salihi **Position:** OCM

Name: Abdullah Alkhunaizi **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Namra Iqbal **Position:** OCM

Name: Karin Ishak **Position:** Auditor

Name: Julia Britton **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Abulhassan Ali **Position:** OCM

Name: Cliona Keely **Position:** Secretary
Name: Sherok Hegazy **Position:** OCM
Name: Juan Oostenbrink **Position:** Secretary

Cancer Society Incoming Committee

Name: Tushar Thakur **Position:** OCM

Cancer Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€840.00	Apparel	€325.34
Bank Charge	€1,000.00	Bank charge	€75.34
Ecommerce Sales	€2,190.00	Dinner/Food	€856.38
Fundraising	€20,790.86	Entertainment	€100.00
USC Grant	€500.00	Equipment misc	€717.63
		Fundraising / Charity	€12,214.86
		Hall hire	€523
		Services Hired	€6313.65
		Expenditure Total	€21,126.20
		Closing Bank Balance	€4,194.66
Total	€25,320.86	Total	€25,320.86

Alive Certificate Recipients

Julia Britton	30 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Karen Hamilton	24 hrs	Volunteer
Sinead Gonley	30 hrs	Volunteer

Ciara Lonergan	12 hrs	Volunteer
Veronica Fay-Watt	6 hrs	Volunteer
Michael Lane	10 hrs	Volunteer
Andrew Healy	12 hrs	Volunteer
Raza Abbas Syed	12 hrs	Volunteer
Mae Shyan Wong	30 hrs	Volunteer
Alanna Henry	12 hrs	Volunteer
Aoife Fitzgerald	12 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Feely	1 hrs	Volunteer
Sherok Hegazy	35 hrs	OCM
Aimee Philip	12 hrs	Volunteer
Hira Mahmood	12 hrs	Volunteer
Ahmed Eltayeb	15 hrs	Volunteer
Antonia Odubote	30 hrs	Volunteer
Mairead Kilcoyne	12 hrs	Volunteer
Nur Hazeeqah Nasser	2 hrs	Volunteer

Other Information

We held 30 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1314.

Catholic Society

The Catholic society of NUIG provided an output for students to explore the Catholic faith on campus. We did this through weekly prayer meetings, talks and ecumenical worship nights. We also engaged with external parties to provide a broader Catholic experience to our members through outings to the Poor Clare's convent for example.

Cathsoc at Poor Clare's



Catholic Society Events list (16 Individual Events)

The reasonable basis of faith: Man is restless without God: Conference » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 28th November 2018

CathSoc EGM: Committee Meeting » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 06th February 2019

EGM: Committee Meeting » An Gáirdín Sosa, The Chapel of St. Columbanus » 06th February 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 06th March 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 13th March 2019

Treasurer Training: Training » SocsBox » 14th March 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 20th March 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 27th March 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 03rd April 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 10th April 2019

End of year party: Social » Galway, Galway City, Planet Entertainment Centre » 15th April 2019

Bowling

Agm: Other » College Chapel » 17th April 2019

We will be holding our agm

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 24th April 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 01st May 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 08th May 2019

Prayer meeting: Other » College Chapel » 15th May 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(5/5) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Pretty well we achieved much of what we set out to achieve in our mission.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

All of them.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Establishing a link with other Christian societies in the college, specifically PENSA society and Anaphora Christian Orthodox Society through an ecumenical worship night in week 12. This was held in 'The View' in Aras na Mac Leinn. There was great turnout, enjoyed by all and each society was left with a great sense of fellowship and excitement moving forward together.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

We found that numbers fluctuated greatly throughout the year, and it was a challenge for us to generate a consistent flow of students for our weekly functions.

Catholic Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Grace Hernon **Position:** OCM

Name: Clara Terren Hogan **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: John Aherne **Position:** Auditor

Name: Michael Gallagher **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Anthony O'Sullivan **Position:** Secretary

Catholic Society Incoming Committee

Name: Anthony O'Sullivan **Position:** Secretary

Name: John Aherne **Position:** Auditor

Catholic Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€247.30	Bank charge	€30.68
USC Grant	€350.00	Dinner/Food	€251.48
		Entertainment	€82
		Equipment misc	€27.99
		Expenditure Total	€392.15
		Closing Bank Balance	€205.15
Total	€597.3	Total	€597.3

Alive Certificate Recipients

Stephanie Moriarty	20 hrs	Volunteer
Michael Gallagher	15 hrs	Volunteer
Donal Cahill	25 hrs	OCM

Total Hours 60 Participants: 3

Other Information

We held 7 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 270.

Cheerleading Society

NUIG Cheerleading has had a very successful year.

In September we began our recruitment process and now have a great group of new cheerleaders that developed their skills over the year and went on to win gold in their divisions at intervarsitys (Celtic Spirit). We have held many fun events outside of our weekly trainings throughout the year including a trip to UL to learn some Parkour. Our veteran cheerleaders as part of Tribes, in collaboration with GMIT, represented Galway at the University World Cup Cheerleading Championships in Florida. We won gold in the International Coed Elite division becoming the first Irish cheer team to place first at an International level.

Our National Champions at Celtic Spirit



Cheerleading Society Events list (45 Individual Events)

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Beginners Cheerleading Training: Training » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 17th September 2018

Everyone welcome to come along to beginners cheerleading training! Absolutely no prior knowledge of cheer needed! Come

along in sports-appropriate clothes and have some fun 😊

Meeting: cheerleading for connacht rugby: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 17th September 2018

Meeting to discuss potentially cheerleading for the sidelines of a Connacht rugby match

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th September 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Cheerleading EGM: Committee Meeting » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 25th September 2018

EGM for cheersoc, come get pizza, committee positions, and join in the craic

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st October 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Games Night: Social » The Hub, Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th October 2018

Get to know your team! Games night with pizza in the hub

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th October 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Halloween Movie Night: Film » Thomas Dillon Theatre » 18th October 2018

Kick off your Halloween celebrations early with CheerSoc! There will be food of some description.

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd October 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Table Quiz: Social » The Corrib Room, Sult » 23rd October 2018

Join us for a Table Quiz to raise money for our Worlds team travelling to Florida in January. €5 per person with teams of 4ish. Top Prize to be revealed

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th October 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Trip to UL Parkour Club: Trips » Limerick, University of Limerick, PESS, UL » 06th November 2018

Collab Tumbling workshop with UL Parkour Club

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Cheer Training: Training » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th November 2018

Join us for classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and more

Ice skating: Social » Galway, Salthill, Leisureland » 27th November 2018

Team Bonding-Ice Skating

Training: Training » Galway, Galway City, Doughiska, Stuntworx Elite » 10th December 2018

Training: Training » Galway, Galway City, Doughiska, Stuntworx Elite » 14th January 2019

UCA University World Cup Cheerleading Championships: Sport » United States, Orlando, DisneyWorld » 16th January 2019

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 04th February 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Circuit Training: Sport » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 06th February 2019

Join cheerleading soc for some high intensity circuit training. All welcome!!

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 11th February 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Circuit Training with Cheersoc and Strength Soc: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 13th February 2019

Circuit Trainings with Cheersoc and Strength Soc, get sweating and socialise

Pizza and boardgames: Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th February 2019

Pizza, board games and socialising with Cheersoc

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 18th February 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 25th February 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Circuits: Training » The Stage » 27th February 2019

Movie night: Social » McMunn Lecture Hall » 28th February 2019

Learn about the extensive world of cheerleading as we watch our favorite routines, videos, and general cheer banter. Food and snacks provided.

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 04th March 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Circuits: Training » The Stage » 06th March 2019

CelticSpirit: Other » Mayo, Castlebar, Breaffy House » 08th March 2019

National Cheerleading Competition

Pom pom making: Classes » The Stage » 11th March 2019

Live your own version of 'Bring it on' by making your very own set of pom poms.

Circuits: Training » The Stage » 13th March 2019

St. Patrick's Day Parade: Other » Galway, Galway, Through galway city » 17th March 2019

Participation in the Galway city parade

Circuits: Training » Large Acoustic Room » 20th March 2019

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 25th March 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Circuits: Training » The Stage » 27th March 2019

Cheerleading AGM: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st April 2019

Cheersocs AGM. Get involved in the committee or learn more about cheerleading in ireland. all welcome.

Circuits: Training » The Stage » 03rd April 2019

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 08th April 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

Cheerleading training: Classes » The Stage » 15th April 2019

Learn to jump, stunt, dance and tumble at cheerleading! Open to everyone, no experience necessary.

End of Year Party: Social » Galway, Galway City, Biteclub » 10th May 2019

Join Cheerleading as we celebrate the end of the year with our End of Year Party. This is a social event to reflect on a great year and all the friends made. Meeting at the Bailey Allen, and going for dinner.

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Bringing the world of University Cheerleading to NUIG!

We provide classes on stunting, tumbling, dance, and much more, facilitating team bonding & making life-long friends.

We train hard, perform at events & compete at national competitions

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to;

- Represent NUIG at 21cc

- Collaborate with related clubs/socs

- Represent NUIG at Celtic Spirit

- Form a committed team of beginners to help continue the society in years to come

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We most definitely achieved our mission statement this year.

We brought a team of 12 athletes to nationals in March winning 1st place, and to an inter-varsity event in November.

Our recreational cheerleaders have also had a great year learning lots of new skills.

Our worlds team in collaboration with GMIT won a WorldCup title at UWCCC in Florida in January.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We collaborated with UL parkour club to learn some tumbling skills on their amazing airtrack, we also collaborated with NUIG strength soc in hosting a HIIT circuit class.

We brought 2 stunt groups to Celtic Spirit both groups came 1st in their divisions!

We have a very dedicated core group of beginners, that I'm sure will be an integral part of cheersoc for years to come.

Unfortunately we did not manage to attend 21cc this year as the event was on too close to our semester 1 exams.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

We really revived the society this year this is the most new members we have retained in my experience with the society, but i would have to say that our worlds team coming home World Champions would have to be our greatest success.

We were the first Irish national cheer team to win Gold at a world championship level.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Reviving the society was definitely a challenge, last year (17/18) the beginners were forgotten amongst our preparations for worlds.

This year we were determined not to let that happen and succeeded but it was a challenge first semester trying to balance worlds prep with beginner training and academic work.

Cheerleading Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Rebecca Smith **Position:** Auditor
Name: Ciara O'Neill **Position:** Secretary
Name: Jennie O'Brien **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Mariana Fox **Position:** PRO
Name: Rachel Meaney **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Romina Gonzalez **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Caoimhin de Burca **Position:** Man of the Match
Name: Bridget Stover **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Michelle Coughlan **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Edel Whitney **Position:** Trip Organizer
Name: Eimear O'Tuathail **Position:** 1st Year Rep

Cheerleading Society Incoming Committee

Name: Ciara O'Neill **Position:** Auditor
Name: Mariana Fox **Position:** Secretary
Name: Rachel Meaney **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Edel Whitney **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Jessica Powell **Position:** Trips Officer
Name: Michelle Coughlan **Position:** Safety/Equipment Officer
Name: Shannen Ni Chaoilte **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Eimear O'Tuathail **Position:** OCM
Name: Patrick C Hurley **Position:** OCM

Cheerleading Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€682.73	Bank charge	€31.10
USC Grant	€10.350.00	Dinner/Food	€489.75
		Entry fees	€245.50
		Printing	€49.20
		Services Hired	€75
		Society accomm	€254
		Society transport	€3745.23
		Teacher fees	€1250
		USCG Grant	€4175
		Expenditure Total	€10314.78
		Closing Bank Balance	€717.95
Total	€11032.73	Total	€11032.73

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ciara O'Neill	45 hrs	Secretary
Jennie O'Brien	0 hrs	Treasurer
Total Hours 45 Participants: 2		

Other Information

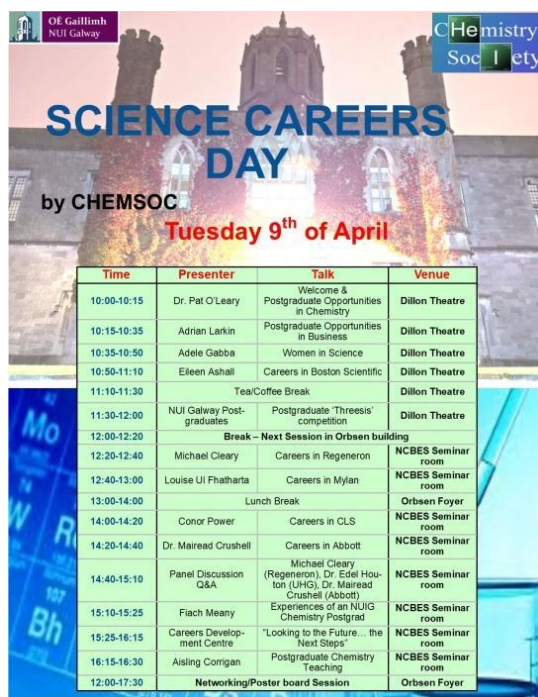
We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 876.

Chemistry Soc

Throughout the year the chemistry society has hosted 14 guest speakers in the department, many from prestigious international institutions. We have also hosted several outreach activities for our students. These include; bake sales, table quizzes and Christmas/Halloween parties.

This year we also hosted our first ever international trip, to Riga, Latvia. With 20 postgraduate students attending. In April this year we are hosting a careers day event, with guest speakers from industry talking to our current science students.

Chem Soc Careers Day 2019



Time	Presenter	Talk	Venue
10:00-10:15	Dr. Pat O'Leary	Welcome & Postgraduate Opportunities in Chemistry	Dillon Theatre
10:15-10:35	Adrian Larkin	Postgraduate Opportunities in Business	Dillon Theatre
10:35-10:50	Adele Gabba	Women in Science	Dillon Theatre
10:50-11:10	Eileen Ashall	Careers in Boston Scientific	Dillon Theatre
11:10-11:30		Tea/Coffee Break	Dillon Theatre
11:30-12:00	NUI Galway Post-graduates	Postgraduate 'Thesis' competition	Dillon Theatre
12:00-12:20		Break – Next Session in Orben building	
12:20-12:40	Michael Cleary	Careers in Regeneron	NCBES Seminar room
12:40-13:00	Louise Uí Fhatharta	Careers in Mylan	NCBES Seminar room
13:00-14:00		Lunch Break	Orben Foyer
14:00-14:20	Conor Power	Careers in CLS	NCBES Seminar room
14:20-14:40	Dr. Mairead Crushell	Careers in Abbott	NCBES Seminar room
14:40-15:10	Panel Discussion Q&A	Michael Cleary (Regeneron), Dr. Edel Houston (JHG), Dr. Mairead Crushell (Abbott)	NCBES Seminar room
15:10-15:25	Fiach Meany	Experiences of an NUIG Chemistry Postgrad	NCBES Seminar room
15:25-16:15	Careers Development Centre	'Looking to the Future... the Next Steps'	NCBES Seminar room
16:15-16:30	Aisling Corrigan	Postgraduate Chemistry Teaching	NCBES Seminar room
12:00-17:30		Networking/Poster board Session	Orben Foyer

Chemistry Soc Events list (19 Individual Events)

Socs Day 1: Other » Bailey Allen » 12th September 2018

Public Seminar: Hydrogen: Fuel of the Future, Right Now!: Seminar » IT125 (IT Building) » 24th September 2018

ChemSoc, Dr Pau Farràs and SEAFUEL cordially invite you to the Public Lecture by Mr Carlos Navas of FCH JU on Monday, 24th September 2018 from 5 pm. Being held at lecture theatre IT125, IT Building, NUI Galway. Refreshments will be served, please confirm attendance at: <https://goo.gl/Uyx2ET>

Seminar: Guest Speakers » IT125 (IT Building) » 24th September 2018

Carlos Navas from FCH, EU gave a seminar entitled 'Hydrogen: Fuel of the Future, Right Now!'

Academic Seminar 2: Seminar » Thomas Dillon Theatre » 28th September 2018

Prof Raid Alany from Kingston University London gave a seminar entitled: "Age Related Sight Loss: Drug Delivery Strategies to the Anterior and Posterior Segments of the Eye"

Academic Seminar 3: Seminar » ac213 » 25th October 2018

Prof. Kim McKelvey from Trinity College Dublin gave a seminar entitled: "Mapping Electrocatalytic Activity at the Nanoscale"

Academic Seminar 4: Seminar » ac213 » 01st November 2018

Dr Miriam O'Duill of NUI Galway gave a seminar entitled: "Rational Directing-Group Design for the Stabilisation of Six-Membered Palladacycles"

ChemSoc Table Quiz: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 08th November 2018

Charity table quiz for Movember and society fundraiser.

Academic Seminar 6: Seminar » human biology building » 28th November 2018

Prof. Mark Leake from the University of York delivered a seminar entitled: "Illuminating the Black Box of DNA-Protein Interactions"

Academic Seminar 7: Seminar » MY127 » 29th November 2018

Dr. Martin Fascione from the University of York delivered a seminar entitled: "Organocatalyst-mediated bioconjugation of protein aldehydes"

ChemSoc Bake Sale: Other » Smokeys Cafe » 10th December 2018

Bake sale to raise funds for ChemSoc

Academic Seminar 8: Seminar » Joseph Larmor Theatre » 13th December 2018

Prof Dermot Diamond of DCU delivered a seminar entitled: "Long-Term Implantable Biochemical Sensors – Fundamental Barriers and Potential Solutions"

ChemSoc Christmas Party: Social » Galway, Galway City, Cellar Bar » 13th December 2018

Annual Christmas party for the Chemistry department

Academic Seminar 5: Seminar » ac213 » 14th December 2018

Prof Melvin Eurby of the University of Strathclyde gave a seminar entitled: "How Pharmaceutical, Economical and Regulatory Drivers Influence the Development of Modern Liquid Chromatographic Instrumentation/Stationary Phases and the Science Behind it"

Academic Seminar 9: Seminar » Dillon Theater » 10th January 2019

Prof Asmund Rinnan delivered a seminar entitled: "The significance of the Structure of Data on the Subsequent Prediction Model"

Academic Seminar 10: Seminar » Dillon Theatre » 10th January 2019

Prof. Valentin Wittmann delivered a seminar entitled: "Chemical Biology of Cellular Carbohydrates: Multivalency and Bioorthogonal Labelling"

Academic Seminar 11: Seminar » Dillon Theatre » 31st January 2019

Prof. Iain Coldham of The University of Sheffield delivered a seminar entitled: "Chiral Organometallic Chemistry for the preparation of Substituted Heterocycles"

Academic Seminar 12: Seminar » Dillon Theatre » 08th February 2019

Prof. Sylvestre Bonnet of Leiden University delivered a seminar entitled: "Activating Anti-cancer Metallodrugs with Blue, Green and Red Light"

Academic Seminar 13: Seminar » Dillon Theatre » 15th February 2019

Prof. Nuria Lopez of The Institute of Chemical Research of Catalonia (ICIQ) will deliver a seminar entitled: "Chemical Steps in Electrochemical Processes"

Chem Soc Careers Day: Careers » Dillon Theatre and Orbsen Building » 09th April 2019

Tuesday the 9th of April in the Dillon Theatre and Orbsen building. 11:30-12:00 pm in the Dillon Theatre 12-5 pm in the Orbsen building foyer Boston Scientific, Mylan, CLS, Abbott, Regeneron and the HSE will all be giving talks and Q&A sessions throughout the day and the timetable is attached. I hope you will all find something of interest on the timetable and come down and support Chem Soc sometime throughout the day!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(8/8) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

An Cumann Ceimice (The Chemistry Society) brings you speakers from all over the World to share the passion of Chemistry with each one of us!

Led exclusively by PhD students, An Cumann Ceimice represents the exciting, progressive research activity within the School of Chemistry (link to School of Chemistry web page). We aim to promote Chemistry in NUI Galway, Ireland and beyond. To this end, we invite leading national and international researchers to participate in our seminar series. This creates opportunities for interaction between students, staff and external researchers. We also organise a range of fun social events including: Halloween and Christmas parties, Chemistry Quiz and a mystery weekend away. We engage in charity work and are affiliated with Kitchen Chemistry – the outreach initiative of the School of Chemistry.

We encourage Chemistry students of any level to join An Cumann Ceimice!

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Generate, sustain and develop interest in chemistry in NUIG.

Provide opportunity for meetings and talks between people interested in chemistry.

Provide opportunities for meetings between professional people such as chemists in education, industry and government with the student population.

Facilitate seminars with invited guest speakers to broaden the knowledge of chemistry in the department.

Arrange a Student Careers day, through the Careers' Office in April 2019. With invited speakers from a wide range of industries across Ireland relevant to chemistry graduates.

Arrange for student activities such as table quizzes, bake sales, Halloween/Christmas parties and a weekend away in Late Spring/Early Summer.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

As we have invited over 15 renowned guest speakers to NUI Galway this year, and have hosted a wide range of social outreach activities, it is fair to say the society lived up to its mission statement this year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We have hosted 13 academic seminars, with 2 more planned, in the academic year, and hosted several outreach and fundraising activities including a first european mystery trip for the society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The European mystery trip in January 2019.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The arrangement of guest speakers and space on campus for the ChemSoc Careers Day in April 2019.

Chemistry Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Fiach Meany **Position:** Auditor
Name: Meghan Winterlich **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Fiona Gordon **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Sean Hennessey **Position:** Secretary
Name: Gavin Kenny **Position:** Tea Room Custodian
Name: BERNARD BOATENG **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: IOANNIS MYLONAS-MARGARITIS **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Paul Guillen **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Chemistry Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Eoin Hever **Position:** Auditor
Name: Abdulmoez Elkhbuli **Position:** Tea Room Custodian
Name: Rozan Mehder **Position:** co-Public Relations Officer
Name: Jack Bennett **Position:** Co-Treasurer
Name: Neville Murphy **Position:** Co-Treasurer
Name: Ahmed Ahmed **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Liam Fitzgerald **Position:** Secretar

Chemistry Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,963.14	Bank charge	€58.73
Fundraising	€1,195.00	Dinner/Food	€990.72
Members Contributions	€3,310	Entertainment	€1,170
Refund of Expenses	€36.90	Fundraising / Charity	€207.50
USC Grant	€3,676.00	Prizes	€237.90
		Reception	€45
		Returned Socs Money	€800
		Society accomm	€1,320.04
		Society transport	€3,609.12
		Speaker accomm	€424.65
		Speaker travel	€516
		Expenditure Total	€9,379.66
		Closing Bank Balance	€800.50
Total	€10,181.04	Total	€10,181.04

Alive Certificate Recipients

Jennifer Power	50 hrs	Volunteer
Yanjin Sun	50 hrs	Volunteer
Bernard Boateng	30 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Sean Hennessey	50 hrs	Secretary
Total Hours 180 Participants: 4		

Other Information

We held 11 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 485.

Chinese Society

Chinese Society Events list (1 Individual Events)

Chinese New Year: Social » The Hub, Áras na Mac Léinn » 16th February 2019

To celebrate the Chinese New Year of Pig, NUI Galway China Society will hold a Chinese new year Party in Hub from 1 pm on 16th Feb 2019. We will show some Chinese traditional culture, such as Chinese writing, painting. And we will teach you how to cook the delicious Chinese dumplings. All the students are welcome! For more information, email to chinese@socs.nuigalway.ie

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	1 society committee members with questions answered	1 Total society committee members	(1/1) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

NUI Galway Chinese Society is run by international students from China and cooperates with Chinese Students and Scholars Association (CSSA) in Ireland. The aim of this society is to encourage interaction between Chinese students and students of other nationalities in NUI Galway. We achieve this by hosting a huge assortment of Chinese culture theme events and outings that support integration between the two. This way not only benefit the Chinese students from gaining a true taste of Irish culture, students of other nationalities can also experience the Chinese culture in an enjoyable fashion. Furthermore, we are also conducting more activities to enhance the friendship among our members.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

1. Chinese New Year Event
2. Chinese Professor Seminar

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

All members of our society help hold the Chinese New Year Party in the Hub. And some traditional food such as dumplings, sweet rice ball and Chinese culture were shown to international students. All the people got involved.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, this event helps Chinese students experience the happy time of Chinese New Year. And also promote the Chinese culture to more international students.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

All members are very positive involved in the event.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

More members are needed to recruit in society.

Chinese Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Ning Ge **Position:** Auditor

Chinese Society Incoming Committee

Name: Yilan Xu **Position:** Aud

Chinese Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€846.11	Bank charge	€30.10
		Dinner/Food	€147.55
		Materials	€5.48
		Printing	€25
		Returned Socs Money	€400
		Society transport	€31.8
		Expenditure Total	€639.93
		Closing Bank Balance	€206.18
Total	€846.11	Total	€846.11

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 79.

Choral Soc

This year our society has taken part in many events throughout the year. There has been ups and downs but working together the society has thrived.

Sligo Choral Festival.



Choral Soc Events list (31 Individual Events)

First rehearsal: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 18th September 2018

Join us at our first rehearsal of the semester! You can get a chance to meet other new members and there'll be free pizza!

EGM Choral Soc: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th September 2018

Come along to our EGM and after to our

second rehearsal of the semester! We will be electing a 1st year rep, PRO and treasurer! There will be free pizza too!

Second rehearsal: Arts & Culture » Studio 1 O' Donoghue Centre for Drama » 25th September 2018

Come sing with us in Studio 1 in the O'Donoghue Centre beside SULT! Free Pizza!

Sing along Cinema: The premiere: Film » Darcy Thompson Theatre, Arts & Science Concourse » 27th September 2018

Have you ever watched a movie with family/friends and wanted to burst out singing but didn't because of fear of judgement and annoying others? Well fear no more! You can sing to your hearts content at our Sing along Cinema Screenings! Head over to our Instagram page to vote for the movie you want to see! Free popcorn will be served! Venue tbc

3rd Rehearsal Choral Soc: Arts & Culture » Studio 1 O' Donoghue Centre for Drama » 02nd October 2018

Practice 4: Music Event » studio 1 O'Donahue centre » 09th October 2018

Escape rooms trip: Social » Galway, Galway City, Great Escape Rooms, 27 Abbeygate Street Upper » 11th October 2018

Choral soc are heading to the escape rooms Tickets can be bought from socsbox €10 Meeting at aras na mac leinn at 8 pm!

Practice 5: Music Event » studio 1 O'Donahue centre » 16th October 2018

Practice 6: Music Event » studio 1 O'Donahue centre » 23rd October 2018

Team Building: Other » College Bar (SULT) » 23rd October 2018

Practice 7: Music Event » studio 1 O'Donahue centre » 30th October 2018

Practice 8: Music Event » studio 1 O'Donahue centre » 06th November 2018

Practice 9: Music Event » o'donahue centre » 07th November 2018

Practice 10: Music Event » studio 1 O'Donahue centre » 13th November 2018

Practice 11: Music Event » o'donahue centre » 14th November 2018

Sligo Choral Festival Trip: Arts & Culture » Sligo, Sligo, Sligo Academy of Music » 16th November 2018

Pot Luck Night: Gatherings » Galway, Galway City, comitte members house » 20th November 2018

Christmas Concert Choral Soc: Arts & Culture » Upper Aula Maxima, Quadrangle » 29th November 2018

Choral Soc Christmas Concert Details TBA

Sem2 Practice 1: Music Event » O'Donahue » 29th January 2019

Team Building: Gatherings » College Bar/ Sult » 29th January 2019

Sem2 Practice 2: Music Event » O' Donahue » 05th February 2019

Baking Night: Other » Hub Kitchen » 19th February 2019

Choral Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » o'donahue centre » 26th February 2019

Sem2 Practice 4: Music Event » O'Donahue » 05th March 2019

Sem2 Practice 5: Music Event » o'donahue centre » 06th March 2019
Relay for life: Music Event » Bailey Allen Hall Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th March 2019
Sem2 Practice 6: Music Event » O'Donahue » 12th March 2019
Sem2 Practice 7: Music Event » O'Donahue » 19th March 2019
USA Visiting choir: Music Event » Bailey Allen » 25th March 2019
Sem2 Practice 8: Music Event » O'Donahue » 26th March 2019
Choral Soc AGM: Music Event » o'donahue centre » 02nd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(6/5) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of Choral Society is to create a place where people can express their musical and singing talents freely. We aim to bring students together that have a common interest in music and singing. We hope to add to each of our members' student experience in a positive way.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- Regular rehearsals
- Social nights
- Choral trips and competitions
- Public performances
- Raise money for charity

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We have done well this year in terms of meeting realistic targets such as regular rehearsals, social nights and going to the sligo choral festival.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I believe we have, we had a strong number of members coming to practice at the start of each semester.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The Sligo choral festival was a great success and had a great turnout.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

A lot of this societies committee members disappeared throughout the year leaving their responsibilities to the remainder of the committee.

Choral Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Holly Logan **Position:** Auditor
Name: Aisling Nic Dhomhnaill **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Rachel Guckian **Position:** Secretary
Name: Fiona Prendergast **Position:** OCM
Name: Eilish Murray **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Choral Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Rachel Guckian **Position:** Auditor
Name: Holly Logan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Joanna Duffy **Position:** Librarian
Name: Eilish Murray **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Choral Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€3.069.46	Bank charge	€27.36
Ticket Sales	€440.00	Dinner/Food	€375.99
Socs box Till	€585.00	Entertainment	€200.00
USC Grant	€2.000.00	Entrv fees	€75.97
		Equipment misc	€79.3
		Gifts	€6
		Hire Bus	€440
		Materials	€13.69
		Services Hired	€3060
		Society accomm	€1164
		Socs day expenses	€3.4
		Expenditure Total	€5445.71
		Closing Bank Balance	€648.75
Total	€6094.46	Total	€6094.46

Alive Certificate Recipients

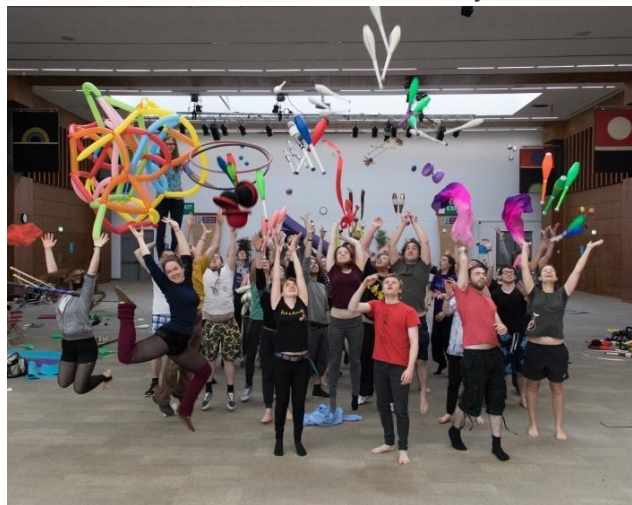
Eilish Murray	80 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Aisling McGovern	5 hrs	Volunteer
Alex Murphy	10 hrs	Volunteer
Aisling Nic Dhomhnaill	90 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Padraic Randles	20 hrs	Volunteer
Shannon McCarthy	20 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 225 Participants: 6		

Other Information

We held 8 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 701.

Circus Soc

The Circus society is not a place for people who know how to juggle, it's a place where we teach people how to juggle. Of course we don't just teach people how to juggle, we teach them how to use their body in all kinds of creative ways they never thought



possible. As well as juggling we cover a wide field of skills from hula-hoop and acrobatics to stilt walking and ariels. All these are not only fun group activities to keep physically fit but juggling has also been shown to increase grey matter in the brain and is a great form of meditation. So we're all kept healthy in body and mind. In our first year in the college 04/05 we won Best New Society at the college awards and in our second year 05/06, we won Best Society at the college awards and went on to win Best Irish College Society at the national BICS awards. Our

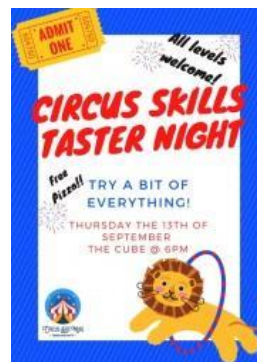
membership is in excess of 600 and this year we are getting between 15-25 members at our Tuesday session. We regularly take trips to national conventions and it's a great way to make friends all over the country, even all over the world! We try to work with many other societies in the college to make events bigger and better! It's also a great way to improve hand-eye co-ordination and get fit (juggling is a form of cardio-vascular exercise!). So if you wanna learn a new skill, make some great friends or get in shape, Circus Soc will help you out, just come along to any of our meetings

JUGGLE, JUGGLE, JUGGLE, DROP!

Circus Soc Events list (55 Individual Events)

Circus Skills Taster Night: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube » 13th September 2018

A night where you can try a variety of the skills that circus has to offer! No experience at all required and who knows? We may even have some free Pizza!! Thursday the 13th of September @ 6pm in The Cube.



Circus Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 18th September 2018

Tuesday the 18th of September we will be having our EGM where you will have the opportunity to run for positions on our committee such as Vice-Auditor, Secretary, Equipment Manager and anything else you want to run for really! We will hold the meeting in the Foyer of Áras na Mac Leinn at 6pm to hold the meeting and then afterwards we will head towards town to have a jam session with some cool props. Don't hesitate to message us on Facebook or Instagram or email us

at circus@socs.nuigalway.ie.



Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 20th September 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th September 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Acro Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th September 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 02nd October 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Make your own Equipment workshop!: Health & Lifestyle » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th October 2018

Workshop on making juggling balls and poi

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 09th October 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.



3 Ball Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 11th October 2018

3 Ball Workshop

Movie Viewing: Health & Lifestyle » IT107 » 16th October 2018

Screening The Greatest Showman!

Poi Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » Large Acoustic Room » 18th October 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza.



Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 23rd October 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Diabolo Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th October 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza.



Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 30th October 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Balance Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st November 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Bowling Night: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 06th November 2018

We are going bowling this Tuesday!!!

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 08th November 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session!

NCFI Trip: Arts & Culture » Kerry, Tralee, Moyderwell » 09th November 2018

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 13th November 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Games Night! : Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th November 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! This week we will be playing some Jackbox games! Anyone with a smart phone can play along!

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 20th November 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd November 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th November 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th November 2018

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th December 2018

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th January 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th January 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 22nd January 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

4 Ball Workshop with Joe: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th January 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th January 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Passing Workshop with Turf: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 31st January 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 05th February 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th February 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 12th February 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th February 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th February 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Soc Bake Sale: Arts & Culture » Smokeys Cafe » 20th February 2019

Rings Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 21st February 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Belfast Juggling Convention Trip: Arts & Culture » Antrim, Belfast, Stranmillis University » 22nd February 2019

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th February 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Hoop Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th February 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Pancake Tuesday with Circus!: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 05th March 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th March 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Hat Juggling Workshop with killjoy circus: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 12th March 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th March 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus goes bowling: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th March 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Acrobatics Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 21st March 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th March 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th March 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 02nd April 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Soc AGM: Committee Meeting » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 03rd April 2019

Silly Games Workshop with Blue Hanley: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th April 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Circus Fun: Health & Lifestyle » The Foyer, Áras na Mac Léinn » 09th April 2019

Every Tuesday we have some fun with circus props and learn new skills together! Come along and learn a party trick.

Circus Fun/ Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th April 2019

Every Thursday in the Cube we have a Circus session! Some weeks we may have a workshop and some weeks we will just be socializing and trying out our new skills together! We may even have pizza

Galway Juggling Convention 2019: Arts & Culture » Aras na Mac Leinn » 31st May 2019

The Galway Juggling Convention (GJC) is NUIG's annual juggling convention. This year it will take place May 31st to June 3rd, Áras na Mac Leinn, NUIG. Come celebrate with us and have fun throwing, catching and spinning things! This year we will be making an upgrade to our Gala show which will be held in Galway's Town Hall Theater and is sure to be a show of epic proportions. The Galway Juggling Convention is the only Galway based juggling convention, and currently one of five within the whole island. It first occurred in the year 2003 (in the Rowing Club) and was first held NUIG in 2010, and has run here since.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(9/9) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The Circus society is not a place for people who know how to juggle, it's a place where we teach people how to juggle. Of course we don't just teach people how to juggle, we teach them how to use their body in all kinds of creative ways they never thought possible. As well as juggling we cover a wide field of skills from hula-hoop and acrobatics to stilt walking and ariels. All these are not only fun group activities to keep physically fit but juggling has also been shown to increase grey matter in the brain and is a great form of meditation. So we're all kept healthy in body and mind

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The aims of the Society shall be;

- To create an open space for people to learn circus skills
- Teaching and improving circus skills

- Making friends and creating a community of people

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We ran 65 successful events as well as trips to different conventions around Ireland. We hosted an open and inviting environment for circusers. We hosted different workshops and held social nights. I would say overall that we had a very successful year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I would say this year we had great success with achieving our goals. Hosting workshops in various skills has helped to improve the circus skills of our members as well as helping them to make friends with each other.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I would say our greatest achievement is the continued success of our annual Juggling convention.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge this year has been trying to organise our committee into putting on events even though many of them were on placement.

Circus Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Kate Wylie **Position:** Auditor

Name: Christopher Kelly **Position:** Convention Director

Name: Davin McGowan **Position:** OCM

Name: Krishnaswamy MacAuley **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Caitriona Carty **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Joe Noonan **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Ciara O'Connor **Position:** Equipment Officer

Name: Edward Purcell **Position:** Secretary

Name: Daniel McFadden **Position:** OCM

Circus Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Kate Wylie **Position:** Society Advisor

Name: Krishnaswamy MacAuley **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Daniel McFadden **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Edward Purcell **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Caoimhe O'Dochartaigh

Barr Position: Secretary

Name: Caitriona Carty **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Christopher Kelly **Position:** Convention Director

Name: Donal Parkinson **Position:** Equipment Officer

Circus Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€493.74	Apparel	€423.05
Ecommerce Sales	€1,344	Bank charge	€77.97
Fundraising	€2,427.75	Dinner/Food	€1,555.57
Members Contributions	€518.07	Entertainment	€20.90
Socs box Till	€284.00	Entry fees	€450.30
Sponsorship	€1,036.10	Equipment misc	€1,241.92

Ticket Sales	€1,025	Hall hire	€600
USC Grant	€5,700.00	Hoodies	€331.94
		Makeup/Props	€17
		Materials	€66.17
		Printing	€139.18
		Prizes	€113.48
		Promotions	€62.28
		Services Hired	€1,470
		Society accomm	€292.18
		Society transport	€271.54
		Speaker accomm	€749.45
		Speaker travel	€723.30
		Stationary	€29.67
		Teacher fees	€500
		Expenditure Total	€9,135.90
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€3,692.76
Total	€12,828.66	Total	€12,828.66

Alive Certificate Recipients

Kate Wylie	1400 hrs	Auditor
Joe Noonan	252 hrs	Vice-Auditor

Caitriona Carty	30 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Edward Purcell	30 hrs	Secretary
Mark Fitzgerald	10 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 1722 Participants: 5		

Other Information

We held 5 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 509.

Classics Soc

The Classics society of NUIG tried for this year to give classics students and students interested in classics a space where they could learn more outside of the classroom and mingle and have fun.

Classics Soc Events list (17 Individual Events)

Meeting/ Pizza: Social » AC204, The Concourse » 18th September 2018

Pizza night and meeting

EGM: Educational » AC204, The Concourse » 24th September 2018

Hi everyone, we are holding our EGM on Monday and are looking for a treasurer and a few OCM's, if anyone is interested. We are going to meet on Monday at 6.30pm.

Gladiator Movie Screening: Film » AM150 » 02nd October 2018

Hi everyone, we are going to show the beloved classic "Gladiator" in the O'Tnuathail Theatre at 6.30 on Tuesday the 2nd of October There will be sweets, beverages and an amazing movie. Hope to see you all there

Yiannis Doukas Lecture on "Adventure in Late Epic": Educational » Martin O Tnuathail Theatre » 30th October 2018

Hi everyone, Classics Society is hosting a lecture by Yiannis Doukas who will talk about his research and specifically "Adventure in Late Epic". There will be a wine reception with snacks afterwards, where everyone can socialise. Hope to see you there

Toga Party! : Film » Galway, Galway, Busker Browns Bar » 07th November 2018

Hi everyone, we are going to hold our annual toga party this Wednesday the 7.11.2018. It is going to be in Busker Brownes and everyone is invited to turn up in Togas and have a good time. See you all there at 8.30pm.

Asterix in Britain movie showing: Film » Colm O hEocha Theatre, Arts Millenium » 28th November 2018

Hi guys, in order to spoil ourselves and relax from the last few very stressful weeks of assignments Classics Society will show the animated movie Asterix in Britain and we will have pizza there as well. Hope to see you all next Wenesday.

Film showing of "Asterix and Cleopatra": Film » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 16th January 2019

Hi everyone, we are going to show the movie "Asterix and Cleopatra" in the Fottrell Theatre at 6.30 pm with some pizza. #Hope to see you all there

Agammemnon at NUIG: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 22nd January 2019

Hello everyone, Classics Society is delighted to announce the play Agamemnon at NUIG. The Agamemnon will be performed by the award winning director and actor William Mann. His past performances included Shakespeare's Hamlet and Macbeth to critical acclaim. The performance is going to start at 3pm on January 22 in the Cube in Áras Na Mac Léinn. Further details will be announced soon.

Do you really need to understand Greek to translate a Greek tragedy?: Guest Speakers » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 23rd January 2019

Hi everyone, Classics society is delighted to announce a guest talk by William Mann on the topics of performing a play and translating an ancient Greek play. The talk will start at 7pm and will be followed by a Q&A. Hope to see you all there.

Film showing of Monty Python's Holy Grail: Film » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 30th January 2019

Hi there, Classics society is delighted to show the classic comedy "Holy Grail" by Monty Python. There will be pizza and refreshments. Hope to see you all there

300 Movie Showing: Film » Fottrell Theatre » 06th February 2019

Film screening of the movie 300.

Danny O'Brien Comedy Night: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, Roisin Dubh » 10th February 2019

Hi everyone, Classics society is happy to announce that we are paying half price for the acclaimed comedian Danny O'Brien. The tickets cost 10€ overall.

Film showing of Monty Python's 'Life of Brian': Film » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 13th February 2019

Hi everyone, classics society is happy to announce that we are continuing our weekly film showings with Monty Python's Life of Brian this week. As usual there will be pizza and refreshments.

The 39 Steps: Arts & Culture » Galway, Galway, Town Hall Theatre » 06th March 2019

Hi everyone, Classics Society is delighted to announce that we are offering discounted tickets to the amazing crime, spy, monty pythonesque play "The 39 Steps". The tickets will only be 5€ and be on sale from Wednesday the 13th for a week. There will only be a limited amount of tickets sold on a first come first served basis.

Rome Trip Information Night: Social » AC204 » 18th March 2019

Hi there, Classics society is hosting an information night for our upcoming Rome Trip for those who have paid for the trip.

Margaret Heavey Lecture: Guest Speakers » Dillon Theater » 27th March 2019

Hi there, Classics Society is delighted to announce that Professor Van Wees from the University College London will hold a lecture on the "Rise of a slave-owning society in early Greece" in the Dillon Theatre at 6pm on Wednesday and the lecture will be followed with a snacks and refreshments reception.

AGM: Other » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 03rd April 2019

Hi there, Classics Society will hold an EGM for next years committee, there will be pizza and refreshments

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(5/6) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of the NUIG Classics Society is to facilitate those students interested in the classical world in exploring their ideas and passions, to promote interest in the Ancient World among the wider student body, and to provide a platform for stimulating and compelling topics of ancient history, literature, archaeology, and philosophy (etc.) to be discussed in the University.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We will fulfill our Mission Statement in the following ways:

- we are hosting a performance of Aeschylus's Agamemnon on January 22nd, which promises to be a dynamic and interactive event; included in this event will be a guest lecture given by the performer, William Mann, on the history of the play and on its production in 2019.
- several guest lecturers from various Irish universities are visiting Galway to deliver talks on their own areas of specialisation and interest, which subjects varying from Minoan archaeology to Roman philosophy.
- as part of our more informal series of events, we are organising a sequence of film screenings; the movies shown will all be related to the Classical world, and we also plan to show the first series of Britannia, which discusses the Roman invasion of Britain (from a largely Celtic / indigenous perspective)

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Could have gone better, could have been worse as well.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes we did, we held several lectures and hosted a play.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Hosting the play and working with the actor William Mann.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Getting the committee to work together as a unit.

Classics Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Paula Maher Martin **Position:** Praetorian Prefect

Name: Sarah Grunenberg **Position:** Auditor - Imperator

Name: Michelle Sheahan **Position:** Secretary

Name: Eamonn Barden **Position:** Senator

Name: Timothy Burke **Position:** Quaestor

Name: Pankaj Saini **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Classics Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Sarah Grunenberg **Position:** Auditor

Classics Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,064.87	Bank charge	€68.81
Ticket Sales	€60.00	Dinner/Food	€639.87

Socs box Till	€775.00	Entry fees	€30.42
USC Grant	€1,500.00	Materials	€9.04
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€25.31
		Prizes	€40
		Returned Socs Money	€1870
		Society accomm	€306
		Society transport	€529.36
		Socs Box Till Refund	€115
		Socs Box Till Refund Manual	€20
		Socs Box Till Sales	€59
		Speaker travel	€141.31
		Expenditure Total	€3854.12
		Closing Bank Balance	€545.75
Total	€4399.87	Total	€4399.87

Alive Certificate Recipients

Timothy Burke	35 hrs	Quaestor
Pankaj Saini	30 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 65 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 15 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 351.

Comedy Soc

Comedy Soc has seen another successful year in our mission statement of bringing students into the Galway comedy scene. We collaborated with Vodafone Comedy Carnival, as well as the Dew Drop Inn and the Roisin Dubh, to organize quality gigs for students with recognized talent. We also organized a workshop to introduce our members to the skills required for stand up comedy. Despite having some set backs and not doing more workshops and gigs, our members have been highly involved with our society's activities.

Comedy Soc Events list (10 Individual Events)

Socs Day Semester 1: Other » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th September 2018

We had a table for Socs Day of Semester 1.

Comedy Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 19th September 2018

Want some event organising experience? Want first dibs on the free pizza at our gigs? Want free tickets to the best comedy shows in Galway? Want these questions to end? Come join our committee for the academic year! Or just come along to hear what we have planned. Our first meeting of the year is next Wednesday 19th at 6pm in the Meeting Rooms above Socs Box NUI Galway. Pizza will be provided.



Laughs with Comedy Soc & Riff
Raff: Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 24th September 2018

We're delighted to announce a new collaboration with Riff Raff Comedy, the brainchild of Mike Rice & John Spillane, beginning with a showcase of the best rising talent in the land. Featuring the comedic stylings of Mr. Hennessy, Sarah O'Gorman (NUIG Comedy Soc), Kari Johnson, Niall Horisk (Róisín Dubh Comedy / Vodafone Comedy Carnival) & a special guest headliner. Hosted by Michael Rice Comedy (Edinburgh Fringe Festival/ The Laugh Factory Chicago/ Finalist Coughlan's Comedian of the Year 2018).

"He's electric on stage and the best new comic I've seen in years" - Karl Spain. Doors 8pm / Show 8:30pm. Bank of Ireland Theatre (next door to NUIG's College Bar aka Sult). Tickets €5 in Socs Box NUI Galway & from Eventbrite.ie. Also available on the door. Free pizza included.



More Laughs with NUIG Comedy & Riff Raff! : Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 11th October 2018

After a sell-out gig in association with Riff Raff Comedy, we're back on October 11th with another line-up of the best of emerging joke merchants! As part of NUI Galway Students' Union Mental Health Week. What better way to promote mental health than with some laughs & free goodies! Stay tuned for our full line-up. Tix €5 from Socs Box NUI Galway & Eventbrite.ie. Pizza & Red Bull included with your ticket.

A Stevening for Global Week: Arts & Culture » O'Flaherty Theatre, Arts Concourse, NUI Galway » 22nd October 2018

As part of NUIG SU Global Week, Comedy Soc are bringing you a 'Stevening' with two of Galway's favourite bearded wonders:

Late & Live: Vodafone Comedy Carnival Edition: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 25th October 2018

As part of the 2018 Vodafone Comedy Carnival, Ireland's biggest comedy festival, NUIG Comedy Soc & Socs Box present a special edition of Late & Live in the Cube! With rising acts and a special guest headliner from the festival programme. Featuring NUIG's own Sarah O'Gorman, Nigerian-born Irishman Emman Idama (Des Bishop's This is Ireland/ Electric Picnic), Ben Butler, and Tallaght's finest MC Joe Dowlin as your host! Tickets are €5 in Socs Box for students & public, pizza and Red Bull is included!



Stand-up Workshop: Workshops » Colm O hEocha Theatre, Arts Millenium » 21st November 2018

Have you ever wanted to try stand up but felt like you needed some guidance before performing? Well, we've got the perfect event for you! This workshop will serve as introduction to the basics of stand up. Elements of both joke writing and performance will be explored, making this workshop invaluable to anyone who wants to get started in stand up. Our instructors for the evening are the hilarious Johnny Graham - Comedian and Bob Hennigan - Comedian! As well as being top-class comedians, Johnny and Bob also run a very successful comedy club in the Dew Drop Inn every Thursday, known as Ireland's Smallest Comedy Club. Places for this workshop are limited so contact us ASAP if you would like to take part. You can message our page or email us at

comedysoc@socs.nuigalway.ie We will reply to let you know if you've secured a place or if we are fully booked so keep an eye on your messages/emails once you contact us. The workshop is free for all NUIG students.

January Laughs: Entertainment » The Cube » 17th January 2019

NUIG Comedy Soc and Bank of Ireland are trying to help you beat those January Blues with a night of top-class comedy featuring the very best of acts from the Irish comedy scene. Our MC for the night is the hilarious Karl Spain (Cat Laughs, Vodafone Comedy Carnival), and is joined by the wonderful Breda Larkin (Show Me The Funny Winner 2018, Electric Picnic), the outrageously funny Totally Wired (Electric Picnic, Laughter Lounge) and our fantastic headliner, Kevin McGahern (Hardy Bucks, Republic of Telly)! Doors 7.30 pm. Show 8pm. Tickets for the event are just €5 and are available from Socs Box and online at <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/nuig-comedy-soc-and-bank-of-ireland-present-januray-laughs-tickets-53342310286?ref=estw> There will also be free pizza and Red Bull on the night, so come have a laugh, eat some pizza and **get buzzed off Red Bull!**

Socs Day 2: Other » Bailey Allen Hall » 22nd January 2019

We had a table for the Societies' Fair in Semester 2.

Fab Feb Frenzy: Entertainment » The Bank of Ireland Theatre » 06th February 2019

NUIG Comedy Soc are delighted to present our second gig of 2019; Fab Feb Frenzy! *jazz hands*, Our headliner for the night is the fantastic Paul Currie, who will, without a doubt, have you laughing your socks off with his unique and alternative approach to comedy! The hilarious Johnny Graham is MC for the night and will be providing laughs by the bucket load. Joining Paul and Johnny will be some of the best young comedians in the country, Emman Idama, John Kelly and Brossie! Both Emman and John have made a huge impact on the comedy circuit over the last several years and our own treasurer, Brossie, has established herself as a well-known act on the scene in recent months. As always we will be providing complimentary pizza and Red Bull to all our audience members! Entry for this gig is FREE for society

members as a thank you for supporting our recent events and as a nice welcome to our new members who we met on Socs Day 2!

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

This society aims to be an outlet for students to show their appreciation of comedy through workshops, gigs and other events, while also reducing stress through the medium of laughter.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to run a series of workshops, some will relate to specific aspects of stand up and others will be more general such as performance in general and public speaking.

We plan to run several comedy gigs with top-class line-ups while also giving time to some acts from the society that have an interest in trying out stand up.

We hope to participate in at least two collabs with other socs.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I feel we did put on events of a high quality including a workshop and several gigs. Anyone who came to the event seemed to have enjoyed themselves so I feel we did stick to our mission statement.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We unfortunately only held one workshop but it was very successful. We did organise and run several gigs with top-class acts. We had two collabs with the SU but unfortunately none with other societies.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

As a committee, we had very little help from previous committee members with regards to how to run a society. To get through the year without any major disaster and to run several successful gigs in our first year as a united society was a huge achievement in my eyes.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

I had not received any information from the previous auditor about how to manage the society so I was very much struggling at the start of the year which obviously had a knock on effect on the rest of our committee but we have come so far since then and overcame this challenge together.

Comedy Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Sarah O'Gorman **Position:** Auditor

Name: Gavin Alcorn-Friel **Position:** Secretary

Name: Levente Nagy **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Christopher Fox **Position:** OCM

Name: Siobhan Brosnan **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Cillian O'Boyle **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Subhodeep Basu **Position:** OCM

Name: Amanda Tracey **Position:** OCM

Name: Callie Agnew **Position:** OCM

Comedy Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Siobhan Brosnan **Position:** Auditor

Comedy Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€11.23	Bank charge	€43.66
Socs box Till	€35.00	Dinner/Food	€480.16
Sponsorship	€600	Entertainment	€2,400.00
Ticket Sales	€2,332.60	Entry fees	€2,061.80
USC Grant	€2,180.00	Materials	€60.00
USCG Loan	€400.00	Society transport	€22.00
		Socs Box Till Refund	€10.00
		Teacher fees	€140
		USCG Loan Repayment	€200
		Expenditure Total	€5,433.62
Total	€5,558.83	Closing Bank Balance	€125.21
		Total	€5,558.83

Alive Certificate Recipients

Levente Nagy	48 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Gavin Alcorn-Friel	24 hrs	Secretary
Sarah O'Gorman	85 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 157 Participants: 4

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1324.

Compsoc

CompSoc society always encourages students in participating different events organised to explore the technologies that are in root now and can develop the career even further in long run. The society aims to provide wide range of social and careers activities to enable you to take time out from studying and relax in a friendly atmosphere with other students(and sometimes the staff too!). Our society includes events such as Linux101 , Raspberry Pi, Solving IT sessions etc.



C programming tutorial

Compsoc Events list (20 Individual Events)

EGM: Other » IT125G » 01st October 2018

EGM Meeting 1/10/18: Auditor Vice Auditor Secretary Public Relations Officer All descriptions of each position will be outlined at the event! Plenty of Pizza to go around!!! A social night for us all to get to know each other and our plans for this year!

Meeting: Entertainment » IT125G » 22nd October 2018

All members welcome

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 26th October 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 02nd November 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 09th November 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

Linux Session: Educational » IT203 » 14th November 2018

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 16th November 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

Raspberry Pi Tutorial: Workshops » IT203 - SEMINAR ROOM » 21st November 2018

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 23rd November 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

Web Development Workshop: Workshops » IT203 » 28th November 2018

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 30th November 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

Computing Solve-It Sessions: Educational » DISC Room 205 IT Building » 07th December 2018

A weekly problem solving and programming session organised by Compsoc, DISC and the Discipline Of Information Technology. A great opportunity to practice for technical interview question practice, or just to meet fellow computer science students from all years of study! The sign up form is [here](https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2) and if demand is high then another session can be organised. <https://goo.gl/forms/4hyZGmCwGmwzYaLj2>

EGM: Entertainment » IT204 » 23rd January 2019

"Willing to join CompSoc and explore some new roles and work as a member in our society and develop some technical and leadership qualities." You are invited to attend the EGM meeting of the society as there will be some open positions to be filled up.

Film Night: Film » it 125 » 06th February 2019

Watching Snowden on Wednesday night! Come along, there'll be free pizza and popcorn!

Film Night: Film » IT 125G » 20th February 2019

Movie night in! Anyone up for watching the Matrix? Anyone who comes looking the most like a character from the movie will get a prize! Lots more pizza this time P.S Bring shades so we can take a badass photo.

C Programming Tutorial: Workshops » IT 250 » 27th February 2019

Some have asked me to do a tutorial and brush over everything you have covered. If you think this would be a good idea, go to this link: <https://doodle.com/poll/nked6k69e35e4n6u>. Sign your name to say you might attend so I can get an idea for numbers. Email me any particular questions you might have to conor@compsoc.ie and I'll see if I can answer them in the tutorial.

EGM: Other » it 125 » 12th March 2019

We'll be voting on new committee members for next year. New positions such as the Helpdesk will be explained in the meeting

Committee Meeting For Pub Quiz: Committee Meeting » it 125 » 25th March 2019

Pub Quiz: Entertainment » Busker Browns Bar » 27th March 2019

We'll be hosting a Pub Quiz in Busker Browns on Wednesday the 27th in collaboration with FanSci, VideoGameSoc and AstroSoc. There'll be food as always and prizes for first place, second place, best team name and last place! It will be 3 euro per head and ye can have team sizes of 4. This is the last event and will be a class night so be sure to come along!

EGM / AGM: Committee Meeting » it 125 » 03rd April 2019

Hello CompSoc'ers, We'll be electing new committee members for this year and next year on Tuesday (12th) coming! We'll be unveiling a whole new role in the committee, as well changing a few things in our constitution. Free pizza as always.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	12 society committee members with questions answered	12 Total society committee members	(12/12) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

CompSoc society always matters to make the students more advanced in technologies which will parse them through the path of career. It mainly aims on organizing events such as Linux101, Raspberry Pi , Solving IT sessions where students and staffs can join and make themselves more prominent in their respective passion.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Till date the things that have been achieved so far are making students more adverse and diverse in technologies. Recently Linux101 event was organised and how to run ubuntu on virtual Box was amazing. It gives a push to the students to grab interest in a long run which will be helpful. Even Solving IT sessions has also been organised by one of the lectures with the help of CompSoc in leveraging interview coding questions that has to be asked and make the students prepared from now, so that it will suffice and groom them at the right time. There are much events coming up this semester and hope that it will achieve its goal as it has been discussed and set.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This year we did everything we specified in our mission statement and more. We held events, such as a Linux101 workshop, a Raspberry Pi tutorial, and solving IT sessions in collaboration with DISC. This year we focused more on bringing staff and students together by asking lecturers and tutors to hold tutorials for their courses.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we achieved our objectives of making people more aware of the varying technologies around them and how they can help in their everyday lives. This year we were more attentive to members needs by inviting them to committee meeting to see what they wanted out of the society, we held polls for events to see if they would be interested and we made an effort to upgrade our networking infrastructure so in the future we can offer more.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our table quiz which we organised in collaboration with three other societies, fansci, astrosoc and video game soc. It was a great success and as such, we are considering making it an annual event.

Our other events which included, a linux tutorial and raspberry pi workshop went very well also.

We arranged a couple of movie nights which had a larger turn out than most of our events as well.

We organised a C programming tutorial for engineering and csit students as an exam prep, which was largely attended and very successful.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

As most of our committee were first years, the whole year we have been learning how to run the society, run our servers by learning documentation about the server through Tim and organise events. I believe that only having one active system administrator from the committee last year made things very hard as Tim was our only source of knowledge. Core members of our committee were not engaging and it was a big challenge to overcome this, as others had more work to do.

CompSOC Outgoing Committee

Name: Alan Flaherty **Position:** System Administrator

Name: Michael Naughton **Position:** System Administrator

Name: Marienella Gallo **Position:** System Administrator
Name: Cian Dillane **Position:** Vice Auditor
Name: David Noone **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Yeo -Zhi Hao **Position:** OCM
Name: Ray Farrell **Position:** OCM
Name: Abigail O'Keeffe **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Ciaran McCarthy **Position:** OCM
Name: Hemendra Worlikar **Position:** OCM
Name: Conor McGovern **Position:** Systems Administrator & Chairperson
Name: Tim Murphy **Position:** Senior Systems Administrator

Compsoc Incoming Committee

Name: Conor McGovern **Position:** Auditor
Name: Ciaran McCarthy **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Rajath Raja **Position:** Secretary
Name: Sachi Sinha **Position:** Social Media Officer
Name: David Noone **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Alan Flaherty **Position:** Senior System Administrator
Name: Ray Farrell **Position:** System Administrator
Name: Cian Dillane **Position:** System Administrator
Name: Laura O'Donnell **Position:** System Administrator
Name: Yeo -Zhi Hao **Position:** Web Master

Compsoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,557.85	Bank charge	€30.85
USC Grant	€2,600.00	Dinner/Food	€563.68
		Equipment misc	€242.84
		Hall hire	€25
		Promotions	€107.73
		Returned Socs Money	€500
		Services Hired	€29.52
		Society transport	€102.52
		Stationary	€48.35
		Expenditure Total	€1650.49
		Closing Bank Balance	€2,507.36
Total	€4,157.85	Total	€4,157.85

Alive Certificate Recipients

Abigail O'Keeffe	0 hrs	OCM
Arabinda Das	20 hrs	Secretary
Amresh Mishra	0 hrs	Auditor
Ciarn McCarthy	30 hrs	OCM
Hemendra Worlikar	21 hrs	OCM
Conor McGovern	250 hrs	Systems Administrator
Total Hours 321 Participants: 6		

Other Information

We held 20 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 671.

Cumann de Barra

Cumann Caoimhín de Barra was established to promote political activity, discussion and debate in NUI Galway, and in particular espouse the ideals of Fianna Fáil. As with previous years, CdB has continued to be the largest political society in Ireland. This year saw many new active members join the society, with several becoming part of the committee. During the Summer CdB hosted the Annual Ógra Fianna Fáil Markievicz Summer School, where the combined NUIG & Connacht team were victorious. We also travelled to Sligo to compete in the De Valera Cup as well as to Dublin and Limerick to attend National Councils. On campus the cumann has gone from strength to strength, hosting popular pizza & politics event on health, housing and student accommodation. In Semester 2 CdB also held several culture and language events, including the book launch for Dr Caoimhín de Barra and our First Dáil and War of Independence Event with guest speakers Liam Heffron and Éamon Ó Cúiv. Finally our AGM and Awards night was a great success, with a full new committee being elected and Honorary Life Memberships being awarded to our two most recent cathaoirigh, Tom Cahill & Darra Deane.

Cathaoirleach at our stand on Socs Day



Cumann de Barra Events list (19 Individual Events)

Introduction & Social Night: Social » AC 202 » 12th September 2018

Cumann de Barra's first meeting of the 2018/19 academic year. Come join us on Wednesday night in the Concourse to learn more about Ógra, meet current members and have the craic!

Pizza & Politics: Student

Accommodation: Educational » AC 201 » 17th September 2018

Join us on the Concourse for the first of our Pizza & Politics nights! We'll be discussing the current student accommodation crisis, its causes and what can be done about it, while enjoying some pizza!

EGM & Bowling Night: Other » Galway, Galway

City, The Planet Entertainment Centre Galway » 24th September 2018

Join us for Cumann de Barra's Emergency General Meeting. On the night we'll be electing several committee members before adjourning for a group bonding session of bowling.

Pizza & Politics: Housing Crisis: Educational » AC 201 » 01st October 2018

Join us for our second Pizza & Politics night as we discuss Ireland's housing crisis which has left thousands without a home. We'll debate the causes and possible solutions to the crisis as well as enjoying some pizza.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC 201 » 08th October 2018

Jack Lynch Cup: Sport » Sligo, Sligo, TBC » 12th October 2018

Join us as we travel to Sligo to take part in Ógra Fianna Fáil's Jack Lynch Cup. The Jack Lynch Cup is Ógra's annual 7-a-side Gaelic football tournament. The event begins with a welcome and social night on Friday evening. On Saturday members will attend National Council which will be followed by the Jack Lynch Cup and food will be provided that evening.

Social Night: Social » AC 201 » 15th October 2018

After a busy weekend at the Jack Lynch Cup in Sligo, join us for a relaxed social night

Pizza & Politics: Presidential Election: Educational » TBC » 22nd October 2018

With the 2018 Presidential Election just days away, join us as we discuss the candidates & the campaign so far and make your predictions over a slice of pizza.

Halloween Party: Social » TBC » 29th October 2018

Join us as we celebrate Halloween in true political style!

US Mid-Terms: Panel Discussion: Guest Speakers » AC 201 » 05th November 2018

Join us on the eve of the 2018 US Mid-Term elections as we hear from the experts about the likely changes in Washington and the potential impacts for Ireland.

Debate Night: Workshops » AC201 » 19th November 2018

Join us as we hone our political debating skills with the help of the Literary & Debating Society!

End of Semester Social: Social » AC201, Arts Concourse » 26th November 2018

Join us for our last meeting of the semester!

Welcome & Social Night: Social » AC 201 » 14th January 2019

Welcome Event for Semester 2. Beginning in AC201 to discuss our upcoming events followed by a social night in SULT.

Canvassing Workshop with Tom Cahill, Policy Director: Guest Speakers » AC 201 » 22nd January 2019

Event as part of the Ógra Fianna Fáil Policy Roadshow. Guest speaker Tom Cahill, National Policy Director will be speaking on Ógra policy, in particular provisions which have made their way in into recent legislation.

De Valera Cup Connacht-Ulster Final: Other » Venue: TBC » 26th January 2019

Cumann de Barra is delighted to host the Connacht-Ulster Regional Final for the De Valera Cup. The affectionately termed DeV Cup is Ógra Fianna Fáil's National Debating Competition, with the winners of Saturday's final going on to compete against teams from Dublin, Leinster & Munster in the national final at the Fianna Fáil Ard Fheis in February. Saturdays' competition will be chaired by Deputy Anne Rabbitte, TD for Galway East.

Pizza & Politics: Soloheadbeg Ambush: Educational » AC201, Arts Concourse » 28th January 2019

Educational night on the ambush at Soloheadbeg.

An Chéad Dáil -100 Years On A commemoration of historical, political, cultural and social changes in Ireland: Guest Speakers » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 25th February 2019

100 years ago the first Dail sat establishing a government for Ireland. At the same time shots rang out that signalled the start of the War of Independence. On Monday night we commemorate the historical, political, cultural and social changes in Ireland that have occurred since then and explore the events of these pivotal moments in Irish history. With guestspeakers: Liam Alex Heffron - NUIG history department and author of 'No Revolution, Igniting War in North Mayo, 1917-1923' Deputy Eamon Ó Cuív - Fianna Fáil TD Galway West and Former Minister for Community Rural and Gaeltacht affairs This promises to be an informative and interesting night and all are welcome to attend. Date: Monday 25th February 2019 Time: 8pm Venue: AC201 Arts Concourse, National University of Ireland Galway

Fianna Fáil & The Media: Educational » AC 201 » 25th March 2019

AGM & Awards Night: Other » AC 201 » 01st April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(6/6) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To provide a forum for political discussion in NUIG, promote student issues and make a positive change for the people of Ireland.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Raise money through a charity livestream (Semester 2). Host various National Ógra Events. Win the Gonnait O Connell Award for best cumann. Have a successful international trip.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This year the society did excellently in adhering to our mission statement. We held many public events on import issues like housing, student accommodation and healthcare and several of our suggestions were considered in bills currently before the Oireachtas.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

While our schedule of planned events changed over the course of the year, the society succeeded in revitalising itself with new active members and representing NUIG in national Ógra events.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

This year CdB's greatest success was quadrupling our active membership and having all of our events well attended.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

CdB's primary challenge every year is the recruitment of sufficient numbers of active members. This year we had the largest uptake of first year students in years and many of these newer members are now serving on our committee.

Cumann de Barra Outgoing Committee

Name: Darra Deane **Position:** Auditor

Name: Gearoid Moynihan **Position:** Secretary

Name: Cian Mulqueen **Position:** Vice-Auditor & Irish Officer

Name: Eoghan Smith **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Darren Browne **Position:** Membership Officer

Name: Shane Moloney **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Cumann de Barra Incoming Committee

Name: Gearoid Moynihan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Cian Mulqueen **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Eoghan Smith **Position:** Vice - Treasurer

Name: Darren Browne **Position:** Membership Officer

Name: Shane Moloney **Position:** Secretary

Name: Darra Deane **Position:** Treasurer

Cumann de Barra Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€173.86	Bank charge	€22.50
		Expenditure Total	€22.5
		Closing Bank Balance	€151.36
Total	€173.86	Total	€173.86

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ciara Rouse	0 hrs	OCM
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Total Hours 0 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 683.

Cumann Gaelach

Our society was very successful in the first semester. We managed to entice beginners to our ciorcal comhrá and we held different events to suit all. Our trip to the Oireachtas was a huge success as members from our society were crowned champions of the debating final which gave the society a boost. In the second semester, we were awarded money from the Bank of Ireland bursary and that contributed to our Seachtain na Gaeilge events. We supported the University during Seachtain na Gaeilge throughout campus and we ran Bál na Gaeilge as part of that week. I felt that we made better use of advertising this year and constantly posted on social media and sent emails to spread the word on upcoming events.



Oireachtas na Gaeilge

Cumann Gaelach Events list (8 Individual Events)

Seoladh an Chumann Gaelaigh 18/19: Arts & Culture » An Téatar, Áras na Gaeilge » 17th September 2018

Tráth na gCeist Bhliain na Gaeilge: Entertainment » Galway, Galway City, Áras na nGael, 45 Sráid Doimínic, Gaillimh » 03rd October 2018

Mar atá a fhios agaibh, tá Bliain na Gaeilge faoi lán seoil agus chun céiliúradh a dhéanamh uirthi beidh Tráth na gCeist á reáchtáil againn ar an Chéadaoin seo chugainn (03/10) @7.30 i.n. in Áras na nGael, Sráid Doimínic. Tá táille de €5 an duine / €20 d'fhoireann de cheathrar ann. Beidh muid ag fágáil Áras na Gaeilge ar champas @ 7.00 i.n. , do dhuine ar bith nach bhfuil ar an eolas faoi cén áit a bhfuil Áras na nGael. Beidh duaiseanna go leor le buachaint ar an oíche chomh maith le píotsa saor in aisce.

Ciorcal Comhrá: Gatherings » Caifé na Gaeilge » 08th October 2018

Ciorcal Comhrá ar an Luan seo @ 7.00 i.n. sa Chaifé, Áras na Gaeilge. Tugann sé deis d'fhoghlaimoirí agus cainteoirí laethúla barr feabhais a chur ar a gcuid Gaeilge! Bígí linn ☘️🍀

Scannán agus Scíth: Film » An Téatar, Áras na Gaeilge » 17th October 2018

-Beidh gearrscannáin Ghaeilge a rinneadh le cúpla bliain anuas á dtaispeáint againn oíche Chéadaoine seo 17/10. -Ná bí buartha, tá fotheidil leis na gearrscannáin agus mar sin tá an imeacht oiriúnach do gach duine, daoine nach bhfuil focal Gaeilge acu agus iad sin atá ar bheagán Gaeilge ina measc. -Beidh scoirdeanna ar fáil saor in aisce.....-Bígí linn agus lig bhuir scíth!

Ciorcal Comhrá: Gatherings » Caife na Gaeilge » 22nd October 2018

Ciorcal Comhrá ar an Luan seo @ 7.00 i.n. sa Chaifé, Áras na Gaeilge. Tugann sé deis d'fhoghlaimeoirí agus cainteoirí laethúla barr feabhais a chur ar a gcuid Gaeilge! Bígí linn 🗨️🍀☐

24 Hour Gaeilge: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 14th November 2018

Photo Comp: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 27th March 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn » 03rd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	1 Total society committee members	(3/1) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To promote the Irish language our native tongue among students around campus and create an atmosphere in which people will be comfortable speaking it.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Make the society more open for learners of the Irish language, make the Irish language discussion groups more interesting, and make more use of the media as a source of advertising.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe that our society did well this year. We succeeded in our mission.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Mostly yes.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Seachtain na Gaeilge and our trip to the Oireachtas.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Getting people to come to events when other events are happening throughout campus.

Cumann Gaelach Outgoing Committee

Name: Cliona Ni Ghallachoir **Position:** Auditor

Cumann Gaelach Incoming Committee

Name: Georgina Bashford **Position:** Secretary

Name: Caitlin Ni Chathain **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Andrea Quinn **Position:** P.R.O.

Name: Aimee Gunning **Position:** Auditor

Name: Chloe Dunleavy **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Eva Mallon **Position:** Fourth year representative

Cumann Gaelach Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,749.57	Arts Office	€8.97
Balls	€15.00	Ball	€1,613.27
Fundraising	€94.00	Bank charge	€24.11
Members Contributions	€15.00	Dinner/Food	€24.99
Socs box Till	€3,600.00	Entry fees	€2,232.00
Sponsorship	€650.00	Fundraising / Charity	€114.00
Ticket Sales	€121.00	Hall hire	€300.00
		Hire Bus	€1000
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€84.02
		Prizes	€122.5
		Socs day expenses	€6
		Expenditure Total	€5529.86
		Closing Bank Balance	€714.71
Total	€6244.57	Total	€6244.57

Alive Certificate Recipients

Georgina Bashford	300 hrs	Treasurer
Dnal Dlaigh	12 hrs	OCM

Total Hours 312 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 5 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1254.

Cumann Staire (History)

Over the academic year 2018-2019 Cumann Staire held a range of social and academic events and speakers, including renowned historians, guests from abroad and pioneer researchers in their fields. Our events ran from September starting with an AGM up until April with another end of year AGM. Through the year we welcomed numerous new members to our committee from first years to masters students. We also developed a closer relationship with the history department who became more involved with our events.

We started the year with an AGM on the 19th September 2018 to elect members into most positions, after this meeting all key positions were filled and a new position specifically for the Arts Ball was appointed and held. We had our first social event on 26th September where we invited all society members to come to the cinema to view the historic drama 'Black 47'. When term returned on 3rd October we held another social event- bowling. We had our first lecture on 10th October by NUIG master student Sam Williams on writers of the first World War. On the 24th of October we had our lecture on modern politics by Dr. Séan Ó Duibhir who guided us through the cacophony of political scandals, intrigues and improbable events that befell this misbegotten and unfortunate government of 1982. Our final lecture of Semester 1 was by Charles Esdaile on 'Watergaming Waterloo' where he discussed board games reflecting on historic battles.

To start the second semester we ran the NUIG Arts Ball which was highly successful and drew in more than planned, this was a very popular and busy night yet was safely carried out.

We continued the academic calendar with an event entitled 'No Irish Need Apply' an extremely interesting topic of Irish discrimination across the globe in the 20th century, this was delivered by Dr Don MacRaid a renowned historian in this era. On the 20th of February we invited Tom Hulme to visit from Belfast and discuss 'Historical Re-Enactment in British and American Cities 1920/30s'. On the 27th February we had pioneer researcher Dr Angela Palmer on adoption in 20th Century Ireland entitled 'New Family Forms: The Repositioning of Adoption within the Irish Care System'. We invited renowned historian Dr John Paul Newman to discuss 'Czechoslovakia in the First World War' to speak to us on the 14th March, this drew a particularly large crowd. To finish the semester officially we had Dr Corthorn lecture his research topic of "Enoch Powell: Neoliberal thought & British politics in the 1960s," this drew members of the department specifically. On the 27th of March we held our end of year AGM to elect our new committee, some positions were left vacant but all main roles were taken. Our final lecture was taken on by the new committee to give them the experience of how the organisation takes place, with the help of the current committee. This event was held on 3rd April by Dr Johnathon Boff and was entitled 'Does money matter in modern war'. This was our largest event of the year and drew a very large crowd.

To conclude we all thoroughly enjoyed the year, with a mix of social and lecture events, we all learned a lot of new information as well as meeting renowned historians and making better connections with our own Department. It is easy to say we achieved all of our society goals, balancing different types of events as well as different themes and genres. The only thing we were disappointed with was the cancellation of an external trip, this was due solely to lack of interest.

Cumann Staire (History) Events list (5 Individual Events)

History Society Welcome Night: Social » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 12th September 2018

Social Gathering to welcome new and prospective members to the NUIG History Society. Free pizza and refreshments will be available. All Welcome.

EGM - Emergency General Meeting: Committee Meeting » Tyndall Theatre » 19th September 2018

Emergency General Meeting to elect new members to the History Society. All members welcome.

Movie Night: Film » TBA » 26th September 2018

Join An Cumann Staire as we gather round for another night of revelry. Together we will be watching a movie of our member's own design. Wine and Refreshments will be, as ever, provided and as always, all are welcome.

Bowling and Pints courtesy of your friendly neighbourhood history society. Come for the pins, stay for the pints and vice versa. As always, all welcome.

Lecture #1 - Don McRaid: Seminar » TBA » 10th October 2018

First Society Lecture of the year on the theme of the Irish Diaspora in Britain. Wine and refreshments afterwards as always. All welcome, open to students & the general public.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(5/5) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To inspire and encourage students to form an interest in history, and to aid those studying the subject with informative guest lectures and events,

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To hold several guest speakers on a variety of topics

To successfully run the Arts Ball

To encourage more students to join the society,

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We held a series of interesting and informative guest lectures over two semesters which were well recieved by students, academic staff and the public alike. So, I believe we achieved the mission set out in our statement.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I believe we achieved all the aims we set out at the beginning of the year.

- We organised and held a series of informative lectures covering a wide variety of topics including for example post WWI Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia, 21st century adoption, and a lecture on historical re-enactments.
- The Arts Ball was once again a massive success, and generated a healthy profit for the society.
- There was a promising engagement with the society among the student body, and there was an increase in sign ups on both socs days.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think the successful holding of another Arts Ball by the society, despite the change in the usual venue and other challenges, was our greatest achievement.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

While ultimately being successful I think the societies greatest challenge this year was engagement with students and the promotion of the society in general.

Cumann Staire (History) Outgoing Committee

Name: Callum Kerin **Position:** Auditor

Name: Brian Thompson **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Niamh McGee **Position:** Secretary

Name: Filip Lach **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Georgia Ryan **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Cumann Staire (History) Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,689.82	Apparel	€12.00
Balls	€500.00	Ball	€500.00
Socs box Till	€1,740.00	Bank charge	€33.23
USC Grant	€750.00	Dinner/Food	€715.50
		Entertainment	€293.90
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€57.65
		Promotions	€39.99
		Socs Box Till Refund	€1740
		Socs day expenses	€60.44
		Speaker accomm	€671.40
		Speaker travel	€277.03
		Expenditure Total	€4401.14
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€1,278.68
Total	€5679.82	Total	€5,679.82

Arts Ball Balance Sheet - 2018/2019

INCOME		EXPENDITURE	
Income Category	Amount	Expenditure Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	157.57	Ball	€7,093.82
Balls	€13,872.50	Bank charge	€81.11
Socs box Till	€11,545.00	Dinner/Food	€819.96
		Entertainment	€4,200.00
		Equipment misc	€111.75
		Promotions	€92.25
		Security	€907.50
		Services Hired	€8,288.73
		Expenditure Total	€21,595.12
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0.00
		Closing Bank Balance	€3,979.95
Total	€25,575.07	Total	€25,575.07

Alive Certificate Recipients

Cillian Moran	2 hrs	Volunteer
Niamh McGee	35 hrs	Secretary

Total Hours 37 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 830.

Dansoc

Dansoc welcomed more members to its society this year. It held its weekly classes and trained for Intervarsities. Dansoc was awarded First Place in Irish Dancing at Intervarsities. It held its committee meetings and through those we were able to organise fundraisers and an AGM.



Dansoc Events list (228 Individual Events)

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socsbox All welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th September 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th September 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th September 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class of €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 20th September 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 20th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th September 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socsbox, All welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks, Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 25th September 2018

EGM: Gatherings » IT206 » 25th September 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th September 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th September 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th September 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 27th September 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 27th September 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st October 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsboxAll welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeksBuy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 02nd October 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 03rd October 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 03rd October 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 03rd October 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class of €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 03rd October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 04th October 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 04th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 08th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

€3 per class Buy your tickets at Socsbox

Irish Dancing Auditions: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

Join the team for intervarsities

Hip Hop Auditions: Classes » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

Audition to join the team for crew

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 09th October 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 10th October 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 10th October 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Auditions: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 10th October 2018

Join us to audition for the crew!

Jazz Auditions: Classes » studio 2 » 11th October 2018

Auditions for crew! Giving you the opportunity to compete with us at intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th October 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » studio 2 » 15th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsboxAll welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » Rehearsal Room 1 » 15th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Crew: Classes » studio 2 » 15th October 2018

Training for Intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 15th October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 16th October 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th October 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th October 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th October 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class of €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 17th October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Jazz Beginners: Classes » studio 2 » 18th October 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » studio 2 » 18th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Crew: Classes » studio 2 » 18th October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 22nd October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 22nd October 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » Studio 3 » 22nd October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsboxAll welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 22nd October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeksBuy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » Studio 3 » 22nd October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 22nd October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Crew: Classes » Studio 3 » 22nd October 2018

Training for Intersities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 22nd October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 23rd October 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th October 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th October 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th October 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 25th October 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 25th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Crew: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th October 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socsbox, All welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks, Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Crew: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th October 2018

Training for Intersities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 29th October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 30th October 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 31st October 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 31st October 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 31st October 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 31st October 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 31st October 2018

Training for intervarsities

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 01st November 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 01st November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Crew: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 05th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 05th November 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsboxAll welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeksBuy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 05th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Crew: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

Training for Intersities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 05th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 06th November 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th November 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th November 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th November 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 08th November 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 08th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Crew: Classes » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 08th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsboxAll welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 12th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeksBuy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 12th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 12th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Crew: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

Training for Intersities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 12th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » Aras na Mac Leinn Foyer » 13th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 13th November 2018

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th November 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa!€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th November 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th November 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Contemporary Crew: Classes » Large Accoustic Room » 14th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 15th November 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 15th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 15th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at Socs Box!

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

Keep up your flexibility and fitness in a fun class! €3 per class!

Irish Dancing Beginners: Classes » Rehearsal Room 1 » 19th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsboxAll welcome!!

Hip Hop Beginners: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeksBuy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Advanced: Classes » Rehearsal Room 1 » 19th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 Weeks! Buy your tickets at SocsBox!

Hip Hop Advanced: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks Buy your tickets at SocsBox

Irish Dancing Crew: Classes » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 19th November 2018

Training for Intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 19th November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » IT206 » 20th November 2018

Salsa: Classes » Large Accoustic Room » 21st November 2018

Join us for some fun Salsa! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » Large Accoustic Room » 21st November 2018

Come to class to a stretch and to maintain fitness. All are welcome!

Contemporary Beginners: Classes » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 21st November 2018

All are welcome to this class! €3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks.

Contemporary Advanced: Classes » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 21st November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Contemporary Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 21st November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Jazz Beginners: Classes » Rehearsal Room 2 » 22nd November 2018

€3 per classes or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Advanced: Classes » Rehearsal Room 2 » 22nd November 2018

€3 per class or €25 for 10 weeks

Jazz Crew: Classes » Rehearsal Room 2 » 22nd November 2018

Training for intervarsities

Irish Crew: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 21st January 2019

Training for intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 21st January 2019

Training for intervarsities

Mixed Crew: Classes » The Cube » 21st January 2019

Training for intervarsities

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 23rd January 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 24th January 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th January 2019

Open classes for mixed levels

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 28th January 2019

Classes open to all levels

Irish Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 28th January 2019

€3 per class

Irish Crew: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 28th January 2019

Training for intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th January 2019

Training for intervarsities

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 30th January 2019

Open to all levels

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 30th January 2019

A fun workout class to maintain strength

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 30th January 2019

Open to all levels €3 per class

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 30th January 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 31st January 2019

Open to all levels. €3 per class

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 31st January 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th February 2019

Open classes for mixed levels

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th February 2019

Classes open to all levels

Irish Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th February 2019

€3 per class

Irish Crew: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 04th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 06th February 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 06th February 2019

Open to all levels €3 per class

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 06th February 2019

A fun workout class to maintain strength

Contemporary Crew: Classes » Bailey Allen Hall » 06th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 07th February 2019

Open to all levels. €3 per class

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 07th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th February 2019

Open classes for mixed levels

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 11th February 2019

Classes open to all levels

Irish Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 11th February 2019

€3 per class

Irish Crew: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 11th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th February 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 13th February 2019

Open to all levels €3 per class

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 13th February 2019

A fun workout class to maintain strength

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 13th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 14th February 2019

Open to all levels. €3 per class

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 14th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 18th February 2019

Open classes for mixed levels

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » Bailey Allen Hall » 18th February 2019

Classes open to all levels

Irish Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 18th February 2019

€3 per class

Irish Crew: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 18th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » Bailey Allen Hall » 18th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Salsa: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 20th February 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 20th February 2019

Open to all levels €3 per class

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 20th February 2019

A fun workout class to maintain strength

Contemporary Crew: Classes » Bailey Allen Hall » 20th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 21st February 2019

Open to all levels. €3 per class

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 21st February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th February 2019

Open classes for mixed levels

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th February 2019

Classes open to all levels

Irish Beginners: Classes » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th February 2019

€3 per class

Irish Crew: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 25th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Hip Hop Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th February 2019

Training for intervarsities

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th February 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th February 2019

Open to all levels €3 per class

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th February 2019

A fun workout class to maintain strength

Contemporary Crew: Classes » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 28th February 2019

Open to all levels. €3 per class

Jazz Crew: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 28th February 2019

Training for Intervarsities

Zumba: Classes » The Cube » 11th March 2019

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube » 11th March 2019

Irish Beginners: Classes » The Cube » 11th March 2019

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th March 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube » 13th March 2019

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube » 13th March 2019

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 14th March 2019

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 20th March 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube » 20th March 2019

Strength and Conditioning: Classes » The Cube » 20th March 2019

Zumba: Classes » The Cube » 25th March 2019

Hip Hop Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube » 25th March 2019

Irish Beginners: Classes » the space » 25th March 2019

Salsa: Classes » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th March 2019

Open to all levels

Contemporary Mixed Level: Classes » The Cube » 27th March 2019

Jazz Mixed Level: Classes » Large Acoustic Room » 28th March 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 02nd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(7/7) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Provide Classes for Staff and Students

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The aims of the Society shall be;

- To promote all types and genres of dance among the students and staff of NUI Galway.
- The Society will strive to foster a sense of community that is open and indiscriminate to all students, particularly newly registered members of the society
- The society will work to create a friendly relationship with other societies.
- The society should aim to compete in National Intervarsity competitions and form a friendly relationship with other dance societies in Ireland.
- The society shall aim to provide full members of the Society with the opportunity to further develop skills in teaching and choreography.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Excellent. Provided a great weekly opportunity for people to come to classes of all different style and levels, to be able to have fun, work hard, take part in competitions and destress.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I believe the society achieved all of it's aims especially to promote dance amongst students of NUIG and make everyone feel welcome whether they are beginner or advanced.

The society also achieved in competing in the National Intervarsities and created a stronger friendship between all its members.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

This year I think its greatest success was Irish dancing coming first place in inter varsities. Even though NUIG don't go in with a win attitude, it gave the team members confidence and created a great atmosphere for the rest of the trip.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Getting more people from NUIG involved in the society even if you don't dance with a crew. Dansoc aims to encourage people of all abilities to join and get involved.

Dansoc Outgoing Committee

Name: Sinead Ruane **Position:** Auditor
Name: Siobhan Callander **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Saoirse Glynn **Position:** Secretary
Name: Alice Cunningham **Position:** OCM
Name: Ciara Frahill **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Doireann O'Gorman **Position:** Events Coordinator
Name: Clodagh O'Shaughnessy **Position:** OCM

Dansoc Incoming Committee

Name: Genevieve Callander **Position:** P.R.O
Name: Elaine Brennan **Position:** Intervarsity Coordinator
Name: Brian Harkin **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Nia Northime **Position:** Secretary
Name: Roisin Kelly **Position:** OCM
Name: Bryna Heffernan **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Caoileann Kelly **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Grace Callaghan **Position:** Class Coordinator
Name: Rachel Quirke **Position:** Social Media Officer
Name: Owen Oseghale **Position:** Safety Officer

Dansoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,877.80	Bank charge	€32.50
Classes	€954.40	Costumes	€1,814.82
Equipment Rental	€30.00	Dinner/Food	€423.74
Members Contributions	€2,732.50	Entry fees	€1,347.00
Socs box Till	€2,492.00	Hoodies	€1,784.12
Sponsorship	€999.38	Materials	€4.85
Socs Box Till Lodgement	€-130	Returned Socs Money	€1,000.00
Ticket Sales	€2.90	Services Hired	€356.50
USC Grant	€10,000.00	Society accomm	€3,910.50

		Society transport	€1,580.00
		Teacher fees	€4470
Total	€19,958.98	Expenditure Total	€16,724.03
		Closing Bank Balance	€3234.95
		Total	€19,958.98

Alive Certificate Recipients

Alice Cunningham	75 hrs	OCM
Nia Northime	50 hrs	Volunteer
Brian Harkin	75 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Total Hours 200 Participants: 3		

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1572.

DJ Soc

DJ Society started strong with weekly tutorials for all newcomers, existing members and anyone interested in joining. We also had regular gigs for all members in SULT, where people from a broad range of levels and different tastes in music were able to showcase what they had learned in a comfortable yet exciting environment with a live audience.

At the beginning of October we had a gig in The Factory in Electric Garden, where 5 of our members were playing across the night. We also brought a lot of the active society to check out what we had worked on and support our friends.

During this time we also collaborated with some societies India Society for Bollywood night which was an eye opening and fruitful experience where new world music was introduced to our palettes and we cherish learning so much. Then with Cancer Society for the Relay for Life which was a pleasure to attend and participate in for such an amazing cause.

We brought in an up and coming professional DJ Shampain to give a talk to our members about how music production and Doing is a viable career option and the avenues one can pursue in these arts. This was eye opening for a lot of our members who saw the experience of DJing in a whole new light, something more than recreation.

In 2nd semester we organised an event in The Cellar where all out active members got to play and showcase their talents; it was a ticketed event for students and had quite an amazing turnout. We also continues to play in The Factory, with rotating DJs so everyone got a taste of the action.

In the end that's what we aimed for, for everyone to get involved and enjoy themselves and in that respect I think we succeeded.

DJ Soc Events list (44 Individual Events)



DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 11th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 11th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 12th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 18th September 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 18th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 19th September 2018
G Synapse: Social » Bailey Allen Hall » 20th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 20th

September 2018

EGM + Tutorials: Educational » Large Accoustic Room » 25th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 27th September 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 02nd October 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 02nd October 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 04th October 2018
The Factory @ Electric: Social » Galway, Galway City, Electric Garden » 08th October 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 09th October 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 10th October 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 11th October 2018
India Soc Bollywood Night DJing: Music Event » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th October 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 16th October 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 17th October 2018
Open Decks @ Sult: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 18th October 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 23rd October 2018
Open decks: Entertainment » College Bar (SULT) » 24th October 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 30th October 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 06th November 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 13th November 2018
Shampain dj soc talk: Guest Speakers » Large Accoustic Room » 14th November 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 20th November 2018
DJ Soc Tutorials: Music Event » Large Accoustic Room » 27th November 2018
The Factory: Social » Galway, Galway City, Electric Galway » 14th January 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 15th January 2019
The Cellar: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Cellar » 16th January 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 22nd January 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 29th January 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 05th February 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 12th February 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 19th February 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Áras na mac Léinn - Large Acoustic room » 26th February 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 05th March 2019
relay for life: Music Event » Bailey Allen » 08th March 2019

Silent disco for relay for life

dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Áras na mac Léinn - Large Acoustic room » 12th March 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Áras na mac Léinn - Large Acoustic room » 19th March 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Áras na mac Léinn - Large Acoustic room » 26th March 2019
dj soc tutorials: Music Event » Áras na mac Léinn - Large Acoustic room » 02nd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey

4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	14 Total society committee members	(10/14) society committee members completed survey
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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To encourage people who have an interest in learning how to DJ to do so.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

1. Learn how to manage the finances of a society
2. Learn how to communicate effectively with people
3. Organisation skills

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We definitely garnered a larger following and activity among members this year. We didn't organise as many events as we intended but to constrictions and lack of planing.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society brought students together with a shared love of music and Doing. We all learned a lot form the different types of music and techniques used by all of us. I think we achieved a lot of the most important goals we intended to.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success were the events in The Cellar and Electric where we were able to give our members a chance to really experience what DJing as a professional involves and allow them to make valuable connections that may be able to use in the future.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The biggest challenge was our lack of clear co-ordination to organise more events. We intended to have gigs in various clubs and venues around Galway but were unable to do so.

DJ Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Bongani Nkosi **Position:** Committee Advisor
Name: Breslin **Position:** Auditor
Name: Hassan Mahmood **Position:** Secretary
Name: Jakub Jakubowski **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Thomas Muldoon **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Michal Sydor **Position:** Equipment Manager
Name: Samuel Bertrand **Position:** Equipment Officer
Name: Cathal O'Callaghan **Position:** First Year Representative
Name: Mark Costello **Position:** vice equipment officer
Name: Ethan Cleary **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: James Ryan **Position:** Committee Advisor
Name: Jordan Whyte **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Mark Farrell **Position:** Societies Liaison Officer
Name: John Hanlon **Position:** OCM
Name: Joshua Breslin **Position:** Auditor

DJ Soc Incoming

Name: Joshua

DJ Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€655.90	Bank charge	€65.28
Socs box Till	€315.00	Dinner/Food	€786.66
Ticket Sales	€2,480.00	Hire Bus	€315.00
USC Grant	€2,250.00	Returned Socs Money	€200.00
		Services Hired	€390.00
		Socs Box Till Refund	€315
		Sound	€325
		Expenditure Total	€2,546.94
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€
Total	€5,700.90	Closing Bank Balance	€3,303.96
		Total	€5,700.90

Other Information

We held 12 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 964.

Dochas Christian Society

We are a Christian society who hopes to reflect the profound and loving message of Jesus to the campus! This year we hoped to continue growing our core group, as well as ministering to the large number of international students who attend our society. We also wanted to reach out better and bless this wonderful campus as a whole. We achieved this through a consistent set of weekly meetings with various themes (Old Testament characters/the ten commandments/theology) and also giving out free tea and coffee on campus every Wednesday. We also had weekly Bible Studies on a Monday morning. Our approach largely worked. We had about thirty coming to our weekly meetings and a great deal of them were international students, indicating that our society is an enjoyable environment for these people in general. We also think that our relationship with the campus as a whole is at an all-time-high. It's great to be known as the people who serve 'Jesus Coffee' without a doubt! As well as our core activities, we also

had a couple of extra events, such as the weekend away in Athlone, which was a great time of bonding and christian learning for those involved.



A group photo from the weekend away in Castledaly

Dochas Christian Society Events list (75 Individual Events)

Welcoming Night (With Pizza!): Social » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th September 2018

A nice chill evening where new students can get to know everyone in the society and old friends can meet up again! There will be Pizza and lots of banter! No intense theological lecture just yet!

Free Tea and Coffee! : Other » Hallway, Arts/Science Concourse » 18th September 2018

Giving out free teas and coffees just to bless people on campus!

Who is God? : Guest Speakers » The Stage, Áras na Mac Léinn » 20th September 2018

Our first meeting with a speaker of the semester! The wonderful Jason Post will be speaking on the question of who God is, a question that people have pondered about since the dawn of time. There will also be Worship, and tea & coffee afterwards.

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 24th September 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee! : Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 25th September 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

The Fall: Other » The Stage, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th September 2018

Billy Hamilton will be giving a talk on the doctrine of the fall. We'll also have worship and biscuits and stuff!

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 01st October 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 02nd October 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

The Fall: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 04th October 2018

Billy Hamilton will be giving a talk on The Fall; the theology of it, what it means for ourselves, and what it means in light of the gospel. Free hot drinks too!

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 08th October 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 09th October 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

The Authority of the Bible: Educational » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 11th October 2018

Stephen Walton from Moycullen Community Church will be speaking about the authority of the bible, why we can trust it and why it's true.

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 15th October 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee! : Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 16th October 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

Who is Jesus? : Other » AC202 » 18th October 2018

Helen Blakey will be speaking on the person of Jesus. Who was this man and what is his relevance today? All from a biblical standpoint.

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 22nd October 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 23rd October 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

Honouring God: Other » The Stage, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th October 2018

What does it mean to honour God and follow the 3rd and 4th commandment in the 21st century? Come along and find out!

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 29th October 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 30th October 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

The Holy Spirit: Other » The Stage, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st November 2018

Brian FitzGibbon will be discussing the Holy Spirit; frequently described as 'the shy member of the trinity'.

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 05th November 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 06th November 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

The Cross: Other » The Stage, Áras na Mac Léinn » 08th November 2018

The fantastic Peter Jemphrey will be covering the centre-piece of Christianity! The Atonement!

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 12th November 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee! : Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 13th November 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

The Holiness of God: Other » The Stage, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th November 2018

A talk from Mark Ellis on the most frightening but awe-inspiring aspect of God!

Connacht and Leinster CU Weekend: Conference » Westmeath, Athlone, Castledaly Manor » 16th November 2018

A meeting of the Connacht and Leinster CU's in Castledaly Manor. Talks from Jeremy Haworth.

Biblestudy: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 19th November 2018

This year, we are doing early-morning Bible-studies in Colossians. An opportunity for everyone to start their week on the right note. A simple breakfast will also be provided!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 20th November 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

Shoeboxes + Social!: Other » Outside the Bailey Allen Hall » 22nd November 2018

We're meeting at the Bailey Allen Hall and then heading out to pack shoeboxes for charity and have a bitta craic!

Free Tea and Coffee!: Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 27th November 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

Social Night: Social » The View, Áras na Mac Léinn » 29th November 2018

Our last meeting of the semester, consisting of a social night!

Free Tea and Coffee! : Charity » Concourse, Arts/Science Building, NUIG » 04th December 2018

More free tea and coffee, our way of blessing and giving back to the college!

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 23rd January 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Ac203 » 24th January 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Introductory Evening: Social » The Meeting Rooms, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th January 2019

A chill introduction to Dochas with a short talk from our staff worker, Helen Blakey!

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 30th January 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Ac203 » 31st January 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » AC204 » 31st January 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 06th February 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Ac203 » 07th February 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Ac203 » 07th February 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 11th February 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 13th February 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th February 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th February 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 18th February 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 20th February 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Ac203 » 21st February 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Ac203 » 21st February 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 25th February 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 27th February 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th February 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th February 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 04th March 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 06th March 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th March 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 07th March 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 11th March 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 13th March 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th March 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th March 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 18th March 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 20th March 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 21st March 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 21st March 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 25th March 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 27th March 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » AC204 » 28th March 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting: Other » AC204 » 28th March 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship

Bible Study: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 01st April 2019

Join us for a Bible study of 2 Timothy, including tea, coffee and some breakfast

Free Tea & Coffee: Other » CONCOURSE » 03rd April 2019

Drop by for a free tea or coffee and a chat!

Prayer Meeting: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th April 2019

Join us for prayer before our main meeting

Main Meeting and AGM: Other » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th April 2019

Join us for our main meeting of the week, with worship, a talk and fellowship. Also included is our AGM where we will be electing next year's committee.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(7/7) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Dochas Christian society's vision is to see students lives transformed by Jesus Christ. We exist to serve God firstly and through him serve Christians and our campus.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

For Gods will to be done
For the glorious gospel to be shared
For Christians to mature in faith and to be equipped to share the gospel
To pray diligently for our campus to be saved
To display God's love through our words and actions

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think that we built a community that sought to learn more about God and welcome others in. I think we can be doing more to include particularly exchange students as it can be hard for them to intergrate.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Through our bible study I think we equipped Christians to practise their faith and gave them an opportunity to serve at our free tea and coffee stand. We prayed often for our community and campus.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Giving out free tea and coffee every week has given us an opportunity to meet people on campus and give a space to ask questions for those that would be too intimidated to come to a meeting. It also challenged our society members to serve and step out in faith.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

It was difficult to balance the talks for our main meeting to be something challenging and encouraging to Christians, while also being something that a non Christian would be interested in or for them to relate to.

Dochas Christian Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Caitlyn Irons **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Whitney Lijoka **Position:** OCM
Name: Patrick Hamilton **Position:** Secretary
Name: Caoimhe Fitzgibbon **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Emily Jackson **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Laura Culhane **Position:** Auditor
Name: Philip Kennedy **Position:** OCM

Dochas Christian Society Incoming Committee

Name: Emily Jackson **Position:** Auditor
Name: Shaun Chin Hean Chew **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Patrick Hamilton **Position:** Secretary
Name: Naomi Tunstead **Position:** Treasurer

Dochas Christian Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€346.06	Bank charge	€31.50
Members Contributions	€105.01	Dinner/Food	€440.96
USC Grant	€1,500.00	Entry fees	€435.00

		Equipment misc	€19.72
		Gifts	€92.53
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€344
		Expenditure Total	€1363.71
		Closing Bank Balance	€587.36
Total	€1951.07	Total	€1951.07

Other Information

We held 5 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 374.

Draiocht

Raising much needed funds, awareness and offering volunteering opportunities in children's homes in Nepal and Tanzania.

Draiocht was established in 2008 by Melanie Hennessey, a former NUIG student. The founder's dream was to help orphaned Nepali children and to promote multi-culturism in Ireland. The society immediately linked up with the charity TEAM Nepal. We have established an orphanage home in Talamarang, a small village high in the mountains of Nepal and we send volunteers out to help every year. Our plan is to make the home completely self sufficient within five years, we hope to do this by using renewable energy and creating an agri-business. We have also been involved in founding a community school in Talamarang which now has over 500 students. We have also been involved in various village health camps, and promoting local business in the village and hope to help establish a permanent health center in the future. However, since the earthquake in 2015, many of our plans for the moment are put on hold as we continue to provide funds for first line treatment and begin to help rebuild the schools, and villiages around Talamarang.

Draiocht Events list (7 Individual Events)



Meeting and AGM: Committee Meeting » AC 214 » 25th September 2018

Draiocht's Committee meeting and AGM

meeting: Committee Meeting » IT Building » 30th October 2018

Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 22nd January 2019

Raffle: Charity » smokies » 31st January 2019

Comedy Hyponitist: Charity » O'Flaherty » 05th February 2019

Raffle: Charity » CONCOURSE » 12th March 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » IT » 25th April 2019

Annual General Meeting to discuss the year on Draiocht and to finalize plans for next year.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(10/10) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

We aim to fundraise for our two charity groups TEAM Nepal and The Olive Branch for Children Tanzania. We also give students a chance to volunteer during the summer in Tanzania and Nepal.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to fundraise through the comedy hypnotist, runamuck, bakesales and table quizzes. We give students the opportunity to volunteer abroad. We have already held an information night, interviews for those interested and made a schedule for those chosen. We now go on to organize them to go abroad next summer.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Unfortunately our society did not make money through our planned fundraisers- hypnotist and runamuck. However, we have successfully selected a great group of volunteers to go out to Tanzania and Nepal this summer.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

we selected a group of volunteers to go out to Tanzania and Nepal this summer, and have had information nights and organised other meetings to ensure they are fully aware of all they need to do.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Thoroughly preparing the volunteers for their travels this summer

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

We found fundraising very difficult this year. we had organised various events, but actually getting people to attend and donate is more difficult than we anticipated.

Draiocht Outgoing Committee

Name: Elizabeth Childs **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Emma Canty **Position:** Volunteer Co-ordinator Tanzania
Name: Jade Clarke **Position:** Volunteer Co-ordinator Nepal
Name: Laoise Buchholtz **Position:** Secretary
Name: Maeve O'Connell **Position:** Auditor
Name: Maura Fitzgerald **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Kate White **Position:** PRO
Name: Rebecca McLoughlin **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Norma O'Brien **Position:** P.R.O
Name: Marguerite Griffin **Position:** Volunteer co-ordinator

Draiocht Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€17,576.68	Affill/Mem fees	€330.00
Fundraising	€20,299.40	Bank charge	€46.69
Refund of Expenses	€0.31	Dinner/Food	€69.03
Socs box Till	€1,000.00	Entertainment	€650.00
USC Grant	€1,031.85	Fundraising / Charity	€26,059.50
		Security	€421.85
		Services Hired	€246
		Expenditure Total	€27,823.07
		Closing Bank Balance	€12,085.17
Total	€39,908.24	Total	€39,908.24

Other Information

We held 3 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 716.

Dramsoc

The aim of Dramsoc is to bring people together who have any interest in theatre whether that be acting, directing, stage managing, costuming, dramaturgy, props, set building, front of house and watching entertaining shows. We want to give these members the chance to get to get involved as much as possible by putting on a play almost every week of the semester. There are many opportunities in this society, mainly to get experience and make like minded friends but there is also many opportunities through our workshops, auditions and our contacts with other societies such as Film Soc, GUMS and Comedy Soc and our contacts outside the college with other theatre companies and directors. Dramsoc has added greatly to the cultural life of the university by providing a place for students, lecturers and many others to get involved in the theatre. We provide full lenght plays almost every week for a very modest price and seek to educate and entertain not only our audience but our many members. Our society also provides the opportunity for writers and choreographers to present their original work. Each year Dramsoc takes part in the ISDA (Irish Student Drama Association) festival, this an inter university event where various universities from across Ireland come together to showcase the best work of their

seasons, and are awarded accordingly. Our society has worked extremely hard at providing entertainment and artistic outlets to the students of NUIG and the wider community for the last 100 years.



Dramsoc Events list (46 Individual Events)

Dramsoc Breakfast Morning: Arts & Culture » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 06th September 2018

Pop along to have some free breakfast with Dramsoc! Get to know our committee and find out about what we do!

Dramsoc presents "Chatroom": Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 06th September 2018

The six teenage characters communicate only via the internet. Conversations

range in subject from Britney Spears to Willy Wonka to - suicide: Jim is depressed and talks of ending his life and Eva and William decide to do their utmost to persuade him to carry out his threat. The play runs on

the 6th of September in the BOI Theatre (beside Sult) at 8pm. FRESHERS GO FREE!

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Dramsoc 'Meet and Greet': Arts & Culture » The Bank of Ireland Theatre » 13th September 2018

Audition Workshop: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 17th September 2018

Buzzing for this week's auditions? Why not come along to our Audition Workshop today at 4pm in The

Cube, it'll give you everything you need to be the star we know you are! 🌟🌟

Semester 1 Auditions: Arts & Culture » Aras na Mac Leinn » 18th September 2018

We here at Dramsoc are so excited and buzzed to put on this semester's shows, but we need YOU to do so! Come join us for auditions this week in Aras Na Mac Leinn. We'll be at the black desk, bopping about in our orange t-shirts. TIMES AND VENUES FOR EACH SHOW: ECLIPSE: Tuesday 9-12 - The Cube Wednesday 1-5 The small acoustic room DEVIL'S CEIL: Tuesday 10-3 - Small acoustic Wednesday 1-5 - The Art Room THE LAST DAYS OF JUDAS ISCARIOT: Tuesday 9-3 - The Art Room Wednesday 9-12 - The Stage REBIRTH Tuesday 11-4 - The Stage Wednesday 2-5 - The Stage See you there folks!

Dramsoc presents "Edgar I Nothing Am": Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 18th September 2018

The show is a new devised piece based on King Lear and directed by Ariyan Bhatti.

Bits & Bobs evening: Arts & Culture » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 26th September 2018

Come hang out with Dramsoc for an evening! We'll be playing games, doing some improv and encouraging any kind of performances you want on the night. Running from 7-9pm in the meeting rooms.



Dramsoc EGM: Arts & Culture » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th September 2018
Dramsoc Hair & Makeup Workshop: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 03rd October 2018

Always wondered about the secrets behind great stage makeup and hair? Wanna get the inside track on how to make actors look attractive/unique/menacing/not totally flat under the lights? At the Dramsoc Hair & Makeup for Stage workshop, we'll show you all you need to know! Come along to the Cube this Wednesday at 4pm!

Dramsoc presents 24 Hour Theatre in aid of 'The Simon Community': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 08th October 2018

Our first ever 24 Theatre event happening this Monday and Tuesday but we need YOU guys to come and put it all together! 🎭🎭🎭🎭 If this sounds like something you'd love to give a go and have an absolute ball whilst doing then please follow this link <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/13xSfHEbBXtXt96m9aytFgCRcwAcIRULVChgMc652xSc/edit?chromeless=1> and fill out the details for the role you would like to do! **ALL PROCEEDS FOR THE SHOW WILL GO TO THE Galway Simon Community ***food will also be provided through out the super fast rehearsal

process*

Dramsoc Presents 'Eclipse': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 16th October 2018

Dramsoc presents 'Eclipse' by Simon Armitage, directed by Aoife Delaney Reade. Synopsis: Six friends gather for a ritual under a lunar eclipse. They are joined by the mysterious and manipulative Lucy Lime, who exploits the weaknesses of the group to change them and their dynamic forever. This play takes place through flashbacks and the fragmented memories related by the gang as they are questioned by

police the day after the encounter. Lucy Lime has disappeared.

Dramsoc presents 'Rebirth': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 23rd October 2018

Dramsoc presents 'Rebirth', an original script written and directed by Jess Harkin. This play follows two characters named in the script as Girl One and Girl Two, who portray a tale of friendship, innocence, unrequited love and horror. Girl One and Girl Two happen to make an unusual and unexpected relationship as they both explore their world around them.

SFX Makeup Workshop: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 25th October 2018

Come along to our SFX Makeup workshop just in time for Halloween! All levels welcome!

Halloween Party with GUMS: Arts & Culture » Galway, Cross Street, Busker Brownes » 25th October 2018

Join GUMS and Dramsoc for our annual collaboration Halloween party! Taking place in Busker Brownes from 8pm.

Friday Rebirth: Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 26th October 2018

Dramsoc freshers presents 'A Bit of Land': Arts & Culture » The Bank of Ireland Theatre » 01st November 2018

Come along and support our new members in our annual freshers play. All actors have never acted in a Dramsoc show before so show them some love! The play runs for around 30 minutes in the BOI Theatre (Beside Sult)

Lighting/Sound Workshop: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 07th November 2018

Join our Head Technician Mary Claire Teahan and learn the ropes of lighting and sound. All welcome, no experience required! Taking place from 3-5pm in The Cube

Dramsoc presents 'The Last Days of Judas Iscariot': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 07th November 2018

Dramsoc presents 'The Last Days of Judas Iscariot' by Simon Adly Guirgis and directed by Kevin Murphy. The Last Days of Judas Iscariot tells the story of a court case over the ultimate fate of Judas Iscariot. The play uses flashbacks to an imagined childhood, and lawyers who call for the testimonies of such witnesses as Mother Teresa, Caiaphas, Saint Monica, Sigmund Freud, and Satan.

Family Fortunes with GUMS!: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 09th November 2018

Join Dramsoc and GUMS in our first ever Family Fortunes! From 6pm-8pm in The View. All welcome!

Dramsoc presents 'The Devil's Céilí': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 13th November 2018

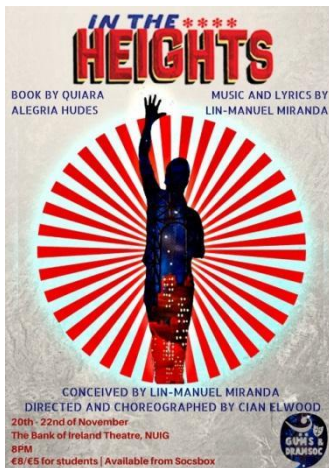
Dramsoc presents 'The Devil's Céilí' by Philip Doherty and Kevin McGahern. The play will run at 8pm in the BOI Theatre (beside Sult). Synopsis: Set in a ceili hall in Cavan in the 1960's where one night the devil appeared changing the lives of three men forever. During the time of free love and LSD in America, a stranger from abroad attends a local ceili and causes havoc by spiking the drinks of 3 men who all hold high roles within the parish which takes each one on a journey of self-discovery.

Devil's Ceilí Friday: Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 16th November 2018

Clowning Workshop: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

Join us for a weird and wacky clowning workshop with Aoife Delany Reade and Davin McGowan. No experience required! In the meeting rooms (upstairs in Áras na Mac Léinn)

DRUMS presents 'In The Heights': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 20th November 2018



Come see this fantastic and riveting story which explores three days in the characters' lives in the New York City Latino neighbourhood of Washington Heights. The score features hip-hop, salsa, merengue and soul music that beautifully portrays the culture and livelihood of the characters who live in the Barrio. With plenty of comedic moments, thrilling chorus numbers and gorgeous solo numbers, it really is one not to be missed! Make sure to get tickets at Socsbox to avoid disappointment! All rights reserved to: www.rnh.com

Christmas Bits and Bobs: Arts & Culture » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th November 2018

Come hang out with Dramsoc for an evening! We'll be playing games, doing some improv and, most importantly, getting in the Christmas spirit! Running from 7-9pm. See you there (in your Christmas attire of course)

Dramsoc Christmas Party: Arts & Culture » Galway, ABBEYGATE STREET UPPER, GALWAY, IRELAND, Electric Nightclub, Factory » 05th December 2018

Join Dramsoc for our Christmas/End of Term Wrap Party! We'll be dancing our study week troubles away in Biteclub on Wednesday the 5th of December. All welcome!!

Jerome Hynes One Act Auditions: Arts & Culture » Aras na Mac Leinn » 23rd January 2019

New semester, same Dramsoc back with those auditions! If you wanna get involved in this year's Theatre Week (you know you do), come along to our one act auditions this Wednesday and Thursday to read for some very cool plays written and directed by students! We'll be at the black desk in Áras na Mac to sign you up! *AUDITION TIMES* Wednesday People are Happy on Trains: 12-3 Art Room Ladies Night: 11-1 Meeting Rooms Catraz Park: 12-3 The Stage Power Play: 10-12 Art Room Pigeon Face: 3-5 The Stage Thursday People are Happy on Trains: 10-12 Meeting Room 2 Ladies Night: 1-3 Meeting Room 1 Catraz

Park: 1-3 Art Room Power Play: 10-12 Art Room Pigeon Face: 12-3 The Space

Bits and Bobs Evening: Arts & Culture » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 24th January 2019

This Thursday at 7pm in the Stage we have our first Bits & Bobs evening of the semester! Bits & Bobs is a great place to hang out with other Dramsoc members and do improv games and other fun stuff!

Whether you're a regular or new to the society make sure to come along!

Dramsoc presents 'God of Carnage': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 29th January 2019

A playground altercation between two eleven-year-old boys brings together two sets of Brooklyn parents for a meeting to resolve the matter. Directed by Claire Buggy O'Toole 29th of January–1st of February

Bank of Ireland Theatre Tickets: €5 (for students)/€8 Tickets available from SocsBox

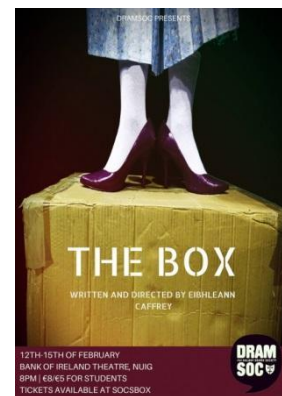
Bake sale! : Arts & Culture » Smokey's Cafe » 07th February 2019

In aid of Dramsoc's upcoming production of "athe Language Archive" we will be having a

bake sale in Smokey's. So come on down and get some tasty treats!

Dramsoc presents 'The Box': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 12th February 2019

Written and directed by Eibhleann Caffrey. Running from Tuesday 12th February - Friday 15th February in the Bank of Ireland Theatre at 8pm nightly. Tickets €8/€5 and are available from Socsbox



Theatre Week: Arts & Culture » Aras na Mac Leinn » 18th February 2019

Theatre Week is jam packed with everything and anything to do with theatre. From plays to workshops

and everything in between, there is something for everyone.

Dramsoc presents 'The Language Archive': Arts & Culture » The cube and the stage » 18th February 2019

Dramsoc presents: 'Conversations on a Homecoming': Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 19th February 2019

Design Workshop: Workshops » the space » 19th February 2019

Design workshop with Jack Scullion as a part of Dramsoc's Theatre Week

The Jerome Hynes One Act Series: Arts & Culture » The cube and the stage » 21st February 2019

Abbey Dramaturgy Workshop: Workshops » the space » 21st February 2019

Abbey theatre workshop on dramaturgy as part of Dramsoc Theatre Week

Moonfish Theatre Company Workshop: Workshops » O'Donoghue Centre for Drama, Theatre and Performance » 22nd February 2019

Theatre Week workshop by Moonfish Theatre Company on devising theatre from text

Stage Combat Workshop: Workshops » O'Donoghue Centre for Drama, Theatre and Performance » 22nd February 2019

Stage combat workshop given by Conor Dwyer as part of Dramsoc Theatre Week

One Act Reception: Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 22nd February 2019

Wine Reception for the Jerome Hynes One Act Series

One Acts Friday: Arts & Culture » The cube and the stage » 22nd February 2019

Bits and Bobs: Arts & Culture » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 28th February 2019

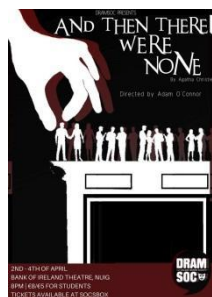
Got post-Theatre Week blues? Midterm stress? Why not come along to Bits & Bobs this Thursday at 6pm! This week we'll be doing all our usual fun games and improv, as well as a little yoga class! So bop

into the Space, hang out with other Dramsoc members and have an awesome time!

Dramsoc Theatre Dinner/Bits & Bobs: Arts & Culture » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 14th March 2019

Like food? Like fun stuff? Assuming you answered 'yes' to these questions, why not come to the Stage at 7:30pm this Thursday the 14th for Dramsoc's Theatre Dinner for all that and more! (especially theatre

puns, so many theatre puns) We'll also be having our FINAL Bits & Bobs of the year, so don't miss all the improv and the bants!



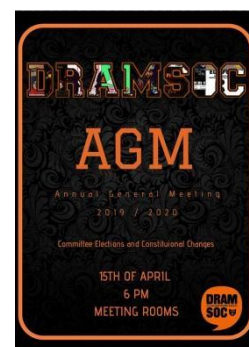
Dramsoc Presents "And then there were None": Arts & Culture » The Bank of Ireland Theatre » 02nd April 2019

Ten strangers are summoned to a remote island. All that the guests have in common is a wicked past they're unwilling to reveal and a secret that will seal their fate. For each has been marked for murder. As the weather turns and the group is cut off from the mainland, the bloodbath begins and one by one they are murdered in accordance with the lines of a sinister nursery rhyme. Directed by Adam O'Connor and Emily Aherne 2nd-4th of April €8/€5 for students 8PM BOI THEATRE NUIG Tickets available from Socsbox

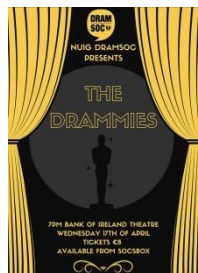
Dramsoc AGM: Arts & Culture » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 15th April

2019

Our favourite time of year is upon us once again when the current committee steps down and you, the members, get the opportunity to decide who will step up to take their place! Also at this meeting, we will be discussing constitutional changes and Honorary Lifetime Memberships. If you are interested in running for a position on the Dramsoc Committee, you will first have to be nominated (you can nominate yourself) and be seconded. You will then be asked to deliver a short speech on why you should be elected, don't worry if you can't attend in person, simply have someone read out a piece on your behalf! You may be asked questions by the room. Committee members will be elected by popular vote. The positions available are listed below. If there is somebody you would like to receive an Honorary Lifetime Membership, you may nominate them but you will be asked to argue why this person deserves a HLM. Persons nominated should have displayed great passion and desire to further the society and have brought something unique to Dramsoc! Positions up for election: -Auditor-Vice Auditor-Treasurer-Secretary-Production's Officer-Event Officer/Student Development Officer-ISDA Representative-New Members Representative-Theatre Week Representative-PRO-PRA-Head Technician-Head of Costumes and Makeup-Head of Sets and Props So come along to the Meeting Rooms on the 15th of April at 6pm, and have your say on the future of the society! *PLEASE NOTE THAT ONLY CURRENT REGISTERED STUDENTS AND FULL DRAMSOC MEMBERS OF AT LEAST 30 DAYS ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN THE AGM. HLMS WHO ARE NOT CURRENT MEMBERS MAY NOT VOTE*



The Drammies | NUIG Dramsoc: Arts & Culture » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 17th April 2019



You thought it was over? Well think again! Dramsoc are coming together for one last celebration this year, and what better way to say goodbye to all of this year's incredible productions than one big awards show! The Drammies are a celebration of all things Dramsoc, and the best part is you (yes, YOU) can have your say in who takes home the prizes on the big night! Just download the voting form from the Dramsoc Members group, highlight your choices and send to nuigdramsocdrammies@gmail.com (voting closes 11:59pm on April 14th, so get on it quick!) The Drammies will be held in the BOI Theatre at 7pm on Wednesday the 17th, so bust out your formal wear and get ready for a whole night of Dramsoc fun! Tickets €8, available from SocsBox

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aims of the Society shall be;

Provide amateur dramatic productions for the members of the society and of the union.

Support the development of all forms of drama and dramatic production.
Provide a forum for the discussion of drama in all its forms.

Support new writing.

Involve all interested members of the university to the fullest extent possible so as to create a richer and more diverse Dramsoc.

Represent the university at the Irish Student Drama Association (ISDA).

In all other ways to further the performance and enjoyment of drama at the National University of Ireland Galway.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To engage new members and to give them a sense of belonging on campus

Can be monitored through our new members rep and our first year ocm. Attendees at our events throughout the year can show if progress is being made on this front.

To continue to grow theatre week.

In the last two years theatre week has become a massive NUIG themed week. We hope to continue the success of this week and attempt to help it grow to allow us to draw in members who might not be overly involved with the society otherwise.

To produce as many productions as possible, to give students the chance to get to try new things in theatre and get to see their production come to life.

We would like to ensure that we produce at least 18 productions like last year. We would also like to attempt to produce as many original or adapted pieces as possible to encourage creativity within the society.

To receive recognition of our work at the ISDA festival in Belfast.

Last year, we successfully won three awards, as well as another four nominations including Best Production. We would hope that this year we can prove to be as equally competitive in the competition.

To help teach members various aspects of theatre, not just promote the acting side of it.

We would like to run workshops and offer members the chance to shadow others to gain an insight into any and all areas of backstage.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

"Provide amateur dramatic productions...": Produced 13 shows open to all members of the society, and 1 show open to freshers.

"Support the development of... Provide a forum for the discussion of drama...": Held over a dozen theatre related workshops run by both students and industry professionals, as well as several instances of the popular "Bits'n'Bobs" event, which brought members of the society together in a more social capacity.

"Support new writing": Produced 2 full-length original plays, "Edgar I Nothing Am" [Ariyan Bhatti] and "Rebirth" [Jess Harkin]. Once again produced the Jerome Hynes One Act Series, which saw the staging of 5 original scripts written by students.

"Involve all interested members...": The Jerome Hynes One Act Series in particular engaged many students who normally don't find themselves with time to get involved in full-length productions, as did the Freshers Show, and the recurring "Bits'n'Bobs" event.

"Represent the university...": NUIG Dramsoc will produce "Rebirth", "The Last Days of Judas Iscariot" and "The Language Archive" at the ISDA festival this year, all of which received excellent feedback from ISDA judges and audiences alike. This will give over 50 students the opportunity to represent the society and the university on a national level.

"In all other ways, to further the performance and enjoyment of drama...": Theatre Week grew once again this year, and engaged people from all over the university, both as performers, and as audience members, who might not normally get involved. We had 24 non-production events over the year, from workshops, to Bits'n'Bobs, to breakfast mornings.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

"To engage new members...":

"To continue to grow Theatre Week":

"To produce as many productions as possible...": We produced 13 shows open to all members, 1 for freshers, and 5 original one act plays.

"To receive recognition of our work at the ISDA Festival...": Three of our productions will represent Dramsoc at the ISDA Festival in Queens University, Belfast this year.

"To help teach members various aspects of theatre...": This was achieved through workshops which were held by students and industry professionals

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Hugely successful this year was the establishment of "Bits'n'Bobs" event, which brought members together to socialise and develop theatre techniques in a more casual capacity than workshops. We produced 13 full scale shows, with casts and crews bigger than ever before, meaning more people were involved in the society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

To continue growing and improving and ensuring that we are as prolific as previous years. Being such a big society and having so many members it can be difficult to ensure there is enough happening to entertain everyone and that each member feels involved and valued, so we worked very hard to ensure this.

Dramsoc Outgoing Committee

Name: Aine Cooney **Position:** Auditor

Name: Mark Fitzgerald **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Michael Murphy **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Meadhbh Lyons **Position:** Secretary

Name: Jessica Harkin **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Emily White **Position:** Public Relations Assistant

Name: Emily Aherne **Position:** Events/SDO

Name: Conor McLaughlin

Borlace Position: Production Manager

Name: Noel Minogue **Position:** New Members Rep

Name: Kate O'Mahony **Position:** ISDA Rep

Name: Oisin Feely **Position:** Theatre Week Representative

Name: Mary Teahan **Position:** Head Technician

Name: Adrienne Walsh **Position:** Production Team: Head of Costumes

Name: Cadhla Boyle **Position:** Production Team: Head of Sets

Name: Anna Doyle **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Muireann Kavanagh **Position:** OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)

Name: Sarah Dervin **Position:** Head of Photography & Digital Archiving

Dramsoc Incoming Committee

Name: Noel Minogue **Position:** Auditor
Name: Shannon O'Flynn **Position:** Secretary
Name: Emily Aherne **Position:** Theatre Week Representative
Name: Emily White **Position:** Productions Officer
Name: Aine Cooney **Position:** ISDA Rep
Name: Sarah Dervin **Position:** Head of Photography & Digital Archiving
Name: Oisín Feely **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Muireann Kavanagh **Position:** Events/SDO
Name: Oisín Parslow **Position:** Public Relations Assistant
Name: Sean Murphy **Position:** OCM

Name: Ethan Padden **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Ailish McDonagh **Position:** New Members Rep
Name: Aisling Hanrahan **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Megan Devlin Larsen **Position:** Head of Sets
Name: Neal McHugh **Position:** Production Team: Head of Costumes
Name: Matthew Brown **Position:** Head Technician

Dramsoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€7,733.37	Ball	€1,042.42
Fundraising	€525.00	Bank charge	€50.60
Members Contributions	€3,260.63	Costumes	€1,640.80
Socs box Till	€5,316.00	Dinner/Food	€643.22
Sponsorship	€300.00	Entertainment	€1,310
Ticket Sales	€3,500.56	Entry fees	€1,000.00
USC Grant	€4,120.00	Equipment misc	€441.54
		Gifts	€143.33
		Hoodies	€68
		Makeup/Props	€729.56
		Performing rights	€3677.04
		Printing	€130

		Prizes	€343.98
		Promotions	€20
		Reception	€278.36
		Services Hired	€1903.32
		Set	€1605.32
		Society accomm	€2,598.36
		Society transport	€3117
		Socs Box Till Refund	€5
		Sound	€19.22
		Expenditure Total	€21,482.07
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€93
		Closing Bank Balance	€3,895.59
Total	€24,755.56	Total	€24,755.56

Alive Certificate Recipients

Gavin Alcorn-Friel	18 hrs	Volunteer
Michael Murphy	375 hrs	Treasurer
Liam Richards	5 hrs	Volunteer
Meadhbh Lyons	300 hrs	Secretary

Muireann Kavanagh	229 hrs	OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)
Ethan Padden	3 hrs	Volunteer
Cadhla Boyle	500 hrs	Production Team: Head of Sets
Anna Doyle	300 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Noel Minogue	300 hrs	New Members Rep
Aisling Hanrahan	175 hrs	Volunteer
Adrienne Walsh	650 hrs	Production Team: Head of Costumes
Jessica Harkin	500 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Emily White	580 hrs	Public Relations Assistant
Kevin Murphy	200 hrs	Volunteer
Anna Doolin	15 hrs	Volunteer
Samuel Tuohy	50 hrs	Volunteer
Vincent McBrien	72 hrs	Volunteer
Mary Teahan	150 hrs	Head Technician
Emily Aherne	600 hrs	Events/SDO
Hannah Donnelly	20 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Dervin	72 hrs	Head of Photography & Digital Archiving
Oisin Feely	700 hrs	Theatre Week Representative
Oisin Parslow	307 hrs	Volunteer

Daniel O Gorman	60 hrs	Volunteer
Mark Fitzgerald	1300 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Anna Sheehy	10 hrs	Volunteer
Nicole Denning	12 hrs	Volunteer
Emily MacKillop	78 hrs	Volunteer
Fiona Buckley	25 hrs	Volunteer
Sorcha Whyte	60 hrs	Volunteer
Rachele Mazzini	40 hrs	Volunteer
Lisa Hamilton	146 hrs	Volunteer
Aine Cooney	1000 hrs	Auditor
Claudia Glavey	700 hrs	Volunteer
Julie Quinn	100 hrs	Volunteer
Siobhan Jordan	35 hrs	Volunteer
Rory Delaney	200 hrs	Volunteer
Madison Carpenter	149 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 10036 Participants: 38		

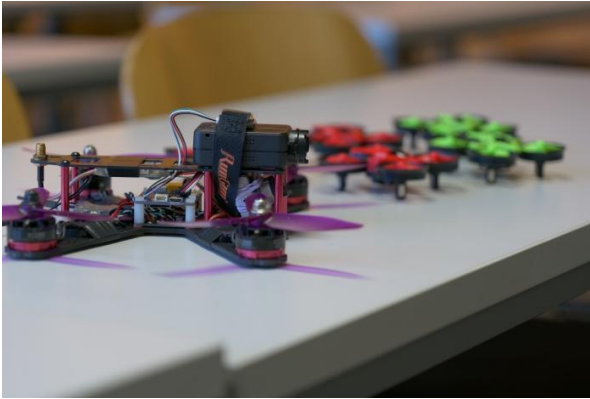
Other Information

We held 18 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1389.

Drone

DronceSoc is a society for those with a keen interest in anything drone related. We fly small drones around indoor courses, and race them against each other, usually while eating pizza! We also have high end simulators to practice with before progressing to the real thing.

Our Fleet



Drone Events list (4 Individual Events)

Drone Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Alice Perry Engineering Building ENG-2001 » 25th September 2018

Drone Soc EGM

Intro to Drone Flying & Pizza: Workshops » Meeting Room 1 » 07th February 2019

We're having an introductory night to flying drones in Meeting Room 1 & 2 above the Bailey Allen. There'll be a flight simulator for beginners, some small drones to practice flying with, and of course plenty of pizza!

Drones & Pizza: Workshops » Alice Perry Engineering Building ENG 2003 » 14th March 2019

We're having another night of flying drones in ENG-2003 in the Engineering Building. There'll be a flight simulator for beginners, some small drones to practice flying with, and of course plenty of pizza!

Drone Soc AGM: Committee Meeting » Engineering Building, Room TBD » 18th April 2019

Drone soc AGM.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(6/6) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The mission of Drone Society is to create a community within NUI Galway of people passionate about drone technology.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Set up some events using small drones as teaching tools to get people up and flying.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society had a great year and fulfilled the mission statement of creating a community of people passionate about drone technology. The events were very successful and created a fun environment for people who share a common interest to come and enjoy discussing and flying drones

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, the society was successful in completing the goals that were decided at the beginning of the year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The events tended to increasingly get better as the year progressed, and so I would regard the final even as the greatest success.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The societies greatest challenge was to try to keep the society alive while waiting on a delivery of drones from China the took about six months.

Drone Outgoing Committee

Name: Robert Bakker **Position:** Auditor

Name: Dara Molloy **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Macdara Day **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ciaran McDermott **Position:** Secretary

Name: Conal Sheridan **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Cathal O'Callaghan **Position:** PRO

Drone Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.10
USC Grant	€250.00	Dinner/Food	€82.90
		Equipment misc	€113
		Expenditure Total	€241
		Closing Bank Balance	€9
Total	€250	Total	€250

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 254.

Emergency Medicine Society

2018/19 was a highly successful year for NUIG Emergency Medicine Society, we organised many events revolved around emergency medicine.

We held multiple Basic First Aid Workshops which taught CPR and other skills to students. We also reached out in the local community by collaborating with AMSI to teach first aid skills to Homeless people in Galway with the help of Simon Community. We raised funds for this charity through a bakesale in the college.

We hosted several guest speakers throughout the year, including a guest speaker from MSF will share his experiences of emergency care in conflict zones and inspired many students to volunteer with MSF in the future. We also had Dr. James Binchy, honorary president of EMSSI and Emergency Consultant in Galway answered questions about Trauma Care and spoke about many of interesting cases. These were very unique events and rewarding to all those who attended.

We hosted workshops at the Health in Conflict conference in association with Friends of MSF and AMSI. This was a highly praised event and one in which may become an annual event due to its popularity.

We participated at the annual intervarsity 'SimWars' competition, held in Cork this year, in which one of teams came runner up in the event.

Finally, we held several OSCE preparation nights where medical students were helped in preparing for their practical exams. These were highly attended events and enjoyed by the students.

OSCE Prep Night



Emergency Medicine Society Events list (23 Individual Events)

CPR Workshop: Workshops » MY129 Aras Moyola » 01st October 2018

Learn CPR! This is a workshop where we will teach you the basics of CPR - No experience necessary as we will start from the very beginning. Come along and learn a lifesaving skill - For free! Please note that as this is just a one hour workshop, we cannot issue you with a CPR certificate. You will need to pay to do a full certified CFR course with Croi or the Irish red cross to get a

certificate.

EGM NUIG Emergency Medicine Society: Committee Meeting » AC202, The Concourse » 02nd October 2018

We are looking for a Pre-Med rep and an OCM! Come to the EGM on Monday to run for the position, vote for your friends or just to eat free pizza!

Conflict care with MSF: Guest Speakers » CSI » 23rd October 2018

Guest speaker from MSF will share his experiences of emergency care in conflict zones and will answer questions. There will of course be pizza too!

Health in conflict conference workshops: Conference » CSI » 03rd November 2018

We will hosting workshops at the Health in Conflict conference in association with Friends of MSF and AMSI

Emergency Department Consultant and EMSSI President talk: Guest Speakers » Large Lecture Theatre, CSI » 12th November 2018

Dr. James Binchy, honorary president of EMSSI and Emergency Consultant in Galway has agreed to give us a talk on Monday the 12 of November at 7pm! He will answer all the questions you have about Trauma Care and will talk about loads of interesting cases! Free pizza will be supplied to everyone who

comes! Please note, this event will be quite medicine-centered, all students are welcome but Dr. Binchy will be mainly talking about his experiences with Medicine.

Premed OSCE night: Workshops » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 05th December 2018

Everything you need to fly through your first OSCE from people who've done it before - come along for insider's tips, tricks and pizza!

3rd Med OSCE night: Workshops » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 06th December 2018

Everything you need to fly through your last preclinical OSCE from people who've done it before - come along for insiders tips, equipment practice and pizza!

SimWars training: Training » CSI » 15th January 2019

Training for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 22nd January 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 24th January 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 29th January 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 31st January 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 05th February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

CPR Beginners Workshop Semester 2: Educational » AC214 » 05th February 2019

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 07th February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 12th February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 14th February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 19th February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 21st February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

Training for Simwars: Training » CSI » 26th February 2019

Training our teams for intervarsities in March

AGM Emergency Medicine soc: Committee Meeting » human biology building » 25th March 2019

Come to our AGM and join our committee! We will have lots of committee positions up for grabs and of course there will be pizza!

1MB OSCE night: Workshops » CSI 2012 » 27th March 2019

OSCE prep night for first meds

2MB OSCE night: Workshops » TBC » 04th April 2019

OSCE workshop for second meds

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
3 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(8/10) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of the society is to conduct events that will spark medical students' interest in emergency medicine and to also do events that can include non medical students.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to be able to incorporate everyone's contribution in organization of events, to be more receptive of the current issues and try to do interesting events for students who are interested in emergency medicine

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think we did well, We had a variety of events and did some new events we haven't done before. We involved students outside of medicine and we now have a non-medical student on our incoming committee too.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Coming second at intervarsities, partnering with Simon Community to teach first aid to the homeless and hosting our biggest osce night ever with 110 attendees.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Room bookings.

Emergency Medicine Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Rebekah Fitzgerald **Position:** Immediate Past Auditor

Name: Genevieve Callander **Position:** Auditor

Name: Veronica Fay-Watt **Position:** Secretary

Name: Roisin Thornton **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Alannah McDonnell **Position:** PRO

Name: Oisin Gibbons **Position:** 1st Med Rep

Name: Jaffar Abbas Syed **Position:** 3rd Year Rep

Name: Mairead Kilcoyne **Position:** 2nd Med Rep

Name: Nur Syazana Idris **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Fiona Cullen **Position:** OCM

Emergency Medicine Society Incoming Committee

Name: Alannah McDonnell **Position:** Auditor

Name: Roisin Thornton **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Oisin Gibbons **Position:** PRO

Name: Fiona Cullen **Position:** OCM

Name: Genevieve Callander **Position:** 4th Med Rep

Name: Raza Abbas Syed **Position:** 3rd Med Rep

Name: Julia MacAulay **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Niall Mc Cormick **Position:** 2nd Med Rep

Name: Micheal Clancy **Position:** Secretary

Name: Tomas Brett **Position:** Non-med rep

Emergency Medicine Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€109.11	Bank charge	€32.30
Members Contributions	€390.00	Dinner/Food	€1,000.92
USC Grant	€2,259.00	Entry fees	€406.14
		Gifts	€42.65
		Materials	€20
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€14.38
		Postage	€9
		Society accomm	€427.18
		Society transport	€352
		Socs day expenses	€39.42
		Expenditure Total	€2343.99
		Closing Bank Balance	€414.12
Total	€2758.11	Total	€2758.11

Alive Certificate Recipients

Veronica Fay-Watt	15 hrs	Secretary
Roisin Thornton	30 hrs	Treasurer
Nur Syazana Idris	18 hrs	Vice-Auditor

Jaffar Abbas Syed	15 hrs	3rd Year Rep
Mairead Kilcoyne	15 hrs	Premed Rep
Total Hours 93 Participants: 5		

Other Information

We held 6 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1133.

Enactus

Enactus NUI Galway is a group of students from a wide variety of disciplines of study, possessing an entrepreneurial spirit and passion for innovation who develop sustainable projects.

Enactus NUI Galway is a group of students from a wide variety of disciplines of study, possessing an entrepreneurial spirit and passion for innovation who, alongside the assistance and guidance of our Business and Faculty Advisory Board, develop sustainable projects within the community with the primary aim of benefitting society. There are eight groups nationwide, making up the Enactus Ireland competition, Enactus NUI Galway being one and the other seven groups are made up of third level institutions across Ireland.



Enactus Events list (16 Individual Events)

EWC Debrief Team

Meeting: Gatherings » MY124
» 18th October 2018

Chairperson & Team Leaders Meeting: Gatherings » smokies
» 18th October 2018

Team Meeting: Gatherings » AC215 » 22nd October 2018

Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson & Team Leaders Meeting: Gatherings » smokies
» 22nd October 2018

Team Meeting: Gatherings » AC204 » 30th October 2018

Meeting Brian

McDonald: Other » Galway, Newcastle Road Galway, Mocha Beans » 31st October 2018

Meeting John Farraher Ability West: Other » Galway, Newcastle Road Galway, The Sliding Rock » 01st November 2018

Citi Pathways To Progress: Educational » Dublin, North Wall Quay, Citi Bank » 02nd November 2018

Team Meeting: Other » AC214 » 05th November 2018

Business Advisory Board Meeting: Other » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 12th November 2018

Idea Generation Session: Other » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 20th November 2018

Team Meeting: Other » AC202 » 27th November 2018

Attendance: Katie Nolan, Ronan Lavin, Sarah O'Keeffe, Cliff Richard W, Liam Oxley, Mark Powell, Sachi Sinha, Michelle Flanagan

Spring Summit: Conference » cairnes building » 18th January 2019

Enactus Event- Autism Awareness Workshop: Conference » IT204 » 12th March 2019

Enactus NUIG is holding its first Autism Awareness Workshop of the year. Cost of entry is €2 and pizza and refreshments will be provided to all attendees. Hope to see many people there!

Understanding Le Chéile - Sensory Workshop: Other » Library Seminar Room THB-G011 » 03rd April 2019

Pre-Competition Summit: Conference » Dublin, Citi Bank, Citi Bank » 05th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	14 society committee members with questions answered	17 Total society committee members	(15/17) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of Enactus is to create sustainable projects with an entrepreneurial aspect.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year we really hope to further our two main projects Hearme! And le chéile. We now have more business students within the society and so we really feel that we can bring HearMe! To the next level and get it implemented in more local businesses and then eventually into chains such as musgraves and supermacs. With me chéile we hope to present the project to more schools and get more people involved in the project at a presenting level.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The societies have fulfilled its mission this year, we have successfully expanded Le Cheile, getting more autists involved and endeavoring to educate and inform people on autism. We have empowered and impacted the autists who have got involved.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society has successfully scaled up the Le Cheile project, one of the societies biggest goals. However, this year must be judged on how the Society performs at National Competition.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The societies greatest success this year has been to expand the Le Cheile project to include a corporate side to the project and increasing the number of artists that work with us.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge for the society this year will be national competitions which are still yet to come. If we can be successful in the National Competitions, this year will be judged to be a great success. Other challenges for the society this year have being recruiting new members and retaining members.

Enactus Outgoing Committee

Name: Emmet Lowry **Position:** Chairperson

Name: Victoria Byrne **Position:** Secretary

Name: Liam Oxley **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Ronan Lavin **Position:** Project Leader

Name: Sachi Sinha **Position:** Web Master

Name: Mark Powell **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ciara Clooney **Position:** Legal Advisor

Name: Carrie O'Keeffe **Position:** OCM

Name: Evan O'Flaherty **Position:** Enactus Ambassador

Name: Sean Croke **Position:** Enactus Ambassador
Name: Danielle Curtin **Position:** OCM
Name: Michelle Flanagan **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Aileen Gillespie **Position:** Vice Chairperson
Name: Taylor Saari **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Sinead Jenkins **Position:** PRO (Public Relations Officer)
Name: Caoimhe Farrell **Position:** Project Leader
Name: Katie Nolan **Position:** Team Leader

Enactus Incoming Committee

Name: Emmet Lowry **Position:** Interim Auditor

Enactus Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€818.01	Apparel	€941.00
Classes	€20.00	Bank charge	€32.10
Sponsorship	€6,090	Dinner/Food	€249.95
USC Grant	€2,000.00	Entertainment	€8.50
		Equipment misc	€296.14
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€17.5
		Phone	€70
		Printing	€63.2
		Promotions	€69.47
		Returned Socs Money	€300
		Services Hired	€20
		Society accomm	€658.91

		Society transport	€2,328.74
		Socs day expenses	€20
		Expenditure Total	€5,075.51
Total	€8,928.01	Closing Bank Balance	€3,852.50
		Total	€8,928.01

Alive Certificate Recipients

Sarah O'Keeffe	96 hrs	Team Leader
Michaela Margaret Joyce	40 hrs	Volunteer
Danielle Curtin	25 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Sachi Sinha	24 hrs	Web Master
Emmet Lowry	400 hrs	Chairperson
Aine Campbell	4 hrs	Volunteer
Liam Oxley	120 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Sean Croke	25 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 734 Participants: 8

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 556.

Energy Society

The Energy Society had a fantastic year this year with the Energy Summit expanding and attracting even better speakers and a bigger crowd. We also held some other events throughout the year. The nomination of the society for the BICS Green Initiative award was a great moment for us and showed that our hard work had paid off.

Prep for GES



Energy Society Events list (29 Individual Events)

EGM: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 20th September 2018

Energy: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 27th September 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 04th October 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 11th October 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 18th October 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 25th October 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 01st November 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 08th November 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 15th November 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 22nd November 2018

Comittee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG-2035 » 29th November 2018

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG-2035 » 17th January 2019

Energy Society Meeting: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 23rd January 2019

Geothermal Energy: Guest Speakers » Engineering Building, Room TBD » 24th January 2019

Energy Soc in conjunction with IRUSE and Geofit will be holding a talk on Geothermal Energy on the 24th of January.

Geothermal Energy in Ireland & the GEOFIT Solution: Seminar » ENG-G047 » 24th January 2019

Learn about Geothermal energy and how it is being used to heat NUIG's own Kingfisher Pool

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 31st January 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 07th February 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 14th February 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 21st February 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 28th February 2019

Energy Society Meet Up: Social » ENG 2034 » 05th March 2019

Come meet fellow energy society members

Galway Energy Society Volunteering: Training » ENG 2034 » 06th March 2019

Learn more about volunteering for the Galway Energy Summit our biggest event. It is a great way to learn more about the society and get involved. Hours volunteered for this event go towards the Presidents Award!

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 07th March 2019

Galway Energy Summit: Conference » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th March 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 14th March 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 21st March 2019

Energy Society Meetup: Gatherings » ENG 2035 » 28th March 2019

Energy Society AGM: Committee Meeting » ENG2035 » 03rd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	16 Total society committee members	(10/16) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The goal of the Energy Society is to use fact-based discussion & open collaboration to develop the understanding & awareness of energy production, consumption & its impacts.

The society will host talks related to all aspects of energy, whether technological, economic or social. There will also be a discussion where members can chat about energy research going on in the university, further afield or just about energy in general. These are for everyone who is interested so please feel free to contact us with any suggestions for speakers and/or topics.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Galway Energy Summit 2019 - March 2019

The Energy Education Trip - Jan 2019

Talks

Student Outreach

Inter-varsity Society Meet-up- Talks, activities

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think the society did very well this year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved our top 2 goals we hope to work on achieving the remainder in the following years

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The Galway Energy Summit

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Trying to organise weekly talks

Energy Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Luke Mitchell **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Aoife Roche **Position:** PRO

Name: Caoimhe Culhane **Position:** Auditor

Name: Mark Timlin **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Brian Shannon **Position:** Third Year Rep

Name: Laura Mulligan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Jun Chen Hoo **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Gemma Lynch **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Genna Monahan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Cian McGetrick **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Tom Higgins **Position:** trade liaison
Name: Rory Ward **Position:** 2nd Year Rep
Name: Robert English **Position:** Postgrad Rep
Name: Sean Gayer **Position:** Secretary
Name: Dara Nashat **Position:** Web Master
Name: Trevor Culbertson **Position:** OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)

Energy Society Incoming Committee

Name: Aoife Roche **Position:** Interim Vice-Auditor
Name: Stephen Laffey **Position:** Interim Vice Auditor
Name: Caoimhe Boyce **Position:** OCM

Energy Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€654.06	Apparel	€270.60
Members Contributions	€131.00	Ball	€75.00
Socs box Till	€1,800.00	Bank charge	€35.50
Sponsorship	€8,000.00	Dinner/Food	€2,876.03
USC Grant	€3,043.00	Entertainment	€5.95
		Gifts	€60.00
		Materials	€25.87
		Printing	€854.65
		Prizes	€609
		Promotions	€625.01
		Services Hired	€356.58

		Society accomm	€768
		Society transport	€2440.40
		Socs day expenses	€3
		Sound	€300
		Speaker accomm	€235.88
		Speaker travel	€896.19
		Stationary	€24.35
		Expenditure Total	€10,461.41
Total	€13,628.06	Closing Bank Balance	€3166.65
		Total	€13,628.06

Alive Certificate Recipients

Robert English	40 hrs	Postgrad Rep
Rory Ward	8 hrs	2nd Year Rep
Caoimhe Culhane	75 hrs	Auditor
Martin Rainsford	8 hrs	Volunteer
Cian McGetrick	20 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Total Hours 151 Participants: 5		

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members.

Eng Soc

The Engineering society this year was great; we held another successful E&N ball and maintained a strong following in the college throughout the year.

This year we held two trips, both of which bringing 30+ people some of whom had been involved with the society and others were new and hoping to get involved.

This year work experience talks were given to students encourage them to look into where they might be working as an intern or graduate in the years to come.

We also were involved with Engineers Ireland as we helped them organise a charity table quiz, the attendance for the event reached maximum capacity and we hope to work with them again in the future.

A new society is in place for next year, we will be appointing a first year rep at the start of the next college year.



2018/19 Engineering Ball

Eng Soc Events list (28 Individual Events)

Eng Soc EGM: Other » ENG2001 » 26th September 2018

Eng Soc EGM to elect a 1st year rep and OCM.

EngSoc Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG 2003 » 16th October 2018

National Tour Committee Briefing

EngSoc trip to Carrick on Shannon: Social » Leitrim, Carrick On Shannon, engineering building » 19th October 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2001 » 23rd October 2018

Meeting: Social » ac213 » 23rd October 2018

Meeting with Members

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 29th October 2018

Committee meeting to discuss progress of all open tasks

Eng Soc International Trip briefing: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 01st November 2018

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 05th November 2018

Committee meeting to discuss progress of all open tasks

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 12th November 2018

Committee meeting to discuss progress of all open tasks

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 19th November 2018

Committee meeting to discuss progress of all open tasks

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 26th November 2018

Committee meeting to discuss progress of all open tasks

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2003 » 03rd December 2018

Committee meeting to discuss progress of all open tasks

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 14th January 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2001 » 16th January 2019

Meeting: Social » ac213 » 16th January 2019

Meeting with Members

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 21st January 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 28th January 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 04th February 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

Eng & Nursing Ball: Entertainment » Galway, Galmont Hotel, Galmont Hotel » 06th February 2019

Eng & Nursing Ball in the Galmont Hotel

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 11th February 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2001 » 12th February 2019

Meeting: Social » ac213 » 12th February 2019

Meeting with students

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 18th February 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

Weekly Committee Meeting: Other » ENG 2003 » 25th February 2019

General weekly meeting on whats needed to be done, mainly planning for the ball over the next few weeks.

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2001 » 07th March 2019

Meeting: Social » ac213 » 07th March 2019

Meeting with society

Pre AGM Meeting: Committee Meeting » Eng 2033 » 26th March 2019

Meeting to plan and organise the AGM next week

Eng Soc AGM: Other » ENG-2033 » 01st April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	13 society committee members with questions answered	15 Total society committee members	(14/15) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

As a member of the engineering society I hope to encourage students to settle into college by keeping them informed of events going on inside and outside of the college.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

I hope help make each meeting for the society effective and ensure nothing is left out so we will have great success in organising the ball and trips away.

I plan on doing this by using:

- Meeting agendas
- Taking minutes
- Use of a task tracker

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Very well. The society brought together many new people this year. A lot of the first years saying that their friends group met through the society.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The ball was a great success with everyone enjoying the night. After my time in college it is clear that the student run balls are still the best attended and most sought after nights by the students. Our charity event was also extremely successful, with i believe the most we have ever raised for charity in 1 year.

This being €2500 that we donated to jigsaw.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The Engineering Ball

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Connecting with students via social media. We always had a great student following on facebook but not as many students use facebook anymore so we need to branch out to other platforms.

Eng Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Darragh McDonagh **Position:** Auditor
Name: Ronan McKeown **Position:** Secretary
Name: Laura Patton **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Rebecca Nolan **Position:** PRO
Name: Lisa Barrow **Position:** Sponsorship Officer
Name: Marissa Britton **Position:** Postgrad Rep
Name: Svetoslava Kostova **Position:** 3rd Year Rep
Name: Martin Rainsford **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Pdraig Doran **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Gavin Moore **Position:** Baking Assistant
Name: Ryan McDonagh **Position:** 2nd Year Rep
Name: Louise Paul **Position:** SLO
Name: Aoife Bourke **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Colm Fahy **Position:** OCM

Name: Adam Chintedza **Position:** 1st Year Rep

Eng Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Adam Chintedza **Position:** PRO
Name: Louise Paul **Position:** Auditor
Name: Aisling Keady **Position:** 3rd Year Rep
Name: Martin Rainsford **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Ryan McDonagh **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Frank O'Connor **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Svetoslava Kostova **Position:** Secretary
Name: Colm Fahy **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Ciara Moloney Conroy **Position:** SLO
Name: Lauren Boyd **Position:** 2nd Year Rep
Name: Killian Carr **Position:** 4th Year OCM
Name: Rachel Clarke **Position:** Sponsorship Office

Eng Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,929.74	Ball	€2,726.45
Balls	€726.45	Bank charge	€39.26
Sponsorship	€2,000.00	Dinner/Food	€693.40
Ticket Sales	€2,250.00	Entertainment	€675.00
USC Grant	€5,500.00	Returned Socs Money	€1,000.00
		Society accomm	€2,421.27
		Society transport	€2,501.66
		Expenditure Total	€10,057.04
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€2349.15
Total	€12,406.19	Total	€12406.19

Engineering Ball Balance Sheet - 2018/2019

INCOME		EXPENDITURE	
Income Category	Amount	Expenditure Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	14,668.15	Ball	€25,087.17
Socs box Till	€5,670.00	Bank charge	€141.05
Socs Till lodgement	€700.00	Entertainment	€18,265.50
Sponsorship	€2,000.00	Promotions	€300.00

Ticket Sales	€33,545.00	Security	€841.50
		Expenditure Total	€44,635.22
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0.00
		Closing Bank Balance	€11,947.93
Total	€56,583.15	Total	€56,583.15

Alive Certificate Recipients

Marissa Britton	20 hrs	Postgrad Rep
Lisa Barrow	50 hrs	Sponsorship Officer
Martin Rainsford	30 hrs	Events Officer
Laura Patton	40 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Aoife Bourke	0 hrs	Safety Officer
Rebecca Nolan	75 hrs	PRO
Louise Paul	40 hrs	SLO

Total Hours 255 Participants: 7

Other Information

We held 15 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 2744.

Entrepreneurship Society

This Year EntreSoc held multiple events to promote entrepreneurship on campus. We had multiple guest speakers in, including hosting an Entrepreneur in semester one for an EntreX event, hosting guest speaker Shane Finn and a "start seminar", empowering students to take action on their ideas. We had our European trip which was a great success and also held a successful charity take me out event, raising over €1000 for the Jack and Jill foundation.

Charity Take me Out



Entrepreneurship Society Events list (10 Individual Events)

Entrepreneurship Society EGM: Conference » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th September 2018

This year is shaping up to be Entre Socs BIGGEST year yet!! Want to become more involved? Well pop on over to our AGM next Wednesday the 26th at 6pm (location TBA) to grab yourself a position and some pizza! 🍕#EntreSocFirst year Committee positions are available along with others! Come and meet the team and become apart of one of NUIG's most engaging societies.

Shampain: Guest Speakers » Tyndall Theatre » 14th November 2018

Joint Event with DJSoc

EntreX - Real stories of Entrepreneurship: Guest Speakers » Launchpad Concourse » 21st November 2018

Michael Coyle from Concordi Digital Marketing will be speaking about his entrepreneurial experience in Blackstone Launch pad tonight at 6pm!

Entrepreneurship Society EGM: Other » IT125 » 26th November 2018

Hi Guys. EGM being run for a few vacancies in the society. Several positions up for grabs! Including Auditor. As always free pizza and some refreshments will be there on the night! Wristbands included too!

International Trip: Trips » Czech Republic, Prague, Plus Prague Hostel » 18th January 2019

Society international trip to Prague

Socs Day: Other » Bailey Allen » 22nd January 2019

Societies Day 2019

Shane Finn - Entrepreneur, Endurance Athlete, Coach. : Guest Speakers » O'Flaherty Theatre, Arts Concourse, NUI Galway » 19th February 2019

EntreSoc and Best Buddies societies are delighted to host Shane Finn. Shane is an entrepreneur, coach and endurance athlete. He co-founded WK-Fitness in Dingle, Kerry and also works as a coach for running and triathlon. Shane has a huge online following of runners and athletes and he has recently set up his own podcast "Pushing Limits". Shane is passionate about empowering others and in particular helping people with disabilities. In 2017 he completed 24 Marathons in 24 days around Ireland, raising over €160,000 for Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Ireland, a charity close to his heart. This March he takes on his biggest challenge yet: 35 days cycling and running the length of America - from the Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco to the Brooklyn Bridge in New York City! All proceeds from this event go to Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Ireland and Special Olympics Ireland. Students: Suggested donation €2 General Admission: €5 More information: Facebook.com/entresoc

Start Seminar: Workshops » Launchpad Concourse » 26th February 2019

Start Seminar - Learn to find your motivation, get started and conquer your goals!

Charity take me out: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 21st March 2019

Charity take me out is back, all proceeds to the Jack and Jill foundation

AGM: Other » Lee Theatre ENG G047 » 03rd April 2019

AGM

Leadership

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4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	12 Total society committee members	(6/12) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of the Entrepreneurship Society is to assist and develop students in acting in a more enterprising way. The society develops members marketing and communication skills as well as teamwork and leadership.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The society aims to hold events that are of interest to other students and members in the college which would hopefully promote entrepreneurship. The society hopes to achieve this by good organisation and working together in teams. We had set out a list of events that we would like to organise in both Semester 1 and 2.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

In both semesters this year we tried to encourage people to learn about how to develop themselves. We had the owner of Concordi marketing talking to us about how he started his business and how he manages it on a daily basis. In second semester we had Shane Finn in talking about his American Ultra currently talking place and his company that allowed him to start at his incredible success.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our society did achieve it's goals this year, we got in new members for the upcoming year and raised over 1.3k for charity's this year. Going forward we are in good shape as a lot of our members are graduating this year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

No, however it was a very good year financially and through recruiting members to keep the society going forward. We have some great new people on board now.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Keeping members involved and active and keeping sponsorship on board. We would also like to keep innovating with our events throughout the semester to keep students interested in our society and continue the growth of our society.

Entrepreneurship Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Ciara Murphy **Position:** PRO

Name: Caoimhe Keogh **Position:** Vice PRO

Name: Robert Dollard **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Sean Keogh **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Seamus Monahan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Sarah O'Keeffe **Position:** OCM

Name: Caoimhe O'Reilly **Position:** Head of Events

Name: Aleksander Kosnik **Position:** First Year Rep

Name: Emma Barry **Position:** vice head of events

Name: Emma Heffernan **Position:** Head of Sponsorship

Name: Gavin Meehan **Position:** OCM

Name: Aine Campbell **Position:** Secretary

Entrepreneurship Society Incoming Committee

Name: Tom Healy **Position:** Auditor

Name: Benjamin Carnegie Gibbons **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Ciara Murphy **Position:** Treasurer

Entrepreneurship Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€3,369.20	Bank charge	€82.33
Ecommerce Sales	€5.00	Dinner/Food	€540.65
Fundraising	€935.55	Entry fees	€178.59
Members Contributions	€300.00	Equipment misc	€56.00
Online Till	€100.00	Fundraising / Charity	€1,313.00
Socs box Till	€5,225.00	Promotions	€49.60
Sponsorship	€4,000.00	Services Hired	€80.00
Ticket Sales	€350.00	Society accomm	€1,024.70
USC Grant	€2,000.00	Society transport	€6,093.49
		Sound	€50
		Speaker accomm	€300
		Speaker travel	€50
		Expenditure Total	€9,818.36
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€6,466.39
Total	€16,284.75	Total	€16,284.75

Alive Certificate Recipients

Sarah O'Keeffe	15 hrs	OCM
Shauna Willis	40 hrs	Secretary
Caoimhe Keogh	40 hrs	Vice PRO
Paul Crampton	24 hrs	Volunteer
Emma Barry	40 hrs	Volunteer
Tom Healy	40 hrs	Treasurer
Stephen Meaney	3 hrs	Volunteer
Seamus Monahan	45 hrs	Auditor
Total Hours 247 Participants: 8		

Other Information

We held 16 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1346.

Fáilte Refugees Society

Fáilte Refugees encourages and supports the acceptance and social integration, just and fair treatment of asylum seekers here in Ireland and the rest of the world, while advocating for reform of the current asylum seeking process and Direct Provision System in Ireland. We hosted many events in conjunction with asylum seekers here in Galway such as our family fun day where we provided food and entertainment for both families in Direct Provision and members of the public, facilitating integration and engagement between different communities. We organised an early morning swim which raised money to buy Christmas presents for children living in direct provision here in Galway. Among other things, we hosted information events for students and members of the public to learn about the global refugee crisis, the asylum system in Ireland, and the realities of living in direct provision. We organised these events as a way of giving a platform to asylum seekers and direct provision residents to tell their stories and share their experiences.



SPONSORED SWIM FOR CHILDREN IN DIRECT PROVISION

Fáilte Refugees Society Events list (15 Individual Events)

EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 20th September 2018

EGM - welcoming new members and deciding new committee, while discussing our plans for the year.

Old School Sports Day: Health & Lifestyle » Kingfisher Sports Hall » 09th October 2018



An old school sports day as part of the student unions mental health week! Prizes and refreshments provided!

Through Our Eyes Screening: Film » Kirwan Theatre » 22nd October 2018

As part of the 8x8 festival with the STAND organisation and with it being Global Week on campus, we are screening 'Through Our Eyes'. It is a film about Syrian refugees, made by BAFTA award winning director Samir Mehanovic, who is himself a Muslim refugee and will be joining us through skype for a Q&A session. Everyone, whether a society member or not, are welcome. There will be munchies and drinks.

Festive Swim: Charity » Galway, Salthill, Galway, Blackrock » 29th November 2018

On Thursday the 29th of November Fáilte Refugees Society at NUIG is organizing a sponsored swim at Blackrock, Salthill. All proceedings will go towards presents for all the children currently living in Direct Provision centers in Galway. If you want to join us in raising money, please fill in the form below so we can get an idea of numbers and so we can send you the sponsorship card.
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeP8-r7V4VeQ5KSFoTUuu7r-SViYzbHL3M7NI_xN2GOCY_Hwg/formResponse

Gift Wrapping Get Together for Direct Provision: Charity » Large Accoustic Room » 18th December 2018

Come join us to wrap the Holiday gifts for the kids living in Direct Provision! The gifts were bought with the funds from our Festive Swim Fundraiser and we are so excited to wrap them up and make these Kiddies so happy this Holiday Season. We will have Tea and Cookies and Christmas Music and a great time! All are Welcome!

Meeting: Gatherings » IT250 (IT Building) » 24th January 2019

Welcome Back! We are having a Semester Two EGM. Some great events coming up, some great positions up for grabs, and some great food up for eating! Hope to see you there! All welcome, regardless of your knowledge about the society.

'DISTRICT 9' Film Screening: Film » IT250 (IT Building) » 31st January 2019

Please join us this week, Thursday, January 31st in IT250 from 6-8pm where we will be screening DISTRICT 9, a sci-fi film which reflects the message of equality for asylum seekers, with lots of goodies to keep you going! All welcome, humans and aliens alike!

EGM and Get To Know Us night ;): Gatherings » IT250 (IT Building) » 07th February 2019

A casual hang out evening where we will be electing the new committee members and explaining ourselves over some pizza and beverages ;) Come along and chill with us at IT250 on Thursday the 7th of February at 6.30 pm where we will be hanging out with the wonderful Jeffrey Awanrin who will be chatting about the asylum seeker situation in Ireland.

Egm: Gatherings » IT206 » 11th February 2019

Confirming new committee through vote

FAMILY FUN DAY: Social » Galway, Sea Road, Galway City, Our Lady's Boys' Club (OLBC) Hall, Sea Road » 17th February 2019

Family Fun Day for families of Galway, including those from the Direct Provision centres. Come get to know your community through food and juggling and a bouncy castle at OLBC Hall on Sea Road from 12 noon to 3 pm see you there!!

Panel Discussion of Direct Provision: Guest Speakers » IT250 (IT Building) » 21st February 2019

Fáilte Refugees Society are hosting a Panel Discussion in collaboration with GIGSoc on the situation of asylum seekers and Direct Provision in Ireland, with an LGBT+ aspect to the discussion. We will have guest speakers, and free food and beverages, with a social afterwards, see you there!!

RAVE FOR REFUGEES: Music Event » Galway, Galway City and County, Róisín Dubh » 25th February 2019

RAVE FOR REFUGEES! At the Roisin Dubh with DJ Soc and our own Rónán Dawe providing some banger tunes. Tickets €5 available online, at the Socs Box or at the door on the night! Proceeds going to Help Refugees. Don't miss out on the biggest event of the semester!

Summer Festival Recruitment Evening: Guest Speakers » IT125 » 21st March 2019

Come along for some lovely tea and chats about volunteering with the wonderful campaign Whistles for Refugees, which works to salvage camping equipment from festivals for refugees and homeless organisations :)

Panel Discussion on Human Rights Law and Direct Provision, collab. with Law Soc:

Guest Speakers » IT125 » 28th March 2019

Panellists will include Lucky Khambule, head of Movement of Asylum Seekers Ireland; sociologist and LGBT rights activist Evgeny Shtorn; Bulelani Mfaco of MASI; Vukasin Nedeljkovic of Asylum Archive; and Irish Times journalist Sorcha Pollak. Come along if you would like to learn more about the direct provision system and about Irish immigration and human rights law.

AGM: Gatherings » IT125 (IT Building) » 04th April 2019

Come along to hear about the amazing year we had with Fáilte Refugee society, brainstorm ideas for next year, hear about our international Trip and elect the incoming committee for Spetember 2019. There be yummy food and refreshments, see you there!! As always, all welcome :)

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(6/7) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our general aim is to encourage people to be welcoming and understanding towards refugees. We want to raise awareness to the conditions that refugees are made live in in Ireland with direct provision and also abroad.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We have hosted two events so far this year, the sports day on mental health week and a screening of a documentary 'through our eyes' which was a big success. We have talked about possibility of guest speakers coming in. Guest speakers can be very successful because it brings different perspectives on things and they are able to talk about their own experiences which I feel always hits well with a crowd to help them understand things better.

we have discusses possibly going on an international trip next semester to a refugee camp in Europe which I think would be an unbelievable experience of actually getting to help these people going through unimaginably tough times.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our mission statement mentioned encouraging people to be welcoming and understanding to refugees, and to make people aware of the conditions that refugees are made live in, in Ireland and abroad. We more than definitely achieved the goals set out in our mission statement, by hosting events with and for people living in Direct Provision, people who have previously lived in Direct Provision, and many Asylum Seekers and activists. We got students and members of the public engaged in raising money to buy Christmas presents for the children living in Direct Provision here in Galway, we hosted a family fun day and invited both families living in DP and other families living in Galway to come and interact with one another, and we held a social music event at which students engaged with the topic of the refugee crisis while raising money for the international organization Help Refugees. We held events where a former Direct Provision center resident explained the DP system to students, we had a panel discussion on Direct Provision and Asylum Seeking in Ireland with esteemed speakers and activists, and had an event where society members who had volunteered in Calais in France explained the refugee crisis abroad and how they were able to help. With these events and more we absolutely achieved our mission statement goals of encouraging people to be understanding and welcoming and informing people of the refugee crisis.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We more than achieved our goal to have guest speakers this year, we hosted very successful events where a former Direct Provision center resident explained the DP system to students, we had a panel discussion on Direct Provision and Asylum Seeking in Ireland with esteemed speakers and activists who shared their own experiences seeking asylum in Ireland and living in the Direct Provision system.

We twice had events where people who had volunteered in Calais in France explained how they worked with the charity Refugee Community Kitchen to help with the Refugee Crisis and explained how to get involved and encouraged students to volunteer with this organization.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success this year was our Festive Swim Fundraiser, at which we raised over a thousand euro for families living in Direct Provision in Galway. With this money we were able to buy Christmas presents for every child living in Direct Provision in Galway and host a Family Fun Day with a bouncy castle, food, and entertainment for families in Galway.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The societies greatest challenge this year was working as a team during stressful situations. This year we were extremely successful in achieving all the goals we set, and more, which meant we all put a lot more time into the society than initially anticipated. This certainly was not a bad thing, however, as we are all extremely passionate people, and the subject matter we deal with at Fáilte Refugees is so emotive, it sometimes lead to head clashing among strong personalities on the committee.

Fáilte Refugees Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Christian Arra **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Sarah Corsini **Position:** Secretary
Name: Oran O'Connor **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Grace Keane O'Connor **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Aoibhinn Dixon **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Jeffrey Awanrin **Position:** Collaborations Officer
Name: Ronan Dawe **Position:** OCM

Fáilte Refugees Society Incoming Committee

Name: Christian Arra **Position:** Auditor
Name: Sarah Corsini **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Aoibhinn Dixon **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Grace Keane O'Connor **Position:** Secretary
Name: Maeve Charles **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Owen Mac an Bhaird **Position:** OCM
Name: Johanne Butawo **Position:** OCM

Fáilte Refugees Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€622.78	Bank charge	€31.72
Ecommerce Sales	€10.00	Dinner/Food	€162.25
USC Grant	€500.00	Entertainment	€102.80
		Materials	€19.99
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€140.47
		Prizes	€28
		Society transport	€25.6
		Speaker accomm	€150
		Speaker travel	€208.37
		Expenditure Total	€869.2
		Closing Bank Balance	€263.58
Total	€1132.78	Total	€1132.78

Alive Certificate Recipients

Christian Arra	110 hrs	Treasurer
Aoibhinn Dixon	42 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Karen Hamilton	12 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Corsini	108 hrs	Secretary

Total Hours 272 Participants: 4

Other Information

We held 14 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members .

FanSci

Fansci is a society for people who share an interest or want to learn more about everything Fantasy and Sci-fi. With such a large range of interests, Fansci is a society that includes everyone. Our society is here to help people to make new friends and spend time doing what they love. Fansci helps to set up people who wish to use their creativity and imagination to build worlds and tell stories for all their friends to enjoy!

Fansci's regular events include Tabletop Board Games, Wargames, Card Games and Role-Playing Games. With a wide variety of other special events throughout the year

FanSci Events list (36 Individual Events)

FansSci Weekly meeting: Social » The View » 20th September 2018

Fansci Weekly Meeting

FansSci Weekly meeting: Social » The View » 27th September 2018

Fansci Weekly Meeting

Fansci EGM: Committee Meeting » AC 204 » 04th October 2018

FacsSci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » AC 204 Arts/Science Building » 11th October 2018

FacsSci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » AC 204 Arts/Science Building » 18th October 2018

Fansci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 25th October 2018

Fansci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 01st November 2018

Fansci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 08th November 2018

Fansci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » AC 204 Arts/Science Building » 15th November 2018

Fansci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » AC 204 Arts/Science Building » 22nd November 2018

Fansci Weekly meeting: Entertainment » AC 204 Arts/Science Building » 29th November 2018

Fansci weekly meeting: Committee Meeting » The View Aras Na Mac Leinn » 17th January 2019

Warpcon: Other » Cork, cork city, UCC » 19th January 2019

Fansci weekly meeting: Committee Meeting » The View Aras Na Mac Leinn » 24th January 2019

Fansci egm: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 31st January 2019

Fansci weekly meeting: Committee Meeting » The View, Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th February 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 14th February 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 21st February 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 28th February 2019

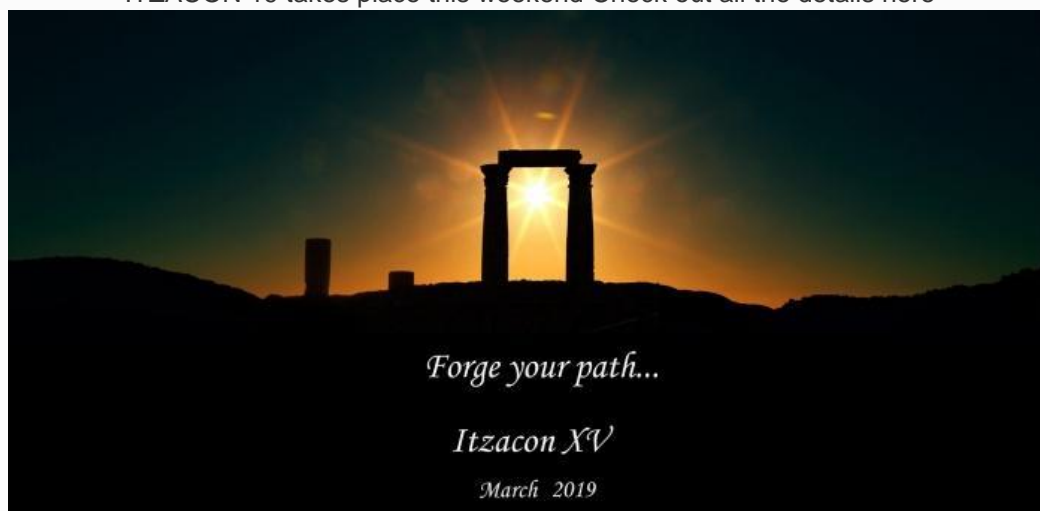
Fansci Table top: Social » the space » 05th March 2019

Fansci Card games: Social » Small Acoustic Room » 06th March 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » am 108 » 07th March 2019

Itzacon XV: Social » Bailey Allen Hall Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th March 2019

ITZACON 19 takes place this weekend Check out all the details here



Fansci Table top: Social » the space » 12th March 2019

Fansci Card games: Social » Small Acoustic Room » 13th March 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 14th March 2019

Fansci Table top: Social » the space » 19th March 2019

Fansci Card games: Social » Small Acoustic Room » 20th March 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 21st March 2019

Fansci Table top: Social » the space » 26th March 2019

Fansci Card games: Social » Small Acoustic Room » 27th March 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 28th March 2019

Fansci Table top: Social » the space » 02nd April 2019

Fansci Card games: Social » Small Acoustic Room » 03rd April 2019

Fansci Weekly event: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 04th April 2019

Fansci AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 04th April 2019

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year Fansci is planning to set up a stronger base for Role Playing Games (RPGs) in our societies by encouraging more players to write their own stories and to explain how they work to new players. We also want to bring back more table top games to our society. This is important to us as recently interest in the topic had increased in Galway. We will also continue to support boardgames and card games in our society.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This year I feel like our society really created a nice environment for people to relax and enjoy themselves. We made a society that welcomes anyone regardless of what their interests were. We had so many creative and wonderful members this year it really made things much better!

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

This year we completed a lot of what we set out to do. Our society grew and we now also have an entire new event during the week and we really grew the RPG community in Galway. Yes we did have some upsets throughout the year, but we over came each challenge and really improved as a society

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success this year was the formation of our new event for war gaming. While it started off rocky the event then really kicked off with the appointment of Luke as wargames coordinator. He managed to bring the event to a new height and has ensured that the event will last.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge this year was having to deal with members being on placement. I was difficult as it meant not everyone was on call if something went wrong. However, thanks to some great communication in our committee we were able to overcome this.

FanSci Outgoing Committee

Name: Conor MacDermott **Position:** Auditor
Name: Thomas Dillane **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Chloe Kelly **Position:** P.R.O
Name: Enda Heverin **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Thijs Siebert **Position:** Card Games Organiser
Name: Ronan Gallagher **Position:** Con Director
Name: Karl Wilson **Position:** Secretary
Name: Edward Purcell **Position:** Librarian
Name: Hannah Lyle **Position:** OCM
Name: Alexandra Kleinsteuber **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Luke McMahon **Position:** Wargaming Organiser
Name: Eoghan McHale **Position:** OCM
Name: Ciaran Mellaley **Position:** OCM

FanSci Incoming Committee

Name: Ciaran Mellaley **Position:** PRO
Name: Ronan Gallagher **Position:** Librarian
Name: Thijs Siebert **Position:** Card Games Organiser
Name: Chloe Kelly **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Karl Wilson **Position:** Con Director
Name: Eoghan McHale **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Luke McMahon **Position:** Wargaming Organiser
Name: Thomas Dillane **Position:** Auditor
Name: Edward Purcell **Position:** Secretary
Name: Matthew Moore **Position:** OCM
Name: Rory Delaney **Position:** OCM
Name: Hannah Lyle **Position:** RPG Coordinator
Name: Jack Osborne **Position:** Special Events Organiser

FanSci Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,284.89	Bank charge	€32.63

Fundraising	€1,115.00	Entry fees	€140.00
Socs box Till	€820.00	Equipment misc	€350.00
USC Grant	€1,560.00	Non Alcoholic Refresh	€930.00
		Returned Socs Money	€600
		Society accomm	€1761.4
		Society transport	€448
		Expenditure Total	€4262.03
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€517.86
Total	€4779.89	Total	€4779.89

Alive Certificate Recipients

Edward Purcell	37 hrs	Librarian
Luke McMahon	30 hrs	Wargaming Organiser
Alexandra Kleinsteuber	90 hrs	Events Manager
Rory Delaney	30 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 187 Participants: 4

Other Information

We held 22 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 746.

Feminist Society

The Feminist Society of the National University of Ireland, Galway. The Feminist Society NUIG acts as a platform for feminist activism and provide an arena for debate and discussion on feminist issues in and around NUIG. The Feminist Society is open to all female and male students interested in feminism or who would like to learn more about what feminism is all about. The Feminist Society is anti-racist, anti-sexist, anti-homophobic and Pro-Choice. Everyone is welcome. In addition to political activism, the Society is promoting exciting social activities and trips to relevant conferences in Ireland and abroad.

At our consent stall - one of our campaigns



Feminist Society Events list (26 Individual Events)

EGM: Other » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 18th September 2018

The feminist society's EGM, where we discuss upcoming events for the year and elect new committee members.

Online Activism: Social » AC 201 » 25th September 2018

Our new online activism event! We'll be getting together on Tuesdays to contact our local and national government reps about issues that matter to us.

TGIF(eminist): Film » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 28th September 2018

Our bi-weekly social event! We'll be meeting to watch films/documentaries followed by a discussion with refreshments. This week we're watching Hannah Gadsby's 'Nanette'.

Care Package Making: Charity » AC201 » 02nd October 2018

Making care packages with Galway Pro Choice, to be sent to Need Abortion Ireland! We need: high absorbency sanitary pads, chocolate, face cloths and hot water bottles.

We Believe Dr. Christine Blassey Ford: Other » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 09th October 2018

We'll be writing postcards to Dr. Christine Blassey Ford to thank her for telling her story and speaking out against sexual violence. Tea, coffee and snacks provided. Postcards provided also.

Online Activism: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 16th October 2018

Our weekly gathering where we engage in online activism through emails, social media etc. Tea, coffee and refreshments provided.

TGIF: Film » AC201, Arts Concourse » 19th October 2018

For TGIF this week we're watching Hannah Gadsby's Nanette, as our last TGIF had to be postponed! The film will be followed by a discussion with tea, coffee and snacks.

Global Women's Empowerment Talk: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 23rd October 2018

We're delighted to have Marie-Anne Michel from Trócaire to speak to us about Global Women's Empowerment and her work here and overseas. The talk will be 1 hour and there'll be a discussion after with tea, coffee and snacks.

Online Activism: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 30th October 2018

Our weekly gathering where we engage in online activism through emails, social media etc. Tea, coffee and refreshments provided.

Decriminalising Sex Work Talk with SWAI: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 06th November 2018

Kate McGrew from Sex Worker's Alliance Ireland will be coming to give a talk on decriminalising sex work and the relationship between sex work and feminism. The talk will be 1 hour followed by a discussion with tea, coffee and snacks.

Care Package Making for Need Abortion Ireland: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 13th November 2018

Making care packages to be distributed to people using the services of Need Abortion Ireland.

Online Activism - Trans Healthcare Now! : Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 20th November 2018

Our weekly gathering where we engage in online activism through emails, social media etc. Tea, coffee and refreshments provided. This weeks theme will focus on the This is Me Trans Healthcare campaign.

Coffee Morning in aid of Galway Rape Crisis Centre: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 26th November 2018

We have organised a coffee morning to raise money for Galway Rape Crisis Centre, a Galway based org that provides services for survivors of sexual trauma and abuse. Event will be held in the back room of SULT (the college bar).

Online Activism: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 27th November 2018

Our weekly gathering where we engage in online activism through emails, social media etc. Tea, coffee and refreshments provided.

Day of Silence in aid of Domestic Violence Response: Charity » N/A » 28th November 2018

We are organizing a day of silence to highlight the silence surrounding the lives of those in abusive relationships. All proceeds will be donated to Domestic Violence Response, a Galway based org with offer help to those who have been affected by domestic violence. To get involved or to get a sponsorship card email feminist@socs.nuigalway.ie

Irish Traveller Rights with guest speaker Eileen Flynn: Guest Speakers » Fottrell Theatre AM200, Arts Millennium Building » 10th December 2018

Eileen Flynn will be joining us for a talk on activism and the Traveller's Rights movement in Ireland.

Pre-Jamnesty craft session: Social » Art Room, Aras Na Mac Leinn » 28th January 2019

An arts & crafts session to work on the banner for Jamnesty and other craft projects.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 19th February 2019

Committee Meeting

AGM: Other » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 26th February 2019

AGM to elect committee and update our constitution.

Weekly Meeting: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 05th March 2019

NUIG Feminist Sociey's weekly meeting where we will host a variety of events e.g. film screenings, discussion groups etc.

IWD Feminist Media Discussion (Closed Women's Space): Social » AC202, The Concourse » 08th March 2019

A celebration of feminist and women's media on international women's day! Bring your favourite piece of feminist media, share it with the group and tell us why you love it. This event is a safe space for women, open to ALL women. Please get in touch with us on our social media (facebook, twitter, instagram) or email: feminist@socs.nuigalway.ie for details about the location of this event.

Weekly Meeting: Other » AC201 » 12th March 2019

NUIG Feminist Sociey's weekly meeting where we will host a variety of events e.g. film screenings, discussion groups etc.

Weekly Meeting: Other » AC201 » 19th March 2019

NUIG Feminist Sociey's weekly meeting where we will host a variety of events e.g. film screenings, discussion groups etc.

Weekly Meeting: Other » AC201, Arts Concourse » 26th March 2019

NUIG Feminist Sociey's weekly meeting where we will host a variety of events e.g. film screenings, discussion groups etc.

Clothes Sale Fundraiser: Charity » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 27th March 2019

Clothes sale to fundraise for Galway Rape Crisis Centre and Abortion Access Campaign West

Weekly Meeting: Other » TBA » 02nd April 2019

NUIG Feminist Society's weekly meeting where we will host a variety of events e.g. film screenings, discussion groups etc.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(2/6) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The feminist society aims to provide a welcoming and intersectional space for women* on campus and provide education on contemporary feminist issues. We also aim to fund raise for local women*'s charities annually and work with community partners such as Galway Feminist Collective and Galway Pro Choice.

By women, we mean any woman, cis or trans, and non binary people who may feel more comfortable in women's spaces.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year, we hope to be more active and visible on campus by hosting weekly events. We also hope to work with more outside orgs and give back to our feminist community. We would like to offer a platform to voices on the margins within feminism and ensure the importance of intersectionality is emphasized.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society succeeded in providing a very welcoming and intersectional space for women* on campus and it also provided education on contemporary feminist issues.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society achieved their goals this year by working with external organisations and raising funds for local women*'s charities. FemSoc were very visible this year and also collabed with other societies such as GiGSoc the on campus LGBT+ society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

For this year i think one of the biggest successes was working with galway pro choice to make those care packages for need abortion ireland, it helped a lot of people and we got loads of donations. Also we collabed with Amnesty Soc for Jamnesty which was a great success.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge was not having a full committee for the year. We only had six on the committee which gave each member more responsibilities and made it more difficult to organise events.

Feminist Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Hayley Little **Position:** Auditor
Name: Orla Patton **Position:** Campaigns Officer
Name: Ruth Sweeney **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Lorraine Grimes **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Finn Morris **Position:** Secretary
Name: Alex Coughlan **Position:** Trans* Officer

Feminist Society Incoming Committee

Name: Hayley Little **Position:** Auditor

Feminist Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€714.36	Bank charge	€37.85
Fundraising	€50	Hall hire	€350
		Expenditure Total	€387.85
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€376.51
Total	€764.36	Total	€764.36

Alive Certificate Recipients

Morgan Sweeney	220 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Finn Morris	180 hrs	Secretary
Total Hours 400 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 8 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 800.

FilmSoc

FimSoc this year worked hard to maintain a fun, welcoming and exciting society. We strived to push ourselves into making better events and trips. We achieved so much this year with the help of our members and by other students. FilmSoc worked to make sure that our society was inclusive of all and that we created events to suit everyone. We went to two out of Galway events and created three short films together. At the 2019 Socs Awards, FilmSoc won "Most Soccccessful" and "Best Overnight Event" for our Oscars Viewing Party. We worked hard to earn these awards and are proud of the work we did to earn them.

FilmSoc winning Best Overnight Event



FilmSoc Events list (65 Individual Events)

Filmsoc EGM: Other » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 13th September 2018

Join Filmsoc for our EGM on Thursday 13th September at 6pm in The Stage, Áras na mac Léinn, where you can get free pizza and become a part of our committee!

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 18th September 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and

arthouse films at a discounted price (~2.50 per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information and to get a Filmsoc identifier card that permits these unmissable discounts at Palas! We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson » 19th September 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza! (7pm in the D'Arcy Thompson Theatre, Concourse)

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 25th September 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (~2.50 per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information and to get a Filmsoc identifier card that permits these unmissable discounts at Palas! We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » TBA » 26th September 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc Production Workshop: Educational » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 27th September 2018

FilmSoc wish to host a production workshop in order to teach students on all levels about all things production and discuss how to go about making films.

OFFLine Festival Meeting: Film » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 01st October 2018

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 02nd October 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (~2.50 per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information and to get a Filmsoc identifier card that permits these unmissable discounts at Palas! We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 03rd October 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc - Workshop: Film » AC214 » 04th October 2018

FilmSoc's weekly film workshop!

FilmSoc Workshop - Script Pitches: Seminar » IT204 » 08th October 2018

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 09th October 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (~2.50 per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information and to get a Filmsoc identifier card that permits these unmissable discounts at Palas! We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 10th October 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

Trip to OFFline Film Festival: Film » Offaly, Birr, Offline Film Festival » 11th October 2018

FilmSoc traveled to Birr, Co. Offaly to participate in the '57-hour Filmmaking Challenge', where we made a short film entitled "Lemon Cheesecake". The film was directed by Kieran O'Brien. We had a wonderful four days away competing in this annual event!

Film Screening: Film » Darcy Thompson » 15th October 2018

Screening of A Dark Horse

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 16th October 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (3 euro per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information. We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 17th October 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc - Workshop: Film » AC214 » 18th October 2018

FilmSoc's weekly film workshop!

Cinema Trips to Palas: Mandy: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 23rd October 2018

This week, join FilmSoc at Palas cinema to see the unmissable 'Mandy', starring Nicolas Cage! Meet us in the bar at Palas early before the film to get a discounted ticket before they run out!

FilmSoc Auditions: Film » Large Acoustic Room » 24th October 2018

FilmSoc will be holding auditions for our new short film 'Packing' from 2pm-5pm on Wednesday 24th October. Actors-wise, we are looking for one male and one female. Everyone is welcome!

FilmSoc Screening: Videodrome: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 24th October 2018

Join us for our weekly film screening, complete with FREE pizza! This week we will be showing David Cronenberg's 'Videodrome'

FilmSoc Camera Workshop: Film » AC214 » 25th October 2018

This week, join us for our camera workshop at 7:30pm, and then at 8:30pm we will be planning our new short film project 'Packing'! Be sure to come along if you're interested in filmmaking!

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 30th October 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (3 euro per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information. We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 31st October 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc Halloween fundraising Quiz: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 31st October 2018

FilmSoc are holding a Halloween Quiz in the back room of Sult on Halloween night!

FilmSoc - Workshop: Film » AC214 » 01st November 2018

FilmSoc's weekly film workshop!



Palas trip: **Some Like It Hot**: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 06th November 2018

Join FilmSoc this week (Tue 6th Nov) to see the Marilyn Monroe classic 'Some Like It Hot' at Palas cinema! The film begins at 8pm but meet us roughly half an hour beforehand in the bar of Palas (upstairs) to get a ticket at the discounted price of 3 EURO!! Stick around afterwards for casual chats about the film! See you there!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 07th November 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc - Workshop: Film » AC214 » 08th November 2018

FilmSoc's weekly film workshop!

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 13th November 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (3 euro per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information. We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 14th November 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc - Workshop: Film » AC214 » 15th November 2018

FilmSoc's weekly film workshop!

Cinema Trips to Palas: Film » Galway, Galway City, Palas » 20th November 2018

Join Filmsoc for weekly trips to Palas cinema to see NEW, independent, international and arthouse films at a discounted price (3 euro per ticket!) and stick around afterwards for casual chats and discussions about the film! Contact us via our email or Facebook to get more information. We're very excited to get you all involved in the film community in Galway!

FilmSoc Screenings: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 21st November 2018

Join us for our weekly film screenings, complete with FREE pizza!

FilmSoc Screening: **Oh Brother, Where Art Thou?**: Film » D'arcy Thompson » 28th November 2018

Join FilmSoc as we screen 'Oh Brother, Where Art Thou?', Wednesday 28th November at 7pm. Free pizza provided!

FilmSoc Screening: **Dredd (2012)**: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 23rd January 2019

Join us in the Tyndall Theatre on Wednesday at 7pm to watch Pete Travis' 'Dredd' and enjoy some FREE PIZZA!

FilmSoc Workshop: **Script Pitches**: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 24th January 2019

Join us for our weekly workshops! This week come along if you would like to pitch a script or if you'd like to be involved in upcoming short film projects!

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 30th January 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

Interrogation: **Auditions**: Film » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 31st January 2019

Auditions for our upcoming Short Film

Interrogation: Auditions: Film » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 04th February 2019



FilmSoc Screening: First Reformed: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 06th February 2019

For our first film of Oscars month we will be showing Paul Schrader's 'First Reformed' which has been nominated for Best Original Screenplay in this year's Oscars. Starring Ethan Hawke and Amanda Seyfried, it has been described as "a powerful meditation on faith's place in the modern world". DO NOT MISS OUT ON SEEING THIS FILM!! As always we will have free pizza and loads of craic. See you there!

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 07th February 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

Film Screening: Isle of Dogs: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 13th February 2019

This week for Oscars month we're watching Wes Anderson's 'Isle of Dogs' ! Free pizza, everyone welcome! See y'all there!



Auditions: Film » Meeting Room 2, Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th February 2019

For our next short film we are we are looking for: The lead- One Male character (any age is acceptable as the character is a college student) One character that can either be male/female (also a college student) The film follows the tale of the main character finding a code and following steps to unveil what that code leads to. This production has less dialogue and is more about the movements of the character so if you've ever wanted to get involved but felt speaking roles were not really your thing- this could be for you!

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 14th February 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

Rehearsals for Short film Interrogation: Training » Location TBA » 18th February 2019

FilmSoc Quiz: Entertainment » SULT - College Bar » 19th February 2019

Join us for a super fun film quiz on Tuesday 19th February at 7pm in the back room in Sult / College Bar! We have loads of cool rounds lined up for you guys and many prizes to give away! Be sure to pop along! Teams usually consist of 4 people, and it is €5 per person. See you all there!!

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 20th February 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 21st February 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

Oscars Night: Entertainment » The View, Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th February 2019

Join FilmSoc for our overnight Oscars Celebration! We will be live-streaming the Oscars Award Ceremony, doing fun Oscar-related activities and will provide you all with your very own red carpet experience! Dressing up is strongly encouraged and we will provide you with refreshments on the night!



FilmSoc and Anime & Manga Soc Screening: Porco Rosso: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 25th February 2019

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 27th February 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 28th February 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

Dublin International Film Festival: Film » Dublin, Dublin City Centre, Various » 01st March 2019

FilmSoc are going to Dublin International Film Festival for the weekend!

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 06th March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 07th March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 13th March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 14th March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 20th March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

FilmSoc - Auditions for short film: Film » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 21st March 2019

FilmSoc are holding auditions for our next short film! On from 11-3pm in the Art room we are looking for up to 6 actors. Main character is a male/female in their 20s, 5 supporting characters all in 20s- 3 of which would preferably be male. Script available at auditions.

FilmSoc Production Meetings: Social » AM122 (Arts Millenium Building) » 21st March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Production Workshops!

Casting for short film DYLAN: Film » The Large Acoustic Room, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th March 2019

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 27th March 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

FilmSoc AGM: Arts & Culture » The Art Room » 01st April 2019

Join us for our AGM (Annual General Meeting) where we discuss the year we've had and where we will be voting for new committee members! We have various roles to fill so if you're interested in helping the running of FilmSoc next year, please come along!! EVERYONE IS WELCOME!! We'll have free pizza and snacks. See you there!

FilmSoc Film Screening: Social » Tyndall Theatre » 03rd April 2019

Weekly FilmSoc Film Screenings!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(10/10) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The NUIG Film Society is a community of students and staff dedicated to the art of film, whether it be as an audience member or filmmaker, or both. We provide free film screenings and film-making workshops so that all aspects of film can be enjoyed. With trips to film festivals and film making competitions the society strives to spread the enjoyment of the art and to encourage engagement with the wider film community in Ireland.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To provide a free Student Cinema for the students and staff of the university.

To create a welcoming atmosphere in our film-making workshops which will encourage anyone with an interest to come and learn how to make films and know the ins and outs of film equipment.

To create a collection of short films or videos throughout the year.

To provide a helpful service for other societies in the creation of videos, be it either in the making in film or advice on how to proceed.

To attend Film Festivals in Ireland in order to take part in film-making competitions and give people the opportunity to watch and appreciate new independent and international films.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

FilmSoc have had a brilliant year of making short films, watching films, and attending and hosting fun film events. We have established ourselves much more in the film industry in Galway this year, connecting with the new arthouse cinema Palas, the Galway Film Fleadh, and the Galway Film Centre. We have encouraged our members to get talking about film and have been able to publish their reviews on the societies news page. We have hosted some great events like two film quizzes and an overnight Oscars Viewing Party. We attended the Dublin International Film Festival and competed in the 57-hour filmmaking challenge at OFFline Film Festival in Co. Offaly.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved all of our aims, objectives, and goals. We had our weekly film screenings- providing a free student cinema with a relaxed, welcoming atmosphere. We also went on weekly trips to Palas cinema in the first semester, offering tickets to our members for €3. We had filmmaking workshops throughout the year, teaching students all the different aspects of film production. These workshops led to the making of short films such as 'Packing' and 'Lemon Cheesecake', and we are still in the process of producing more shorts. We have had collaborations with other societies for film screenings and have filmed promo videos for other society events such as the Healthy Heroes hosted by AMSI and the Paediatric Society. We successfully attended OFFline Film Festival and Dublin International Film Festival, giving our members the opportunity to see and appreciate new, independent and international films.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success would probably be our improvement in the ability to organize fun, film-related events and trips as a group. As a team, we organized numerous successful events such as the Dublin International Film Festival trip, the OFFline trip, and our overnight Oscars Viewing Party.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our biggest challenge was perhaps delegating work. It was sometimes difficult to ensure that everyone was playing an equal role in the organization of events, however as the year progressed I think we improved a lot in this area.

FilmSoc Outgoing Committee

Name: Sinead McGlinchey **Position:** Auditor
Name: Niamh McGrenra **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Peter Juhasz **Position:** Equipment Officer
Name: Claudia Nussbaumer **Position:** Productions Officer
Name: Kieran O'Brien **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Shane McDonagh **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Seán Rose **Position:** Secretary
Name: John Carpenter **Position:** co-Public Relations Officer
Name: Robert Fitzgerald-Bellone **Position:** Head of Screenings

FilmSoc Incoming Committee

Name: Murrough Birmingham **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Eoin McCambridge **Position:** OCM
Name: Robert Fitzgerald-Bellone **Position:** Auditor
Name: Niamh McGrenra **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Christopher Skiba **Position:** Secretary
Name: Murrough Birmingham **Position:** Productions Officer
Name: John Carpenter **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Shane McDonagh **Position:** Treasurer

FilmSoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,449.53	Apparel	€44.59
Ticket Sales	€264.45	Bank charge	€24.67
Members Contributions	€646.40	Costumes	€140.76
Socs box Till	€715.00	Dinner/Food	€1,090.83
USC Grant	€4,860.00	Entry fees	€1,434.40
		Equipment misc	€1622.03
		Hire Bus	€195
		Makeup/Props	€112.6
		Materials	€145.72
		Prizes	€57.33
		Returned Socs Money	€1000

		Society accomm	€2245
		Society transport	€460
		Expenditure Total	€8572.93
		Closing Bank Balance	€362.45
Total	€8935.38	Total	€8935.38

Alive Certificate Recipients

Aran O'Connell Bonner	0 hrs	Vice Secretary
Claudia Nussbaumer	100 hrs	Productions Officer

Total Hours 100 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 20 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 2261.

Finance Society

We are a society who organise events involving speakers from the world of business, finance and economics to increase our members knowledge in these areas. We also hold events with Cian Twomey who is a lecturer in finance and economics.

Finance Society



Finance Society Events list (10 Individual Events)

EGM 2018: Committee Meeting » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 17th September 2018

Bank of Ireland Trading Competition: Other » Bank of Ireland (Concourse) » 24th September 2018

Competition organised by bank of ireland

Launchpad talk: Guest Speakers » O'Flaherty Lecture Theatre » 25th September 2018

Head of launchpad will be

speaking about business

10 Years on from the Crisis: Guest Speakers » James Hardiman Library » 28th September 2018

Talk about how Ireland's economy has improved in the ten years since the financial crisis

PwC internship insights event: Guest Speakers » CA116A » 28th January 2019

Event informing students about internships, will include workshops on employability, presenting and networking.

Careers event: Guest Speakers » CA116A » 29th January 2019

Event where past Business and Finance graduates can discuss their careers and opportunities with our members.

Blockchain and cryptocurrencies talk: Guest Speakers » CA111 » 06th March 2019

Kean Gilbert from Consensus will come in to talk about blockchain and cryptocurrencies

Trading talk: Guest Speakers » CA116A » 18th March 2019

John White from Positive Equity will be coming in to talk about trading and where the jobs are.

Brexit Talk: Guest Speakers » CA116A » 19th March 2019

Paul and Matthew from AIB will be coming in to talk about Brexit.

Annual General Meeting: Other » AC214 » 10th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(9/10) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Members of our society learn to build and develop on the practical fundamentals of modern finance and current affairs whilst engaging with a business environment. Our members are given the unique opportunity to make connections within the university through peer to peer events and network with national and international industry experts through corporate and inter-varsity collaboration.

The Student Managed Fund (SMF) presents us with the opportunity to apply the knowledge and skills that we have obtained to a secure in a corporate governance structure. Our aim is to produce passionate and intelligent graduates who submerge themselves into the corporate world as complete and budding professionals with a hunger for success.

We seek to motivate and stimulate students pursuing a career in finance and remind them to be proactive and think outside of the academic framework. We welcome students from all disciplines and academic backgrounds with open arms as business touches us all in our everyday lives.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to hold numerous society events and talks throughout the year. Collaborating with our sponsor PwC, we hope to arrange interactive workshops in semester two on interview techniques, CV's and general application worries. We are in the process of planning a unique trip to London as a society. As it is the first time this has been done, there will be a lot of planning involved and we will see if this will be a credible option to do in semester 2.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society did extremely well in terms of working together as part of a team to achieve organisational goals and objectives such as organising events that interested, stimulated, informed and educated our members.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our society achieved it's goals of increasing membership by a large margin, by ensuring that the committee is more representative of the nuig campus, and that we organised events that students enjoyed and benefited from.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success was increasing our membership to over 1100 people throughout this year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was to organise events and ensure that we could host excellent events that students could enjoy and could learn from.

Finance Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Aran Deely **Position:** Secretary

Name: Aidan Casey **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: John Devaney **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Callum Heapes **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Alexander Ramsbottom **Position:** Vice Secretary

Name: Ryan Heron **Position:** PwC Liaison Officer

Name: Cait Connaughton **Position:** Public Relations Officer (PRO)

Name: Samuel Boyle **Position:** Auditor

Name: Shane Fitzsimons **Position:** Vice Treasurer

Name: Finbar Conlon **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Finance Society Incoming Committee

Name: Callum Heapes **Position:** Auditor

Name: Aidan Casey **Position:** Treasurer

Finance Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€5,309.79	Bank charge	€34.80
Sponsorship	€6,000.00	Dinner/Food	€482.54
USC Grant	€38.15	Non Alcoholic Refresh	€50.55
		Online Sales Mass Refund	€151.29

		Promotions	€18.45
		Services Hired	€54
		Society transport	€190.72
		Socs day expenses	€22.98
		Speaker travel	€98.2
		Expenditure Total	€1103.53
		Closing Bank Balance	€10244.41
Total	€11347.94	Total	€11347.94

Alive Certificate Recipients

Amy Gill	20 hrs	Student Managed Fund: Chief Investment Officer
John Devaney	65 hrs	Treasurer
Aidan Casey	70 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Amy Forde	24 hrs	Volunteer
Liam Pingree	30 hrs	Volunteer
Paul Crampton	24 hrs	Volunteer
Aran Deely	65 hrs	Secretary
Alexander Ramsbottom	20 hrs	Vice Secretary

Total Hours 318 Participants: 8

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 951.

FLAC Society

The Free Legal Advice Clinic Society (FLAC for short ;)) was founded to help provide the students of NUI Galway, as well as the local community with access to free legal advice and to promote access to justice on campus. This year FLAC has maintained and advanced those aims, holding numerous legal clinics each semester as well as talks and seminars by a wide range of individuals working in all areas of the justice system. Most recently FLAC hosted a Conversation with John Lonergan, the former Governor of Mountjoy. We also launched the FLAC-Cast, a legal educational podcast in semester 2. Our interviewees this year included the founder of the NUI Galway Innocence Project and Fullbright Scholar, Anne Driscoll.



FLAC Committee relaxing after the AGM

FLAC Society Events list (9 Individual Events)

EGM: Other » AC 201 » 24th September 2018

Emergency General Meeting to fill various committee roles including; Secretary, Trips Officer, Social Secretary & Ordinary Committee Members.

Committee Bonding Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, Caribou » 09th October 2018

Social bonding night for committee members.

Free Legal Advice Clinic: Other » AM205, Arts Millenium Building » 24th October 2018

Free Legal Advice Clinic open to students and the public.

Free Legal Advice Clinic: Other » AM 205 Arts Millenium Building » 07th November 2018

Flac clinic open to both students and the public to receive legal advice from a qualified solicitor.

Free Legal Advice Clinic: Other » AM 205 » 05th December 2018

Join us in the Arts Millenium Building for our laast Free Legal Advice Clinic of the semester!

Free Legal Advice Clinic: Other » AM 205 Arts Millenium Building » 06th February 2019

Join us in the Arts Millenium Building for our free legal advice clinic

AGM: Other » ac 203 » 28th March 2019

Join us for our AGM this Thursday in AC203

A Conversation with John Lonergan: Guest Speakers » AC 215 » 01st April 2019

Join us in AC215 for an indepth and candid talk with John Lonergan, author and former Governor of Mountjoy

Join us in the Arts Millenium Building for our final free legal advice clinic of the year

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(8/8) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of the Free Legal Advice Society is to provide an accessible, free and confidential legal service to students and the wider public. We also aim to provide practical legal experience for the university's law students. We aspire to be an open, easily available source of information for any legal issues or queries that the community may have.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year we have hoped to improve student engagement with the society, run several successful legal clinics and provide clinical training for law students. We hope to complete these aims over the course of semester 1 and 2. We hope to be able to look back on our clinic record and social media engagement at the end of the year and see notable improvements in engagement on both counts.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe that our society was quite successful in following its mission statement this year. We hosted numerous Clinics throughout the year which were frequently attended by members of the local community, which proved to be a learning experience for both committee members and other students.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, the society reached its goals of running legal clinics and providing clinical training for students. It was difficult, however, to give students more responsibility in providing legal advice to those who attended the clinics.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our Societies greatest success was probably when we got the former governor of Mountjoy Prison to give a talk on his time as governor and on trends in those who are incarcerated. This was an insightful talk and was of great benefit and interest to law students.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge of the society is probably getting large student engagement as the society is quite a niche area and is primarily of interest of law students.

FLAC Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Emmajane Toner **Position:** Auditor
Name: Paige Donnelly **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Oisin O'Brien **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Paul Rooney **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Darra Deane **Position:** Secretary
Name: Niamh Murray **Position:** OCM
Name: Amey Berrill **Position:** Social Secretary
Name: Kate Ni Mhaolain **Position:** Strategic Advisor

FLAC Society Incoming Committee

Name: Niamh Murray **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Paige Donnelly **Position:** Auditor
Name: Oisin O'Brien **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Amey Berrill **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Kate Ni Mhaolain **Position:** Social Secretary
Name: Adam Boyle **Position:** Secretary

FLAC Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€840.61	Bank charge	€31.21
Sponsorship	€750.00	Dinner/Food	€176.94
		Entertainment	€95
		Gifts	€30.78
		Printing	€135.72
		Speaker travel	€100
		Expenditure Total	€569.65
		Closing Bank Balance	€1020.96
Total	€1590.61	Total	€1590.61

Alive Certificate Recipients

Paige Donnelly	0 hrs	Vice-Auditor
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Total Hours 0 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 9 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 394.

French Soc

French Soc aims to promote the French Language and Culture among the campus body. Semester 1 was very rewarding as we held several events such as Conversation Nights in the Skeff and a Wine and Cheese night. These events were thoroughly enjoyable for all. However, as the academic work of

Semester 2 intensified, some committee members found it difficult to juggle both society commitments and college work. Unfortunately, without the guidance of our senior committee, the society lost its mojo. Hopefully, this doesn't happen next year and French Soc can prosper.



French Soc Events list (10 Individual Events)

French Soc EGM: Conference » Ac203 » 26th September 2018

Conversation Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff » 10th October 2018

Conversation Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff » 17th October 2018

Conversation Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff » 24th October 2018

Conversation Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff » 07th November 2018

Conversation Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff » 14th November 2018

Refreshments and Cheese: Social » AM 105 » 14th November 2018

Conversation Night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff » 21st November 2018

Conversation night: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff, Eyre Square » 30th January 2019

Bonjour a tous! Wednesday the 30th FrenchSoc will be hosting the first conversation night of the semester in the Skeff Bar, Galway. All levels of French are welcome, we hope to see you all there!

Pancake Tuesday: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn » 05th March 2019

Pancake Tuesday event

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
0 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(2/10) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of French Soc is to promote French language and culture in the college, through a variety of events.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Weekly conversation night and other 'French' events such as wine and cheese nights.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

French Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Orla O'Sullivan **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Erik Higgins **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Kelsey Ahern **Position:** Secretary

Name: Roisin Scanlan **Position:** PRO

Name: Megan Shaughnessy **Position:** Events Manager

Name: John Harrison **Position:** Ciné-club Director

Name: Hannah Plunkett **Position:** Education Officer

Name: Anna Keller **Position:** International Representative

Name: Chloe Kavanagh Duffy **Position:** OCM

Name: Richard Ogujawa **Position:** Auditor

French Soc Incoming Committee

Name: John Harrison **Position:** Contact

French Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,917.38	Bank charge	€22.70
		Dinner/Food	€78.32
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€49.95
		Returned Socs Money	€1500
		Expenditure Total	€1650.97
		Closing Bank Balance	€1266.41
Total	€2917.38	Total	€2917.38

Alive Certificate Recipients

Hannah Plunkett	10 hrs	Education Officer
Kelsey Ahern	24 hrs	Secretary
Chloe Duffy	0 hrs	OCM

Total Hours 34 Participants: 3

Other Information

We held 2 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1182.

Friends of MSF

This year the Friends of MSF has grown as a society by expanding our society and trying to make it more inclusive. One of the issues brought up last year was that the society while had active members many of them were medical students. While MSF as an organisation does focus on health care issues, the action that they do is only possible due to the support of a multidisciplinary team and we wanted the society to reflect that with more diversity. We did this by trying to have events that would interest students of other academic courses (other then healthcare) as well as holding events such as bucket collecting so not only people could join as volunteers but people saw on campus and on the streets, members of the MSF society thereby acting as a fundraising as well as a way to promote the society. We were able to make the society and the purpose of MSF more known in the NUIG community. We also focused more on campaigning for specific issues that the MSF was focusing on by hosting talks and documentary screenings.

Friends of MSF- socs day stall

Friends of MSF Events list (20 Individual Events)



Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 12th September 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 19th September 2018

EGM: Other » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 19th September 2018

EGM for electing new members and drawing up year's Agenda

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 26th September 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 03rd October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 10th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 17th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 24th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 31st October 2018

Bucket Collecting for MSF (doctors without borders): Charity » Galway, Galway City, Galway City » 01st November 2018

Friends of MSF are having a bucket collection day to raise funds for the fantastic organization Medecins Sans Frontieres that brings neutral, impartial healthcare to where its needed most but least accessible, for example South Sudan , Central African Republic and Haiti to name a few. We are setting up at a few points around the city and if you would like to get involved and volunteer a hour or two of your time or if you want to show off a talent and busk for us for a few hours please let us know by messaging us on facebook , or send an email to friendsofmsf@socs.nuigalway.ie

Health in Conflict Conference: Conference » Clinical Science Institute, UCHG » 03rd November 2018

Free admission including lunch, tea and coffee. Seminars and workshops about the issue of Health in Conflict from experts in their fields. Registration through eventbrite prior to the event , or through our event 'Health in Conflict' on facebook.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 07th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 14th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 21st November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 28th November 2018
Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1 , Library » 05th December 2018
Friends of MSF EGM: Committee Meeting » Meeting Rooms Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th February 2019
Bake Sale: Charity » Stem Cafe , CSI » 27th February 2019
AGM 2019: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 01st April 2019
Bucket Collecting Day: Charity » Aras an Mac Leinn » 04th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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Aims Objectives & Goals

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Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We did well overall, achieving what goals we set out at the start of the year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we expanded our membership outside the existing core of medical students. We also ran more ambitious events such as Flag Day, and ran more events overall.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Flag Day 2018

We attracted 20 volunteers and collected around 900 euro.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Attracting more volunteers, participants or guests for our events. To tackle this we ran events with a different angle in mind, for example Snake Bite Night, attracting Zoology students who wouldn't usually attend our events.

Friends of MSF Outgoing Committee

Name: Mary Kavanagh **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Siobhan Delaney **Position:** Auditor (Semester One)
Name: Micheal Troy **Position:** Co-Auditor Semester Two
Name: Ros McAdden **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Akiko Azuma **Position:** Secretary Semester 2
Name: Tanya Chandwani **Position:** PRO
Name: Cliona Keely **Position:** OCM
Name: Shauna Moore-Davis **Position:** OCM
Name: Abhi Alexandra Narsiman **Position:** OCM
Name: Adeline May Lynn Tan **Position:** OCM

Friends of MSF Incoming Committee

Name: Akiko Azuma **Position:** Auditor (Semester One)
Name: Adeline May Lynn Tan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Cliona Keely **Position:** Secretary
Name: Abhi Alexandra Narsiman **Position:** PRO (Public Relations Officer)
Name: Shauna Moore-Davis **Position:** Second Year Representative
Name: Tanya Chandwani **Position:** Secretary Semester 2
Name: Eibhlin McCarthy **Position:** Secretary Semester 2

Friends of MSF Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,086.40	Bank charge	€67.05
Fundraising	€1,434.99	Dinner/Food	€374.57
USC Grant	€500.00	Equipment misc	€28.44
		Fundraising / Charity	€1431.78
		Materials	€16.92
		Socs day expenses	€22.18
		Expenditure Total	€1940.94
		Closing Bank Balance	€2080.45
Total	€4021.39	Total	€4021.39

Alive Certificate Recipients

Mary Kavanagh	25 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Total Hours 25 Participants: 1		

Other Information

We held 15 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 767.

G-eos

Our Society was very active this year. We held weekly documentary nights on Earth and Ocean related topics such as "Chasing Ice" and "Planet Earth" to name a few. We had several guest speakers covering several cutting edge research topics. The highlight of which for me was our very own PhD students in the



EOS department. We also held a weekend trip away to Dublin to a Geology convention which was a big success.

Committee Banter

G-eos Events list (47 Individual Events)

AGM: Committee Meeting » D'arcy Thompson » 24th

September 2018

Annual General Meeting to elect the incoming committee for GEOS 2018/19.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 03rd October 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 4pm in the Earth and Ocean Department in room A202

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 10th October 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 4pm in the Earth and Ocean Department in room A202

Documentary Night (Planet Earth): Film » IT125G » 11th October 2018

GEOS is hosting a documentary night next Thursday where we will be watching Planet Earth 2

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 17th October 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 4pm in the Earth and Ocean Department in room A202

Documentary Night: Film » ac 203 » 18th October 2018

GEOS are hosting our weekly documentary night!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 24th October 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 4pm in the Earth and Ocean Department in room A202

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 31st October 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 4pm in the Earth and Ocean Department in room A202

Documentary Night: Film » Venue: TBC » 01st November 2018

Documentary Night!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 15th November 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Movie night: Film » AC202 » 15th November 2018

Weekly movie night for GEOS - venue varies week to week and is announced in weekly email.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 22nd November 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Movie night: Film » ac213 » 22nd November 2018

Weekly movie night for GEOS - venue varies week to week and is announced in weekly email.

NUIG PhD presentations in association with GGA: Guest Speakers » AM150 » 27th November 2018

PhD students from within the Earth and Ocean Science department will give presentations on their current research.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 29th November 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Movie night: Film » Destination to be confirmed » 29th November 2018

Weekly movie night for GEOS - venue varies week to week and is announced in weekly email.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 06th December 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 13th December 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 20th December 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 27th December 2018

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 03rd January 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 10th January 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 17th January 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 24th January 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

GEOS Pub Quiz: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 24th January 2019

We are hosting our annual GEOS quiz night on Thursday 24th of January in the college bar at 7pm! Free food should be provided and some prizes will be up for grabs!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 31st January 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 07th February 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Lecture: Educational » THB-G010 Moore Institute Seminar Room, Hardiman Library » 07th February 2019

Prestigious lecturer from Germany giving talk. Title of which is to be announced in email. Gathering in Buskers afterward for socializing

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 14th February 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 21st February 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Documentary Night: Film » Ac204, Arts Concourse Building » 21st February 2019

Documentary Night, Free Pizza

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 28th February 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Documentary Night: Film » Ac204, Arts Concourse Building » 28th February 2019

Documentary Night, free pizza, bitta banter

IGRM - Irish Geological Research Meeting (UCD): Conference » Dublin, UCD, UCD » 01st March 2019

IGRM is hosted every year by a different university. This year it will be hosted by UCD. We plan to do our annual trip to the meeting and organize accommodation and travel for the 2 nights in Dublin.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 07th March 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 14th March 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 21st March 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

The Irish Quaternary Cycle - Its Landscape Legacy: Guest Speakers » A206 » 21st March 2019

Starting on 15 March, Dr. Sam Roberson, a Quaternary geologist at the Geological Survey of Northern Ireland, will be cycling from one end of Ireland to the other and has agreed to stop by in Galway and give a talk to our members. Venue to be determined.

Final Year Project Meeting: Educational » A206 » 28th March 2019

Going to be having some pizza and getting some advice about what 4th year projects are all about!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 28th March 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

AGM: Other » AC202 Arts Concourse » 01st April 2019

We got our Annual General Meeting coming up for the rock folk who wish to continue this lovely society!

End Of Year Party: Social » Galway, Woodquay, McSwiggans » 02nd April 2019

We got our end of year party coming up in McSwiggans! Going to be celebrating a great year, a fresh faced new committee and of course our fantastic society full of fantastic people that enjoy refreshments!

2nd Year Table Quiz: Entertainment » TBC See Email » 03rd April 2019

We got a table quiz lined up to help fund the 2nd Year Field Trip to Antrim this year! Prizes will be great!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 04th April 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 11th April 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 18th April 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » A202 » 25th April 2019

Weekly Committee meeting for Geo Society at 6:30 before our movie nights.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	11 Total society committee members	(14/11) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of our society is to introduce students to the different aspects geoscience and oceanography has to offer. We often host guest speakers, who talk about their current geoscience research. These talks are very beneficial to students to want to pursue a career in this field, and is a great was for students to make connections within this field of science. We also host various social events, and aim to help students in different years, denominated EOS or not, to get to know one another and to make connections within different year groups. This is especially beneficial for students who are unsure about which modules to select, or if students have general questions about our degree. As well as this being quite an academic focused society, we often have movie nights and pub quizzes.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to host many different events this year, including:

- Guest talks from lecturers within NUIG and outside of the university.
- Movie nights showing documentaries (with pizza)
- Pub quizzes
- Academic C.V. workshop
- Possible field trips
- IGRM (Irish Geological Research Meeting)
- 4th year final year project talk
- End of year party

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe we achieved several of our goals, we did movie nights alot when in comparison we could perhaps have branched out with more field trips etc

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes I believe we achieved our aims, we successfully held several interesting events, made contact with other geological groups and increased interest in the society

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I believe the full table quiz was a great success, it was great to see so many people support the society

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

I think the greatest challenge is outreach to the other years and generating interest in a niche society from outside

G-eos Outgoing Committee

Name: Karina O'Donnell **Position:** Auditor
Name: Ciaran Tierney **Position:** Secretary
Name: Jeromine Schmidt **Position:** 4th year Rep
Name: James Symons **Position:** Health and Safety Officer
Name: Simon Vokes **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Mac Murphy **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Andrew Enright **Position:** OCM
Name: Laura Stenson **Position:** 3rd Year Rep
Name: Jade Clarke **Position:** OCM
Name: Catherine Johnson **Position:** 2nd Year Rep

G-eos Outgoing Committee

Name: Samuel Irwin **Position:** OCM
Name: Eadaoin O'Raw **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Luke Devlin **Position:** Auditor
Name: Adam Flanagan **Position:** Health and Safety Officer
Name: Eadaoin O'Raw **Position:** Psi Chi rep
Name: Leona McSharry **Position:** Secretary
Name: Darragh Headd **Position:** Public Relations Officer

G-eos Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,665.02	Bank charge	€23.55
Socs box Till	€352.00	Dinner/Food	€896.70

Ticket Sales	€32.00	Prizes	€108.54
USC Grant	€500.00	Reception	€37.60
		Society accomm	€854
		Society transport	€210
		Socs day expenses	€2
		Video Hire	€8.99
		Expenditure Total	€2141.38
		Closing Bank Balance	€407.64
Total	€2549.02	Total	€2,549.02

Alive Certificate Recipients

Jeromine Schmidt	20 hrs	4th year Rep
Total Hours 20 Participants: 1		

Other Information

We held 31 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 531.

German Soc

The German Society had a very successful year. Our aim was to stimulate interest in all things German related. We held many varied events throughout both semesters. From our annual Boat Trip down the river Corrib , a Stammtisch German speaking night in the college bar to a German Movie night in the Arts Millennium. Our events were both educational and recreational. Our most successful events included our trip to Munich for 50 students in January, a visit and talk from the German Ambassador in November and our charity table quiz in March. The quiz was for COPE Galway and Galway Rape Crisis and we managed to raise over 500 euros. There was also an increase in membership from last year and also increased demand for the trip abroad. We collaborated with other societies for particular events in order to increase interest and event numbers. This included the very successful collaboration with the International Society for Oktoberfest. Overall, the German Society 2018/19 encouraged people to have fun while learning about the different aspects of German culture.



German Soc Events list (12 Individual Events)

Boat trip: Social » Galway, Galway City, Corrib Princess Boat » 27th September 2018

EGM: Gatherings » AM 250 » 15th October 2018

Oktoberfest: Social » Galway, Galway City, Busker Brownes » 18th October 2018

German Ambassador: Guest Speakers » Aras an Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

German Soc goes to Munich - information night: Trips » AM250 (Ó hEocha) » 24th January 2019

The countdown to the Munich trip is on - only 13 days to go! We have organised a meeting about the trip for Thursday 24th Jan at 6pm in the O'hEocha (AM250) Attendance is mandatory for all society members attending the trip to Munich Here we will be discussing the super fun itinerary for the trip along with the rules that must be followed while abroad. If you have any questions or concerns we will answer them at the meeting! Also, any suggestions regarding the itinerary can be emailed to us! After the meeting, we will continue to the college bar. This is also a great chance for everyone to get to know one another before we fly. We are looking forward to the meeting and having a brilliant time in Munich!

German Soc goes to Munich: Trips » Germany, Munich, Am » 31st January 2019

German Soc annual trip to Germany. This year's location: Munich 3 nights: 31st Jan - 3rd Feb

German Movie Night: Film » AM 110 » 26th February 2019

German Movie Night: We are hosting a German Movie Night next Tuesday 26th February! In the Arts Millennium Building, room: TBC from 19:30- 21:30 pm This is a great way to practice and improve your German - plus there will be Free Pizza so what's not to love!! Keep an eye on our Facebook and Instagram pages where we will be voting on the movie.

Munich Trip Reunion!! : Social » Galway, Cross Street, Busker Brownes » 06th March 2019

Hey guys, We have organised a reunion for those of you who went on the Munich trip last January! Going to be a great night to catch up with all the friends you made and reminisce on what was a brilliant trip! Wednesday (6th March) in Buskers at 8pm! Open to everyone so bring your friends! Hope to see you all there!!

Stammtisch: Gatherings » College Bar (SULT) » 12th March 2019

The German Society are hosting a Stammtisch in the College Bar on Tuesday 12th March at 7pm. This is a great way to meet new friends and practice your German in an informal setting. We will then go as a group to the Bank of Ireland theatre at 8pm for the screening of the German play: Der kaukasische Kreidekreis by Bertolt Brecht which is free to attend. Look forward to seeing you there!

German play: Der kaukasische Kreidekreis by Bertolt Brecht: Entertainment » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 12th March 2019

The German play is running from 12th - 14th March. Another great way to improve your German outside of the classroom! Der kaukasische Kreidekreis by Bertolt Brecht will run in the Bank of Ireland theatre at 8:00 pm and is free of charge.

End of Semester table quiz: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 21st March 2019

The German Society have organised an end of year table quiz in aid of Cope Galway and Galway Rape Crisis. Taking place on the 21st March at 8pm in the College Bar, €5 per person and 4 people to a table max (€20 per table) It will be such a great night and there are loads of fantastic prizes to be won! So come down to the college bar for our last event of the year and show your support for a great cause :)
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Agm: Committee Meeting » Am110 » 03rd April 2019

The German Society is hosting their AGM on Wednesday 3rd April to elect upcoming committee members. All members welcome.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(9/9) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To provide a safe enjoyable environment for people who have an interest in the German language and culture.

We aim to organise events to promote the German language and to embrace the culture of Germany.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Main aim for the year is to stimulate interest in all things German in a fun, educational and sociable manner.

We will arrange various German- based events such as :

German boat trip - held in September annually.

Oktoberfest - held in the beginning of October

German ambassador visit to NUIG - held in November

Trip abroad to Germany - to be held in January 2019

These goals are all achievable in the coming year with the effort of all committee members. We will know we have achieved it by the turn out and interest held for the events provided.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe that we created a very friendly and enjoyable society which allowed people to come together and share their love of the German language and culture. We organised a lot of interesting and diverse events which were well attended throughout the year and which we believe people enjoyed thoroughly.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

As a society we achieved all of our main goals. We started the year off with the annual German Boat Trip, which was a huge success and sold out. Oktoberfest was also a huge success. We teamed up with the international students and it gave us a great chance to connect with other societies and students. We also organised for the German ambassador to give a talk in NUIGalway, which we found thoroughly enjoyable listening to her life experiences. The trip abroad to Germany was great, exposing students to life in Germany and giving them an insight into what it is like abroad. Finally, we organised a charity table quiz. This idea came to us in semester two and was our final event of the year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I believe our biggest success was our trip to Germany. We visited Munich for a total of four days. We had a group of 50 students and I really thought that it was a brilliant trip away. Everything ran very smoothly and there were no major problems. Everyone got to soak in the German culture. We all visited some very interesting tourist spots such as Dachau concentration camp and Schloss Neuschwanstein. What was most important was that we all became really friendly with one another and hopefully will inspire people to become committee members in the future.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The biggest challenge was getting used to organising events. I had no prior experience of organising events and found it quite difficult to getting used to it, especially with my role as treasurer. Trying to come up with ideas and executing was certainly challenging. However, we did eventually get the hang of it and I believe we overcame this very well by the end.

German Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Saoirse O'Dowd **Position:** Secretary

Name: Laura Gannon **Position:** PRO

Name: Seosamh Gorham **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Marie Fogarty **Position:** Vice-Treasurer
Name: Hugh Hogan **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Pimapsorn Thavornnart **Position:** Vice-PRO
Name: Laura O'Donnell **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Emma Young **Position:** Vice-Secretary
Name: Thomas Hurley **Position:** Vice Safety Officer

German Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Fiona Hennessy **Position:** Secretary
Name: Leanne Younge **Position:** Auditor
Name: Erica Robinson **Position:** Treasurer

German Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,498.53	Bank charge	€32.99
Socs box Till	€7,230.00	Dinner/Food	€328.75
Ticket Sales	€340.00	Entertainment	€515.88
USC Grant	€2,100.00	Equipment misc	€339.75
		Returned Socs Money	€700.00
		Society accomm	€3000
		Society transport	€6,042.41
		Expenditure Total	€10,959.78
Total	€11,168.53	Closing Bank Balance	€208.75
		Total	€11,168.53

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ryan Spencer	1 hrs	Volunteer
Saoirse O'Dowd	30 hrs	Secretary

Laura O'Donnell	12 hrs	Safety Officer
Laura Gannon	28 hrs	PRO
Paul Crampton	10 hrs	Volunteer
Marie Fogarty	30 hrs	Vice-Treasurer
Michelle Fitzgerald	2 hrs	Volunteer
Thomas Hurley	10 hrs	Vice Safety Officer
Pimapsorn Thavornnart	250 hrs	Vice-PRO
Emma Young	120 hrs	Vice-Secretary
Total Hours 493 Participants: 10		

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1241.

GiGSoc (Gay In Galway)

The aim of GiGSoc is to promote a space where lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and asexual / ally students and staff can meet in a comfortable and supportive environment, to educate and inform the general university body on various LGBTQA+ issues through events, publications, advertisements and other promotions. The society also aims to provide a safe, educational and social space for our members. We

are also aware as a society that we are part of a wider local, national and international community, who we aim to connect with. I believe we, as a society have met these goals this academic year. We have hosted a wide range of events, from educational talks to chill events like film screenings. We have kept everyone in mind when planning events in order to be as inclusive, intersectional and welcoming as possible to all members of the community.

This year we had a strong connection with Teach Solais, the LGBT+ Resource Centre in Galway City. We published *The Queer Book*, GiGSocs first small publication and donated all the proceeds to Teach Solais thus keeping in contact with the local community in Galway. We also hosted a large number of relaxed social events such as Gaymes Night, Documentary Screenings and Tie-Dye with GiGSoc.

We also hosted many educational panels and talks such as *T With Friends*: a Trans Pride panel, *Just Getting Bi*: a Bi+ Panel, A Polyamory Talk and an Ace and Aro Talk.

GiGSoc also organised the first ever on campus pride parade in the country during Rainbow Week this year. The aim of this was to increase LGBTQA+ visibility on campus.

The committee at the Society Awards!



GiGSoc (Gay In Galway) Events list (90 Individual Events)

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 10th September 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 17th September 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

EGM & Games Night: Social » IT202 » 19th September 2018

Quick EGM to elect Auditor, Vice Auditor, Secretary, First Year OCM, Events Officer and ShoutOut Rep. Followed by a fun games nights!

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 20th September 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 24th September 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Create Your Bi-con: Social » Art Room » 24th September 2018

People will come and create/draw their own Bi+ characters and write a description/story for them.

Bi+ Talk: Social » IT202 » 26th September 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 27th September 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 01st October 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Gaymes Night and Brief EGM: Other » IT202 » 03rd October 2018

We will be having a brief EGM to elect a Campaigns Officer followed by a fun Gaymes night

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 04th October 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 08th October 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

GiGSoc's Film Night: Film » IT202 » 10th October 2018

LGBT+ Short Film Screenings and Popcorn! Short film screenings night at 7PM-9PM in IT202. We will also be doing a quick shout out and giving handouts of LGBT+ mental health supports and services.

Coming Out Day Coffee Morning: Charity » Art Room » 11th October 2018

GiGSoc will be having a coffee morning in the art room in celebration of National Coming Out Day! We will be doing this also as part of Mental Health Week and will be having a small fundraiser for a charity (To be decided)

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 11th October 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 15th October 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Sex Ed with Leo Lardie: Guest Speakers » IT202 » 17th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 18th October 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 22nd October 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Committee Meeting: Other » IT202 » 24th October 2018

Free Cece film screening: Film » IT 250 » 25th October 2018

As part of the 8x8 festival we are collaborating with STAND to screen the film Free Cece

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 29th October 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Murder Mystery Halloween Party: Entertainment » IT Building » 31st October 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 01st November 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 05th November 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

"How well do you know your hun?": Entertainment » IT202 » 07th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 08th November 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 12th November 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Pink Training Information Night: Educational » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

Let's Get Creative With GiGSoc: Entertainment » IT202 » 14th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 15th November 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 19th November 2018

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Candlelit Vigil: Gatherings » Aras na Mac Leinn » 20th November 2018

Location: Outside Áras na Mac Léinn

Transformation Tuesday: Entertainment » IT207 » 20th November 2018

T with friends - A trans pride panel: Educational » IT202 » 21st November 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 22nd November 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 26th November 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Rapid HIV testing AIDS West collab: Health & Lifestyle » Meeting Rooms » 28th November 2018

GiGSoc Christmas Party: Entertainment » IT202 » 28th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 29th November 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 03rd December 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 06th December 2018

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 10th December 2018

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 13th December 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 20th December 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 27th December 2018

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 03rd January 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 07th January 2019

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Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 10th January 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 14th January 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Welcome Back with GiGSoc: Entertainment » IT202 » 16th January 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 17th January 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 21st January 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

EGM and Icebreakers: Other » IT202 » 23rd January 2019

We will be doing some icebreakers and then electing a new Trans Officer and making some constitutional changes

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 24th January 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 28th January 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Past the T - Trans History with Alex Coughlan: Educational » IT202 » 30th January 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 31st January 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 04th February 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Movie Night + EGM: Film » IT202 » 06th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 07th February 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 11th February 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Werk it Wednesday!: Social » IT202 » 13th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 14th February 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 18th February 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Queer Baking: Social » The Hub » 18th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Art Room » 19th February 2019

Alphabet Soup with Gillian McInerney: Educational » IT202 » 20th February 2019

Alphabet Soup – An A-Z guide to LGBTQIA+ terminology

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 21st February 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 25th February 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Tie Dye: Social » Art Room » 27th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 28th February 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 04th March 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Documentary Night: Film » IT202 » 06th March 2019
Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 07th March 2019
T Space: Other » arts concourse » 11th March 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

The Queer Book Launch: Book Launch » Galway, Galway City, Teach Solais LGBT Resource Centre » 11th March 2019

Poster Making for pride parade: Social » Art Room » 12th March 2019

Pride Parade: Gatherings » Outside The Engineering Building » 13th March 2019

ALL are welcome to celebrate with us!!!The parade will be starting from the Engineering Building at 1.30 then we will march to the Quadrangle! Then will then be FREE food, amazing speeches and good craic in The Cube in Áras na Mac Léinn!!!Grab your glitter, face paint and flags and we'll see you there!This event is to raise awareness of the importance of visibility on all campuses for LGBTQA+ students and staff.

Flag Exhibition: Educational » Aras an Mac Leinn Foyer » 14th March 2019

Exhibition on the different flags within the LGBTQ+ flags

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 14th March 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 18th March 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Polyamory Talk with Catalina Vieru: Educational » IT202 » 20th March 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 21st March 2019

T Space: Other » arts concourse » 25th March 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

Ace and Aro talk with Oscar James: Educational » IT202 » 27th March 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 28th March 2019

T Space: Other » NUIG » 01st April 2019

A safe space for trans / non-binary / questioning students facilitated by our Trans Officer. This is a closed space so please contact our Trans Officer or a member of the committee for the location of the group

AGM: Social » IT202 » 03rd April 2019

Committee Meeting: Other » IT207 » 04th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	13 society committee members with questions answered	13 Total society committee members	(12/13) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

GIG Soc is the LGBTQA+ society in NUIG. We aim to bring together all members of the gay, lesbian, bisexual, trans*, queer/questioning and ally community that are interested in getting involved in the university, together with anyone interested in LGBTQ issues, rights and social events.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The aim of the society is to promote a forum where Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans*, Queer/Questioning and Ally students & staff and their friends can meet in a comfortable and supportive environment, and to increase awareness and help to end discrimination on the LGBTQA+ community

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe our society succeeded in fulfilling our mission statement this year

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes. I am proud to say I believe we have created a safe space for members of the community and beyond on campus

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Rainbow week! The first on campus pride parade. We organised this to improve visibility for LGBTQA+ staff and students on campus and it would be great if it could become an annual thing as it is important people in the community feel safe and welcome on campus.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Organizing everything. Some of our themed weeks got hectic and everyone had to work together really hard to pull everything off on time!

GiGSoc (Gay In Galway) Outgoing Committee

Name: Muireann O'Sullivan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Maeve Arnup **Position:** Co-Auditor
Name: Finn Morris **Position:** Secretary
Name: SORCHA DOWD **Position:** OCM
Name: Oissine Moore **Position:** Co-Auditor
Name: James Tweedy **Position:** ShoutOut Rep
Name: Kayleigh Hogan **Position:** SMA
Name: Jacqui Conway **Position:** First Year Rep
Name: Claire O'Brien **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Lauren Walsh Foody **Position:** PRO
Name: Ruth Sweeney **Position:** Campaigns Officer
Name: Jake Prunty **Position:** Trans Officer
Name: Jennifer Zhou **Position:** Ethnic Minorities Officer

GiGSoc (Gay In Galway) Incoming Committee

Name: Oissine Moore **Position:** Auditor
Name: Kayleigh Hogan **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Claire O'Brien **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Sean O'Driscoll **Position:** Secretary
Name: Lauren Walsh Foody **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Aoibhin Keighron **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Jake Prunty **Position:** Trans Officer
Name: Georgina Bashford **Position:** Ethnic Minorities Officer
Name: Jacqui Conway **Position:** Social Media Administrator
Name: Sinead O'Reilly Smith **Position:** Campaigns Officer
Name: Shawna Clarke **Position:** ShoutOut Rep
Name: Sibeal O'Corcora **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member (OCM)

GiGSoc (Gay In Galway) Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,486.61	Apparel	€1,320.00
Fundraising	€20.00	Bank charge	€27.24
Hoodies	€660.00	Dinner/Food	€432.20

Socs box Till	€60.00	Entertainment	€78.00
Sponsorship	€1,000.00	Fundraising / Charity	€213.95
USC Grant	€3,060.00	Hoodies	€351.00
		Materials	€475.79
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€771.96
		Printing	€182.15
		Promotions	€60.25
		Returned Socs Money	€1000
		Society transport	€136.2
		Speaker accomm	€326.82
		Speaker travel	€170.24
		Expenditure Total	€5545.8
		Cash In Hand	€20
		Closing Bank Balance	€720.81
Total	€6286.61	Total	€6286.61

Alive Certificate Recipients

Lauren Walsh Foody	240 hrs	PRO
Oissine Moore	1202 hrs	Co-Auditor
Finn Morris	1000 hrs	Secretary
Claire O'Brien	186 hrs	Events Officer

James Tweedy	24 hrs	ShoutOut Rep
Morgan Sweeney	1000 hrs	Campaigns Officer
Muireann O'Sullivan	600 hrs	Treasurer
Maeve Arnup	1200 hrs	Co-Auditor
Kayleigh Hogan	800 hrs	SMA
Jennifer Zhou	114 hrs	Ethnic Minorities Officer

Total Hours 6366 Participants: 10

Other Information

We held 25 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 715.

Health Care Society

Healthcare Society is a multidisciplinary society, focused on the co-operation of the various healthcare disciplines in order to achieve effective patient care. Being a relatively new society, we sought to raise promote the society this year.

Semester 1:

During semester 1 we held various events. These included a Minding Your Mental Health Night, where guest speakers spoke on the topic of anxiety and stress. The evening concluded with a brief mindfulness exercise.

We also held a successful bake sale, in aid of a primary school in Trinidad that was devastated by earthquakes. We managed to raise over 700euro.

Semester 2:

We started the semester with our annual MDT Mixer, where the various healthcare disciplines are invited on a night out, where they can socialise and form connections with each other.

We also attended a national multidisciplinary event at UL, Limerick, where we met other healthcare students from around Ireland, and learned how to work together for the benefit of the patient.



Poster from the Multidisciplinary Mixer Night.

Health Care Society Events list (11 Individual Events)

Socs Day: Other » Aras na Mac Leinn Foyer » 12th September 2018

Attended socs day to recruit new members and advertise for new committee members.

EGM: Other » Venue: TBC » 24th September 2018

We are having our egm on Monday 24th!! Make sure to come along, find out what's happening this year, run for a committee position and eat some pizza!!

Minding Your Mental Health: Guest Speakers » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse »

10th October 2018

Hey guys! As many of you know mental health week is next week and so we have decided to incorporate this into our first event of the year! College can be extremely busy and stressful and it can be easy to forget about our own mental health when focusing on assignments! That's why we've decided to hold an informative talk on "minding your mental health." This talk will be targeted at students and will involve tips on self care and information on how to mind one's own mental health during these stressful times- especially coming up to deadlines and exams! We all know how important mental health and looking after ourselves is so come along on Wednesday to find out some tips on how to look after your own mental health! It's on in the Kirwan Lecture Theatre at 7pm and there will be pizza after! Hope to see you all there!

Bake Sale in Aid of Trinidad. : Charity » CSI Stem Cafe » 07th November 2018

Healthcare Society are holding a Bake Sale on Wednesday 7th November from 10.30am to 2.00pm in the Stem Cafe in the CSI. Trinidad has recently been struck by major earthquakes and flooding, affecting many lives. Our former auditor Angele is from Trinidad. Her mother, a principal of a school in Trinidad that has suffered catastrophic damage, has asked for our aid in raising much needed funds. We will have lots of baked goodies for sale, so please pop down to the CSI and support an important cause!

Science and Tech Fair: Educational » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th November 2018

We had a table along with Impacte Soc for the Science and Tech Fair. This table helped children identify with people who lived with disabilities. It was a great opportunity to work with children and to collaborate with another wonderful society.

Socs Day Fair: Other » Bailey Allen » 22nd January 2019

Attended the Socs Day Fair and had a table. We recruited new members for semester 2.

Multidisciplinary Mixer: Social » Galway, Galway City, Eyre Square, The Skeff, Eyre Square » 23rd January 2019

Social event for all medicine, nursing, and health science students from all disciplines! With free entry into the Skeff and DNA!

Let's have dinner with an Irish Doctor and a Nutricianist: Educational » IT125G » 18th February 2019

What did they actually learn about food in medical school and college, and why did they go vegan?

Movie Night: Film » O Flaherty Theatre » 27th February 2019

National Interdisciplinary Conference: Conference » Limerick, University of Limerick, Graduate Entry Medicine Building » 09th March 2019

As a society and committee we attended the MDT national conference where we took part in MDT activities with our NUIG members and other students from other universities around Ireland.

Healthcare Soc AGM: Other » Aras Moyola » 03rd April 2019

Healthcare Soc AGM

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(7/9) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our mission is to represent the students of healthcare related courses at a local and national level and to serve their best interests in relation to social, academic and welfare issues.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

I hope that we can recruit more participants for our events. All committee members must work hard to do this

I hope we can run successful events, both academic and social.

I hope we can work well as a team.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Regarding our mission statement, we did manage to achieve each aspect to some extent. We did represent the students of healthcare related courses at multiple occasions during the year, including the Irish Interdisciplinary Healthcare Conference in Limerick. This was a national conference and thus was a great opportunity to speak for the healthcare students of NUIG. In relation to the social requirements of healthcare students, we organised many different multidisciplinary events for all members to attend, allowing them to expand their social circles and form relationships with those in other healthcare disciplines, with whom they are likely to be working with professionally later in life. Another aim of our mission statement was to fulfill the academic and welfare issues of students. To achieve this we promoted good mental health and ran an event centred around this.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

This year we achieved some of our goals. We were able to obtain some new participants to some of our events that we held. We as a committee worked hard to get the word out about our events, though being in the health sciences its hard to get people to participate in society events outside of college hours as the courses are very demanding. We were able to run successful events both academic and social in nature. As far as working well as a team, we were able to do so. The committee worked well together and we were able to accomplish what we needed to do this year because we had a good committee.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

We had many successes this year. Each of the successes were different because they achieved something different that were successes in themselves. This year we were able to raise a good amount of money from holding a bake sale to help a school in Trinidad that was affected by a natural disaster. We were also able to attend the National Interdisciplinary Conference put on by IreIFH in Limerick. This was an opportunity for students in different healthcare related courses around the country to come together to learn how to work as an MDT. This helps facilitate patient centred care which is a major aim for us as a society due to being able to work together at a training level before having to work together as professionals. Our greatest achievement was our annual MDT mixer which had the greatest attendance. This event facilitated students from the different health science courses around NUIG to chat and mingle. This meant that students that typically wouldn't mix or talk to each other were given the opportunity to do just that. They also were able to learn about what the different disciplines did for the patient.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge for our society is event attendance/engagement. Our members are typically undertaking health science degrees which are very demanding as far as course work goes. These degrees also are comprised of placements that could send a student to different parts of Ireland to have hands on learning. This means that sometimes our members aren't available to attend events even though our society has worked hard to get the word out about our event. As well sometimes our members are under too much stress from either working on assignments, undertaking placement, or exam/OSCE prep that they do not attend because course work comes first. This is understandable due to the types of courses we are undertaking and logistically speaking sometimes students aren't even in the vicinity of the college to attend.

Health Care Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Taylor Murphy **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Cairenn Keegan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Danni Hayes **Position:** PRO (Public Relations Officer)

Name: Aisling McGrath **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Natasha Lyne **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ciara McGrath **Position:** Medicine Representative

Name: Raza Abbas Syed **Position:** Secretary

Name: Hector Belmonte **Position:** Nursing Representative

Name: Ciara Kelsey **Position:** External Relations

Health Care Society Incoming Committee

Name: Raza Abbas Syed **Position:** Secretary

Health Care Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€239.72	Bank charge	€33.02
Fundraising	€750.48	Dinner/Food	€67.50
USC Grant	€380.00	Fundraising / Charity	€745.00
		Expenditure Total	€845.52
		Closing Bank Balance	€524.68
Total	€1370.2	Total	€1370.2

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ciara Kelsey	24 hrs	External Relations
Alison Ryan	24 hrs	Volunteer
Taylor Murphy	92 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Natasha Lyne	48 hrs	Treasurer
Aisling McGrath	44 hrs	Events Manager
Raza Abbas Syed	24 hrs	Secretary
Danni Hayes	48 hrs	PRO (Public Relations Officer)
Hector Belmonte	24 hrs	Nursing Representative
Total Hours 328 Participants: 8		

Other Information

We held 6 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 331.

Healthy Heart

Our society has successfully engaged with the community, establishing its brand and set up yearly traditions in the form of the Hoops for Hearts basketball tournament. We have successfully engaged with a community partner and fundraised well past our goal of 500 euros. Our committee was made of spectacular members, with different backgrounds, skill sets and resources. It was a committee that was central to our success this year. Through the efforts made this year, we have successfully planted our roots into the community at NUIG and positioned ourselves in a good place to grow for next year!



Hoops for Hearts Basketball Champions 2019

Healthy Heart Events list (7 Individual Events)**Healthy Heart General Meeting!:** Committee Meeting » meeting room 2 in Áras na mac Léinn » 02nd October 2018

EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th October 2018

In arts room

Bake sale: Health & Lifestyle » Smokies Cafe » 21st November 2018

Bake sale to raise funds and awareness for Heart Children Ireland

Hoops for Hearts tournament sign up and bake sale: Charity » Smokeys » 30th January 2019

Hoops for hearts registration day 2: Charity » Smokeys » 31st January 2019

Hoops for Hearts Basketball tournament: Sport » Kingfisher Sports Hall » 02nd February 2019

Come with a team of 5-6 to play basketball! All skill levels welcome, show us your skills! Will your team be NUIG's next basketball stars? For more information, come to our booth on Thursday, January 24th at Smokey's 11AM-3PM! Sign-up and registration will be on January 30th & 31st at Smokey's, 11AM-3PM. Prizes TBA. Click here for our Facebook Page

Game of Throne Season 8 premiere: Film » Kirwan Theatre » 15th April 2019

GoT season 8 premiere, winter is coming

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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The goal of this society is the promote cardiological health, provide support to organizations that aid in heart healthiness, and spread awareness concerning emergency scenarios via CPR and AED. We want to endorse a healthy lifestyle, which should start by taking good care of the most essential organ.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

As our starting year, the committee would like to raise funds for Heart Child Ireland, an organization which provides support to family and guardians of children with cardiovascular diseases. To do this, we plan to have bake sales, sports events, and a culminating run to not only raise funds but spread awareness for this great cause.

Additionally, we plan on having speakers on heart healthiness come in to speak about the importance of keeping a healthy heart through routine.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society has gone far and beyond the aims and objectives I previously stated earlier this year. The society has worked hard to meet the aims, which were to raise awareness of cardiovascular health, advocate for healthy lifestyle changes, and raise funds. We have successfully engaged in all three of these. Through our events, we have successfully engaged the student body, with community engaging events such as our Game of Thrones premiere night and our Hoops for Hearts. In addition to this, we have successfully raised funds, over 500 euro, for Heart Children Ireland. Our society has successfully established itself through our various events, bake sales and tournament included, as well as through community engaging promotion. We did not have speakers to come and speak, but that is one of our top priorities for next year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The Society has successfully achieved all its aims, objectives and goals.

- community engaging events centered around healthy lifestyles: Hoops for hearts, Game of thrones, Bake sales (2)
- fundraise: over 500 euro has been fundraised
- Raised awareness

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success was the hoops for hearts tournament, through this event we managed to gauge interest in future events such as this, potentially making it a yearly occurrence. We have successfully established our society through this event, as we included students that were not in the health sciences as well. Through this event, the committee was successful in promoting, planning, managing and engaging with the community, each individual of the committee had gained and honed many professional abilities.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Establishing our society, getting to increase awareness of the society.

As it was our first year, many students did not know the society and its affiliations. We recognized early that this was going to be a hard challenge to overcome, but through our combined efforts, with different skills and resources, we broke through this challenge. We successfully established our society, its aims and goals, and found members who shared many of the same values.

Healthy Heart Outgoing Committee

Name: Mary Labib **Position:** Auditor

Name: Audrey Bicknell **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Amar Arnold **Position:** OCM

Name: Michael Lane **Position:** Health and Safety Officer

Name: Bryan Tanner **Position:** Secretary

Name: Jack Yassa **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: David Rofaiel **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Natasha Broderick **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Carol Yassa **Position:** OCM

Name: Marina Azer **Position:** OCM

Healthy Heart Incoming Committee

Name: Mary Labib **Position:** Auditor

Name: Bryan Tanner **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Healthy Heart Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.39
Fundraising	€482.50	Dinner/Food	€65.71
Members Contributions	€10.00	Fundraising / Charity	€688.65
Ticket Sales	€242.10	Hall hire	€108.00
USC Grant	€250.00	Non Alcoholic Refresh	€15.00
		Prizes	€61.85
		Expenditure Total	€984.6
Total	€984.6	Total	€984.6

Alive Certificate Recipients

David Rofaiel	40 hrs	Treasurer
Audrey Bicknell	0 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Michael Lane	8 hrs	Health and Safety Officer
Ryan Biehn	8 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 56 Participants: 4		

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 255.

IMPACTE Society

Our Society IMPACTE was set up to reduce the stigma associated with disabilities, to encourage social interaction and to encourage potential students by showcasing the supports available to them. During the year we did this through a range of projects of our own and collaborating with other Societies in joint projects. In Step 5 below there is a comprehensive list of what we achieved during the year.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year? : Yes, as we continued to raise awareness about students with disabilities (SWD)

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals? Yes achieved what we set out do.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success? Been successful at organising The 3rd Level Information Evening for Students and Adults with Disabilities.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge: Reaching our targeted membership and getting them to participate in the Society's events.



Committee at 3rd Level Information Evening
IMPACTE Society Events list (23 Individual Events)

Meet and Greet: Gatherings » AC201 » 18th September 2018

Meet and Greet get -together

EGM: Other » AC202 » 24th September 2018

EGM. Filling of positions and Programme of Events

Disability Awareness at Science and Technology

Fair: Educational » TBC » 25th November 2018

IMPACTE Soc. will be raising disability awareness among young children by getting them to draw their version of the world of a disabled person.

Exam Preparation Workshop: Educational » Room G010, The Hardiman Building (beside NUI Galway Library) » 28th November 2018

Exam preparation workshop with DSS. Hosted by IMPACTE Soc

Celebrating International Day of People with Disabilities: Social » TBC, Bailey Allen » 03rd December 2018

Monday 3rd of December at 10am to 1pm, in Bailey Allen Hall, NUI Galway. Celebrating the International Day of People with Disabilities IMPACTE Soc Presents the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities through the Lens of a Camera. This project by IMPACTE Soc Is aimed at celebrating and educating ourselves and other people on our rights as individuals with disabilities. The day involves an explanatory exhibition, a presentation, and refreshments. Let's celebrate who and how we are.

Celebrating International Day of People with Disabilities: Educational » Bailey Allen Hall » 03rd December 2018

A Celebration of International Day of People with Disabilities. IMPACTE Soc. presents The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities through the Lens of a Camera

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 16th January 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 30th January 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 06th February 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 13th February 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 20th February 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 27th February 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 06th March 2019

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Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 13th March 2019

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Journey to Oz: Educational » Dublin, Dublin 2, Croke Park Conference Centre » 20th March 2019

Journey to Oz -Travelling Together Towards Inclusive Education

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 20th March 2019

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Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 27th March 2019

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AGM: Other » AM 105 » 03rd April 2019

We are holding our AGM on Wednesday 3rd April at 6pm in AM 105. All positions are open, please let us know if your interested in any position. Refreshments provided, hope to see you there.

Assisted Technology Classes: Classes » AM 105 » 03rd April 2019

The Assisted Technology Class is in AM 105 every Wednesday from 16th January to 3rd April. Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes are a forum for exchange of different ways to use assisted technology. Students, staff and general public are welcome.



The Wheelie Wonders Drama Group
Presents;

IWA's Got Talent!!!

Matinee Thursday 20th of June 2pm

Free Event

Donations if Desired

All Welcome!

Supported by the Impact Society

Committee Night Out: Entertainment » Galway, Galway City, Planet Bowling » 25th April 2019

Committee end of year get-together.

Committee end of year Outing: Entertainment » Galway, Galway City, Planet Entertainment Centre » 25th April 2019

Committee end of year get-together



Galway Autism Partnership GAPWalk Wear Gold and Walk: Charity » Galway, Salthill, Salthill prom » 28th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	3 society committee members with questions answered	4 Total society committee members	(2/4) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To promote equality in NUIG, and to inform students with disabilities and medical conditions of the supports the University provides.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To raise awareness. To increase the amount of members who will lead the society after the founding members finish there course in NUIG. To build a stronger connection between the Student Union and IMPACTE, especially with the new disability officer. To gain more press attention for the society and make a well known part of NUIG.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our Society continued to highlight and promote issues connected with students with disabilities and from our point of view we were successful in what we done.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our aims were in a sense achieved as we continued to put the message out there, that students with disabilities were not in any way inferior as students. This was our aim and objective, but it is an ongoing aim and objective. So to say that we achieved our goal would be to say our work was finished, which is not the case.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success is in keeping the society alive as it is difficult with the membership we have to get engagement from many of those with a disability.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge is in keeping the problems of students with disabilities to the forefront of campus life and convincing potential students and Career Guidance people out the campus that there are many supports available to prospective students. Also getting the message out there to adult mature people with a disability that there is an option for them to progress their education.

IMPACTE Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Colman O'Connell **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Eliona Gjecaj **Position:** Auditor

Name: Eamon MacGiobuin **Position:** Secretary

Name: Siobhan Langan **Position:** Treasurer

IMPACTE Society Incoming Committee

Name: Patricia O'Mahony **Position:** Auditor

Name: Saoirse Connolly **Position:** Vice-Auditor

IMPACTE Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€8.10	Bank charge	€31.31
Sponsorship	€462.86	Costumes	€21.00
USC Grant	€1,767.72	Dinner/Food	€592.99
		Entry fees	€41
		Equipment misc	€3.6
		Materials	€53.25
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€25.60
		Printing	€197.40
		Prizes	€70.50
		Services Hired	€337.86
		Society transport	€530
		Stationary	€3.50
		Expenditure Total	€1908.01
		Closing Bank Balance	€330.67
Total	€2238.68	Total	€2238.68

Alive Certificate Recipients

Karen Hamilton	12 hrs	Volunteer
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Total Hours 12 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 12 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 255.

India Soc

India Soc Events list (13 Individual Events)

EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 19th September 2018

Incoming committee election

Weekly meeting: Other » National University of Ireland, Galway » 28th September 2018

Day of Hope in collaboration with the Hope Foundation: Charity » Smokeys Table » 11th October 2018

We, the NUIG India Society will help to organize the "Day of Hope" on this 11th October in collaboration with the HOPE foundation which will comprise of a charity collection at NUIG campus on this day. The HOPE foundation is an Irish charity founded in 1999 and operating over 60 projects working with street and slum children and their families in Calcutta, India, in the areas of protection, healthcare, nutrition, education etc. All funds raised on the day will go directly to these projects. NUIG India Society is providing volunteer support to the HOPE foundation for this fundraising event.

Indian DJ party: Entertainment » The Cube » 12th October 2018

Diwali: Entertainment » Bailey Allen Hall » 09th November 2018

Diwali, Deepavali or Dipavali is the Hindu festival of lights, which is celebrated every autumn in the northern hemisphere. One of the most popular festivals of Hinduism, Diwali symbolises the spiritual "victory of light over darkness, good over evil and knowledge over ignorance. We almost had around 500-600 footfalls across all the cultural background

Games and Musical night: Entertainment » The View » 06th February 2019

Come and join us for a collab event with none other than Pakistan Soc here at NUIG! Don't miss a chance to get together and play some desi games with friends, old and new! Games include Jenga, Ludo, Marbles, Chess and many more 🎲 if you have any games you would like to bring along, please do so 😊

Non Alcoholic Refresh: Gatherings » Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th February 2019

Movie Night Gathering: Gatherings » Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th February 2019

URI- Movie night: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, palas » 02nd March 2019

Movie night (but in the morning) Uri chronicles the events of the surgical strike conducted by the Indian military against the suspected militants in Pakistan occupied Kashmir (PoK). It tells the story of the 11 tumultuous events over which the operation was carried out.

Aran Island: Trips » Galway, aran island, Aran Island » 09th March 2019

We took a bus from galway to the docs and from there ferry and reach Arans Island at 11.30, left arans island at 5.00 pm and was back in NUIG at 7.00pm

Movie Evening- Spiderman into the spider verse: Entertainment » Aras ui Cathaill Lecture Theatre, NUI Galway » 15th March 2019

Teen Miles Morales becomes Spider-Man of his reality, crossing his path with five counterparts from another dimensions to stop a threat for all realities.

Pre-event planning: Committee Meeting » stage » 22nd March 2019

Holi: Entertainment » Green opposite the Kingfisher » 23rd March 2019

Holi is a Hindu spring festival, originating from the Indian subcontinent, celebrated predominantly in India and Nepal, but has also spread to other areas of Asia and parts of the Western world through the diaspora from the Indian subcontinent, also known as the "festival of colours" or the "festival of love"

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

This society aims at giving an opportunity to explore the diverse culture and traditions of India.

Our mission is to promote the Indian culture & language to students at NUI Galway by celebrating everything Indian! We are pleased to welcome all students of NUI Galway and encourage them to be part of what is happening in the society and get to learn more about our India diverse culture. As a society based in college, we encourage everyone to join us, we currently have over 740-register member.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

1. To Showcase Indian culture and traditions
2. To organize Indian festivals
3. To provide a home away from home for Indian students.

All the above are achievable and we expect to achieve it by the end of this year.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We as a society have tried to organize numerous events over the course of the year to provide a sense of belonging to the incoming Indian students as well as showcase our culture through our two big events: Diwali and Holi. Throughout the year we provide them with opportunities to volunteer in these events by performing or helping us out with other tasks.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we definitely did achieve our goals this year. Nearly everyone who came to our events had something good to say about it. Everyone on the committee worked really well and put in a lot of effort to make the events better. We tried to keep events as frequently as possible and around major Indian festivals to showcase our culture and provide our fellow students a sense of belonging.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think our biggest success this year has to be our main event Diwali. Its preparation required all hands on deck which included me, everyone else on the committee and even the volunteers working for us. Everything was done perfectly according to me, including bookings catering, decoration, sponsorships, performances and much more. It wouldn't have been the same without the entire team's support. The volunteers played a very important role that day and did help us in making sure the event went smoothly. The event went just as we planned everyone had a good time. I am really proud of the effort put in by everyone on the committee in making this event an even bigger hit than expected.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge, in my opinion, would have to be resolving conflicts and problem-solving. But because everyone is really supportive and understanding overcoming this wasn't that difficult.

India Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Anuradha Kar **Position:** OCM
Name: Aparna Pandey **Position:** Auditor

Name: Abhijit Patil **Position:** Health and Safety
Name: Harsh Suresh Wadhwa **Position:** Secretary

Name: Shruti Agarwal **Position:** Trips Officer
Name: Amey Joshi **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Balaji Ayyalusamy Seenivasa
Raghavan **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Simran Kalra **Position:** Media Officer

Name: Steffi Dsouza **Position:** OCM
Name: Pallavi Soni **Position:** OCM
Name: Jackson Dsouza **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Protim Ganguly **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Rajath Raja **Position:** OCM

India Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Aparna Pandey **Position:** Interim Auditor

India Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€130.52	Bank charge	€23.45
Ecommerce Sales	€4,403.00	Dinner/Food	€5,387.64
Socs box Till	€1,500.00	Entertainment	€3,456.51
Sponsorship	€750.00	Gifts	€131.52
USC Grant	€3,200.00	Materials	€30.00
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€26.71
		Online Sales Mass Refund	€5
		Society transport	€27.20
		Expenditure Total	€9088.03
		Closing Bank Balance	€895.49
Total	€9983.52	Total	€9983.52

Alive Certificate Recipients

Mansi Kesarwani	10 hrs	Volunteer
Amresh Mishra	20 hrs	Volunteer
Arabinda Das	20 hrs	Volunteer
Aparna Pandey	324 hrs	Auditor
Anirudh Pathak	30 hrs	Volunteer
Steffi Dsouza	100 hrs	OCM
Jackson Dsouza	330 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Harsh Suresh Wadhwa	200 hrs	Secretary
Pooja Jayakumar	20 hrs	Volunteer
Ojaswi MacHiraju	42 hrs	Volunteer
Amey Joshi	160 hrs	Events Manager
Abhijit Patil	140 hrs	Health and Safety
Pallavi Soni	120 hrs	OCM
Protim Ganguly	120 hrs	Treasurer
Simran Kalra	220 hrs	Media Officer
Anuradha Kar	40 hrs	OCM
Balaji Ayyalusamy Seenivasa Raghavan	160 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Swarnima Sharma	20 hrs	Volunteer
Shruti Agarwal	120 hrs	Trips Officer

Rajath Raja	60 hrs	OCM
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Total Hours 2256 Participants: 20

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 531.

Irish Sign Language

Irish Sign Language Society was created in 2018. This was a timely and advantageous decision as we have students on campus that use ISL to communicate. The Deaf community in Ireland is small, however opportunities to attend NUI Galway are available and as such we require a society whereby Deaf students can meet other students and staff who are either Deaf or use sign language, or who are interested in the Deaf community, their language and culture. During the year, we held several events that allowed for interaction between the Deaf community, students and staff. Social Sign Workshops were held throughout both semesters where those who had ISL training, those who did not have ISL training could meet in a friendly and relaxed environment. Social signs were taught and there was much laughter among all participants. We hope to bring bigger and better events to NUI Galway for the next academic year. Thank you to all who participated and who volunteered in ISL Soc.

ISL Rocks!



Irish Sign Language Events list (29 Individual Events)

Meeting: Committee Meeting » Large Accoustic Room » 18th September 2018

Please join us for the first meeting of the Irish Sign Language Society - here we will select our committee - so if you would like to run for a position please do not miss it. The roles are: Auditor, Vice-Auditor, Secretary, Treasurer, Ordinary Committee member x 2. If you are more interested in fundraising opportunities, media outreach, or anything else, please come. We will also be discussing upcoming events, take suggestions from our members, and basically have a whole heap of fun. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Bake Sale - fundraising: Charity » Smokeys Table » 27th September 2018

ISL Society are having a Bake Sale on Thursday 27th September from 10am - 2pm in order to raise funds for a local charity that works with families who have children with chronic or lifelimiting illnesses or disabilities through recreational and educational activities. Please support this worthy cause. Tables with loads of home made goodies (gluten free and Keto options will be available) will be set up in the following places: Smokey's on the Arts Concourse, Aras na MacLeinn foyer (next to the Sult), Library foyer. So come along one and all and buy something lovely to munch on, drop a few coins in the kitty and make a difference.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd October 2018

Our committee meetings are open to all our members who are interested in getting involved more with ISL Soc. We would appreciate if you could notify us of your attendance by email no later than 1pm Monday of the meeting you wish to attend. If you forget to do that, no problem, come along anyways; don't be shy.

Social Sign Language Class: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 23rd October 2018

Weekly Social Sign Language Class. Great opportunity to learn social sign language. Please note to get your levels in sign language, which you require to be an interpreter; you MUST attend the Sign Language classes hosted by the Students Union. Every Week until the 27th November except for 20th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th October 2018

Our committee meetings are open to all our members who are interested in getting involved more with ISL Soc. We would appreciate if you could notify us of your attendance by email no later than 1pm Monday of the meeting you wish to attend. If you forget to do that, no problem, come along anyways; don't be shy.

Social Sign Language Class: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 30th October 2018

Weekly Social Sign Language Class. Great opportunity to learn social sign language. Please note to get your levels in sign language, which you require to be an interpreter; you MUST attend the Sign Language classes hosted by the Students Union. Every Week until the 27th November except for 20th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

Our committee meetings are open to all our members who are interested in getting involved more with ISL Soc. We would appreciate if you could notify us of your attendance by email no later than 1pm Monday of the meeting you wish to attend. If you forget to do that, no problem, come along anyways; don't be shy.

Social Sign Language Class: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 06th November 2018

Weekly Social Sign Language Class. Great opportunity to learn social sign language. Please note to get your levels in sign language, which you require to be an interpreter; you MUST attend the Sign Language classes hosted by the Students Union. Every Week until the 27th November except for 20th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

Our committee meetings are open to all our members who are interested in getting involved more with ISL Soc. We would appreciate if you could notify us of your attendance by email no later than 1pm Monday of the meeting you wish to attend. If you forget to do that, no problem, come along anyways; don't be shy.

Social Sign Language Class: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

Weekly Social Sign Language Class. Great opportunity to learn social sign language. Please note to get your levels in sign language, which you require to be an interpreter; you MUST attend the Sign Language classes hosted by the Students Union. Every Week until the 27th November except for 20th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

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Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th November 2018

Our committee meetings are open to all our members who are interested in getting involved more with ISL Soc. We would appreciate if you could notify us of your attendance by email no later than 1pm

Monday of the meeting you wish to attend. If you forget to do that, no problem, come along anyways; don't be shy.



DEAF TALKS 2019 AGENDA

SESSION 1
OPENING ADDRESS
NUI GALWAY PRESIDENT CLARA O'ROGARTHAIGH
10:15 - 10:30 AM

MICHAEL REILLY
STUDENTS UNION PRESIDENT NUI GALWAY
10:30 - 10:45 AM

DR KEVIN DAVEN
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION NUI GALWAY
10:45 - 11:00 AM

WELDA BYRNE
ACCESS OFFICE NUI GALWAY
11:00 - 11:15 AM

DEAF REPRESENTATIONS IN FOYER
11:15 - 11:30 AM

DETECTIVE ANDREW DEARY
"A FATHER'S JOURNEY IN FAILURE"
11:30 - 11:45 AM

CAMERON DAYLON & BEILEY DAYLON
"SORRY TEACHER, I COULDN'T SEE YOUR TONE OF VOICE"
11:45 - 12:00 PM

JONATHAN MITCHELL
"WHY DO EDUCATION?"
12:00 - 12:15 PM

PROF. ELONOR FLINN
"ACADEMICS SUPPORTING ACTIVITIES: THE WORK OF THE CENTER FOR
DISABILITY LAW AND POLICY"
12:15 - 12:30 PM

LUNCH
IN MURPHY'S ROOM
12:45 - 1:15 PM

SESSION 2
DR NORA O'CONNELL
"IRISH SIGN LANGUAGE AND POLITICS OF BELONGING"
1:15 - 1:30 PM

PAULA JENNINGS (MA HEALTH PROMOTION, BA PSYCHOLOGY)
"EDUCATION AS A SOCIAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH: EXPLORING THE
BARRIERS TO EDUCATION FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES"
1:30 - 1:45 PM

CATRIONA O' BRYEN, TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN
IRISH SIGAS: BILINGUALISM, SOCIAL CAPITALISM AND IDENTITY IN HEARING
AND DEAF CULTURAL WORLDS"
1:45 - 2:00 PM

OWEN MAC AN BUAIRD (IF M.E.D.)
"SCHOOL OF DISABILITY"
2:00 - 2:15 PM

OPEN DISCUSSION
2:15 - 2:30 PM

CLOSING
2:30 - 2:45 PM

Social Sign Language Class: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th November 2018

Weekly Social Sign Language Class. Great opportunity to learn social sign language. Please note to get your levels in sign language, which you require to be an interpreter; you **MUST** attend the Sign Language classes hosted by the Students Union. Every Week until the 27th November except for 20th November 2018

Hearing with your eyes - Art exhibition: Arts & Culture » James Hardiman Library » 02nd December

2018

Tines: 2nd - 10am-5pm & 3rd 10am-5pm in December The theme is: "An Exhibition of Exploring the Perceptions of Sound by Deaf/HoH students". It will be a good opportunity to take a few minutes break from your studying (for exams!!) and walk around the foyer looking at their work on display. So please pop in (and out) as often as you would like to. And feel free to send this onto anyone else you would like to (students, staff and the public inclusive).

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th January 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 21st January 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 28th January 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th February 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 11th February 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Deaf Talks: Educational » ILAS Building » 13th February 2019

Sign up here

Deaf Talks 2019: Seminar » Aras an Mac Leinn » 13th February 2019

Deaf talks 2019

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 18th February 2019

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Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th February 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

ISL Soc Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ILAS Building, Foyer » 01st March 2019

Committee meeting - to discuss conference being held on 13 February 2019 at ILAS.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th March 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 11th March 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th March 2019

Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

Social Sign Workshop: Classes » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st April 2019

Last workshop of the academic year!! We're going out to the pub, so come along and enjoy signing and drinking (whatever takes your fancy) and get your skates on. Join in to take part in social sign workshop to learn in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. Social Sign workshops will take place every Monday until the end of April 2019. Venue will change depending on what is available. Participants do not need to have any previous sign knowledge, and can dip in and out of the workshops as they wish.

AGM ISL Soc: Committee Meeting » Small Acoustic Room » 01st April 2019

Our annual meeting where a new committee is elected and the previous year's report is provided.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	3 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(4/5) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Irish Sign Language Society is a new society, aiming to provide access to all our students (and staff) to learn Irish Sign Language, the cultural aspects of the Deaf community and facilitating social sign

workshops for all. As NUI Galway is a diverse and inclusive university, a member of the University of Sanctuary our desire is to open student life, community life and education to Deaf students. This will be a safe space where diverse, inclusive practices are held sacred.

Types of social sign language include (but are not limited to) dining out, sign language in sport, going to the club/pub, attending workshops, travel in all its forms, to name a few. In addition, there are several websites where you are able to pick up basic sign language e.g. www.learnirishsignlanguage.ie
So if you are interested in social sign language, Deaf culture or a more diverse university, please join us.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The aims, objectives and goals of Irish Sign Language Society are varied, forward thinking and diverse.

1. Promoting the use and knowledge of sign language as a means of communication with Deaf sign language users.
2. To raise awareness of Irish Sign Language.
3. Working towards equality for Deaf and hearing students. This will include workshops with members of the Deaf community in Ireland.
3. Provide activities that strive to be educational and recreational.
4. Providing access to social sign language workshops for those who want to learn.
5. Creating a fun environment to learn a new language, improve awareness skills and meet new people for students (and staff). It is not necessary to have a prior knowledge of Irish Sign Language (or any other sign language) to participate.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Irish Sign Language Society in its infancy took off running! The excellent work done by the committee allowed for a wide range of events and workshops. The members of the society that attended workshops were really working towards understanding Deaf culture and basic social signs. Those who participated in the workshops had a relaxed, fun and entertaining time.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

ISL Soc certainly worked towards achieving its aims, objectives and goals. Our activities focused on participants learning about Deaf culture and Deaf awareness. Providing a safe, relaxed atmosphere where our members could participate in learning has been the main objective that we achieved. Next year we will continue in this vein and hope to run a campaign on campus raising awareness of Irish Sign Language.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The Art exhibition where we displayed work that was done by Deaf students from around Ireland. Some of our members attended the exhibition that was located in the foyer of the James Hardiman Library in December = this was held on the same day as the International Day for Persons with Disabilities. It was well attended by our members, staff and other students. We put up sheets requesting comments from people that had attended the event. The comments received were extremely diverse, but the overarching comments looked for more of the same. So next year, we will work towards a bigger and more diverse Art Exhibition.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The DeafTalks Conference that we held in the ILAS. As with all conferences, many things can go wrong on the day. This day was no exception. However it was a steep learning curve and we have learned from our mistakes this year. We have already commenced working on the conference for next year.

Irish Sign Language Outgoing Committee

Name: Michelle Mitchell **Position:** Auditor

Name: Saoirse Connolly **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Neill Ni Chonlain **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Jonathan Mitchell **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Jason Sherlock **Position:** Secretary

Irish Sign Language Incoming Committee

Name: Michelle Mitchell **Position:** Auditor

Name: Owen Mac an Bhaird **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Jonathan Mitchell **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Jason Sherlock **Position:** Secretary
Name: Israel Balogun **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Neill Ni Chonlain **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Irish Sign Language Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€51.28
USC Grant	€500.00	Dinner/Food	€111.50
		Fundraising / Charity	€7.5
		Materials	€37.65
		Printing	€90.45
		Promotions	€20.40
		Socs day expenses	€34
		Expenditure Total	€352.78
		Closing Bank Balance	€147.22
Total	€500	Total	€500

Alive Certificate Recipients

Neill Ni Chonlain	85 hrs	Events Manager
Michelle Mitchell	250 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 335 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 8 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 516.

Islamic Society

We aim to facilitate, serve and represent all Muslim students and staff on campus, and provide a platform for the Muslim community in NUIG to get together. University is a time of academic, social, spiritual and personal development - The NUIG Islamic Society aims to further facilitate this development while keeping the ultimate goal of **pleasing Allah** in sight. We are open to all - Muslims and non-muslims alike. So no matter who you are or where you are from, we hope that you will find a home in the Islamic Society.



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CHARITY DINNER 2019

Islamic Society Events list (42 Individual Events)

FRIDAY FOOTBALL: Sport » Corrib Cages » 21st September 2018

Assalamu Alaykum and welcome back! Come and join the brothers for a game of football this Friday, 21st of September, at 5pm in the Corrib Cages. See you all there!

WELCOMING PARTY & EGM: Social » Room 2002, Engineering Building » 27th September

Assalamu Alaykum We are starting off this year with a huge welcoming party! This is a great chance for new & existing members to come and get to know the committee and other members. We will also be having our EGM at this party - where we will be electing new members for our committee. There are LOTS of positions open for those of you who would like to join our committee and help organise & run events! We'll be discussing all the amazing events that we have planned for the year, and there will be lots of pizza, drinks and much much more!



Looking forward to seeing you all there, Insha'Allah!

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 05th October 2018

Life of Prophet Nuh (AS): Educational » Eng 2002 » 11th October 2018

Join us this Thursday as we learn about the life of Prophet Noah (AS), one of the great Prophets & Messengers of Allah (swt). We will be watching a short video on the life of Prophet Noah (AS) Insha'Allah, which will be followed by a fun quiz (There are prizes to be won)!!

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 12th October 2018

Sisters Self Care Evening: Social » Eng 2002 » 18th October 2018

This will be a small get together for girls. We're going to be having henna, face-masks, board games and pizza. You can also bring some food to share with everyone.

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 19th October 2018

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 26th October 2018

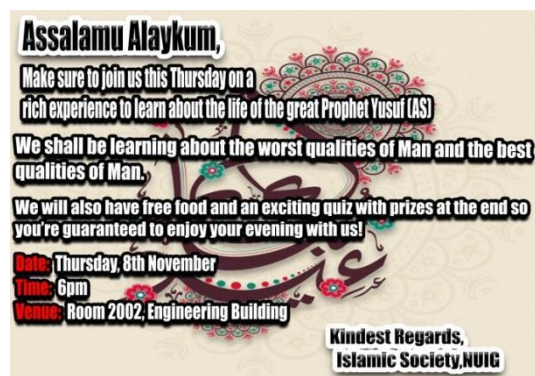
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 02nd November 2018

STORY OF PROPHET YOUSEF (AS): Educational » Eng 2002 » 08th November 2018

Assalamu Alaykum! Yousef (AS) is revered for his noble character, patience and outstanding beauty. The story of his life is tremendously rich in lessons and morals - Allah (swt) refers to the story of Yousef as "the most excellent of stories" - Qur'an (12:3) This timeless story not only captures human weaknesses such as jealousy, cruelty, deception and pride – it also showcases noble human qualities such as patience, forgiveness, resilience, bravery, honesty, and compassion. We get the opportunity to see how a Prophet of Allah (swt) deals with issues that we also face in our day-to-day lives! Make sure you join us next Thursday as we learn about the outstanding story of Prophet Yousef (AS) and move with him through the years of his life as he arms himself with patience, bravery and faith - and in the end, emerges

victorious. We will also have free food and an exciting quiz with prizes at the end so you're guaranteed to enjoy your evening with us! 😊

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 09th November 2018
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 16th November 2018
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 23rd November 2018
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 30th November 2018



Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 07th December 2018
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 14th December 2018
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 11th January 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 18th January 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 25th January 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 01st February 2019

Story of Omar Ibn Al-Khattab (RA): Educational » Eng 2002 » 07th February 2019

Omar Ibn Al-Khattab (RA) was the second Caliph of Islamic State, setting an example of an ideal leader. Join us to learn more about the life of Omar Ibn Al-Khattab (RA)

followed by a short quiz. There will be snacks and prizes to be won!

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 08th February 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 15th February 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 22nd February 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 01st March 2019
Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 08th March 2019

CHARITY DINNER: Charity » Bailey Allen Hall Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th March 2019



Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 15th March 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 22nd March 2019

AGM: Other » Eng 2002 » 27th March 2019

End Of The Year AGM

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 29th March 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 05th April 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 12th April 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 19th April 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 26th April 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 03rd May 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 10th May 2019

Iftar potluck: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn » 10th May 2019

Iftar potluck on May 10 2019 at Aras Na maclein

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 17th May 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 24th May 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 31st May 2019

Football: Sport » Kingfisher » 07th June 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(9/9) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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We aim to facilitate, serve and represent all Muslim students and staff on campus, and provide a platform for the Muslim community in NUIG to get together.

University is a time of academic, social, spiritual and personal development - The NUIG Islamic Society aims to further facilitate this development while keeping the ultimate goal of **pleasing Allah** in sight.

We are open to all - Muslims and non-muslims alike. So no matter who you are or where you are from, we hope that you will find a home in the Islamic Society.

Aims Objectives & Goals

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- Bring the community together to help those that are in need via events such as the **Charity Dinner**
- Host informative & thought provoking events that leave an impact
- Organise fun social outings that bring members together
- Promote the society as a gateway to building long-lasting friendship

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society was successful in being the representative of Muslims on campus. We were also able to provide a platform for both Muslims & non-muslims to get together via events such as football, video & quiz events, and the charity dinner. We could improve in the future by hosting more events more frequently. We can also "advertise" ourselves more to the general student (and staff) body. This could be done by setting up more info stalls, donation stalls & holding joint events with other societies.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

In respect of the first statement: bringing the community together to help others, we were able to achieve this via our Yemen Charity dinner where we had a record turnout and raised record funds for our cause.

With respect to the second statement, we had mixed results. While we did hold events pertaining to Islamic history we could have made them more engaging by opening discussions about it. Additionally, we could have organized events specific to holding discussions.

The society members organized weekly football games that did manage to bring together many society and even nonsociety members. We are looking forward to continue hosting these games next year. We will also be looking to hold additional outing events next year.

For me personally, and others as well the football games did build friendships. Specifically the members of the committee also built friendships.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

We were able to organize a charity event bigger than previous years. There were hiccups but overall our ability to coordinate with each other led to a successful event.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

I believe our biggest challenge is to attract more participants in our events. Usually only a small fraction of members show up to our events. We can change this by holding more diverse events. Additionally, we should be more aggressive with advertising our events. We have not used social media to its full potential this year and next year this will be rectified. We should also make our events more engaging.

Islamic Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Omar Aldhafeeri **Position:** Auditor

Name: Masooma Ijaz **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Kinza Tabassum **Position:** Secretary

Name: Hasnain Zeeshan **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Hasan Ashraf **Position:** OCM

Name: Naemah Gashash **Position:** OCM

Name: Youssef Kandeel **Position:** OCM

Name: Muhammad Ahsan **Position:** Graphic Designer

Name: Hira Mahmood **Position:** Events Manager

Islamic Society Incoming Committee

Name: Omar Aldhafeeri **Position:** Auditor
Name: Kinza Tabassum **Position:** Secretary
Name: Hasnain Zeeshan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Masooma Ijaz **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Ameer Farrukh **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Islamic Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,482.88	Bank charge	€7.85
Fundraising	€1,752.55	Dinner/Food	€504.74
Sponsorship	€250.00	Entertainment	€98.00
USC Grant	€750.00	Fundraising / Charity	€1,702.55
		Gifts	€120
		Materials	€126.15
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€12.62
		Prizes	€13
		Returned Socs Money	€1028.91
		Speaker accomm	€84.95
		Speaker travel	€71.73
		Expenditure Total	€3770.5
		Cash In Hand	€37.55
		Closing Bank Balance	€1427.38
Total	€5235.43	Total	€5235.43

Alive Certificate Recipients

Maryam Mahmood	0 hrs	OCM
Nosheen Shafique	20 hrs	OCM
Hasan Ashraf	20 hrs	OCM
Masooma Ijaz	200 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Hira Mahmood	100 hrs	Events Planner
Kinza Tabassum	200 hrs	Secretary
Muhammad Ahsan	0 hrs	Graphic Designer
Ahmed Eltayeb	40 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Omar Aldhafeeri	260 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 840 Participants: 9

Other Information

We held 8 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 198.

ISS International Students Society

International Student Society aims to welcome, integrate, and help students adapt to their new adventure in Ireland. We aim to immerse international students into the Irish culture through trips around Ireland, social events, and partnering with other societies on events that promote intercultural exchanges. We also provide a space and opportunity to share one's own culture and experiences. We want to ensure that international students get the most out of their time in Ireland, by ensuring they have fun and meet many new people from all over the world.

ISS is made up of international students studying at NUI Galway! It also consists of returning Irish students from their study abroad experience.

What better way is there to get to know people from different cultures while playing games and going on trips!

Collage to summarize our events

ISS International Students Society Events list (23 Individual Events)



Buddy Training: Educational » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 03rd September 2018

Training for the Buddy Programme.

River Corrib Boat Tour: Health & Lifestyle » Galway, Corrib Princess, Corrib Princess » 07th September 2018

Hi everyone, We are having a Corrib Princess boat Tour. Tickets are on sale from Socs Box now.

Buddy Training: Educational » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 10th September 2018

Training for the Buddy Programme.

AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 12th September 2018

Committee Meeting to elect new Members to the committee.

Party Tour: Social » College Bar (SULT) » 15th September 2018

Come on a party tour of Galway to see the best places to have a pint, dance, and meet friends.

International Students Mixer: Gatherings » Galway, Galway, Busker Brownes » 20th September 2018



Hi everyone! We are having a Student Mixer in Busker Brownes at 9pm on Thursday the 20th of September. Looking forward to seeing you all there. :)

Pub Quiz: Entertainment » Galway, Busker Brownes, Busker Brownes » 05th October 2018

Hi everyone, We are having a Quiz Night in Busker Brownes at 7pm. There will be loads of prizes and free food! ;)

Clifden: Social » Galway, Clifden, Busker Brownes » 13th October 2018

Hi everyone, Our annual trip to Clifden is being held on this day. We are leaving quad at 9am for a trip to Clifden and will be back at 5pm. Tickets are 20 euros and are available from the Web Store and from Socs Box now.

Oktoberfest In October: Social » Galway, Galway City, Busker Brownes » 18th October 2018

ISS are collaborating with German Soc to bring you the long awaited for Oktoberfest at Busker Brownes from 8pm! There will be German music, dance, food and drink.

Halloween Party "Día De Los Muertos": Arts & Culture » College Bar (SULT) » 30th October 2018

ISS is hosting their annual Halloween Party and this year the theme is "Día De Los Muertos". It is fancy dress and there are two prizes for the best costume on the night! After SULT closes we will continue onto Busker Brownes where there will be free finger food.



International Student Forum 2018: Arts & Culture » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th November 2018

Hi everyone, The Irish Council for International Students (ICOS), in conjunction with the Union of Students of Ireland (USI), are organizing a series of international student forums to provide a platform for international students from different colleges across Ireland to meet, share experiences and discuss issues that are impacting them. The Galway forum is taking place in NUIG on Wednesday, 14th November! We will be attending and we hope to see you there

Cliffs of Moher: Other » Kingfisher » 17th November 2018

Hi everyone! ISS are having their annual trip to the Cliffs of Moher. The tickets are 18 euros per person and available from the online link below and Socs Box. We are meeting at the Kingfisher at 7am and will be back in

Galway around 4pm. There are a limited amount of online tickets (20) so please get them before they sell out.

https://socsbox.nuigalway.ie/index.php?route=product%2Fproduct&path=60&product_id=293&fbclid=IwAR3ZZ9yz487k1pQpJkD7FnZqGTOWYoZRTm1M1yU9HYYahzITbNSJebhXFIg

International Potluck Dinner: Social » Hub » 07th December 2018

Hi everyone, we are having an International Potluck Dinner in the Hub, in Áras na Mac Léinn from 5 to 7 on the 7th of December!

International Get Together: Gatherings » Galway, Busker Brownes, Busker Brownes » 22nd January 2019

Hi everyone! The International Students Society is back with one of our amazing nights in Busker Brownes this coming Tuesday the 22nd of January from 7pm. We are really looking forward to seeing you there :)

EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn, Meeting room 1 » 29th January 2019

Hi everyone, ISS is electing new committee members for semester 2. If you are interested please come along, if you have any questions please pop by our table on Socs day or email us. :)

Belfast Tickets are Available: Trips » Galway, Galway, 18 Distillery Rd., NUI Galway » 31st January 2019

Tickets Going Live! Buy it here!

Belfast Trip: Trips » United Kingdom, Belfast, NUI » 15th February 2019

Belfast Trip!

German Movie Night: Film » Arts Millennium Building » 26th February 2019

We are having a German Movie night next week, Tuesday the 26th of February at 7:30 In the Arts Millennium (Room AM 110) ☺ Going to be a nice chill evening, Hope you can make it 🍕 (There will be pizza 🍷)

Captain Marvel 3D Ticket Sale - 50 Tickets: Film » Galway, Galway, Eye Cinema » 07th March 2019

Captain Marvel Movie: 12th March 2019 Time: 13.40 Location: Eye Cinema Format: 3D Price: 6.50 euros per person https://socsbox.nuigalway.ie/index.php?route=product/product&product_id=330

Ireland v France Rugby Match: Sport » Galway, Galway City, Busker Brownes » 10th March 2019

ISS are going to watch the Ireland v France Rugby Match on Sunday the 10th of March in Busker Brownes. Kick off is at 3pm with free finger food provided. :)

Captain Marvel 3D: Film » Galway, Galway City, Eye cinema » 12th March 2019

ISS is going to see Captain Marvel in 3D this Tuesday the 12th of March at 13:40pm in the Eye Cinema. Tickets are 6.50 euros and are available from Socs Box.

Fundraising Table Quiz with German Soc: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 21st March 2019

We are organizing a table quiz in aid of Cope Galway and Galway Rape Crisis. These are very good causes and I hope you will come to support. On the 21st March at 8pm in the College Bar. €5 per person

and 4 people to a table max (€20 per table)It will be such a great night and really good craic and sure look there are heaps of prizes so there's no harm in entering 😊

AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 03rd April 2019

AGM to elect new members to ISS

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	15 society committee members with questions answered	15 Total society committee members	(15/15) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The general aim of the International Student Society is to enhance the experience of international students here at NUI Galway. We work to organise events/trips that enables them to meet other international/Erasmus students and also give them the opportunity to integrate with Irish students. We also aim to give them a real taste of Irish culture and help them adjust to life in Ireland.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Being part of the committee, I aim to provide international students with the best study abroad year possible through diverse events such as:

Weekly mixers

Trips away to Irish places of interest (e.g. Kylemore Abbey, Belfast etc.)

Collaborations with other societies (especially cultural e.g. German and French soc)

Fun and creative events such as karaoke, photo competitions, potluck dinners, table quiz.

I would hope to have the majority of these achieved by the first semester, but if needs be the second semester works perfectly fine too.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This is society did really great considering we got around 800+ more members to join us. We involved many societies to our events like German Soc, Photo Soc, India Soc, Business Analytics Soc, DJ Soc. Our collaborations helped us bring more societies under one roof making us a highlight throughout the college. We also had many categories of events like weekly mixers, karaoke, photo competition, quiz night, trips, movie nights. One of the major highlights was our trip to Belfast which caught the attention of international office as well.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we achieved all of them in both the semesters.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Multiple collaborations with societies around the campus and arranging a successful trip to Belfast at the cheaper cost of 55 euros. We consider Belfast trip to be a success as the tickets went out of stock in just 30 minutes of opening the sale.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our team was good enough to manage all the challenges but one challenge was to get the cost down of trips to as minimum as possible so that society members can get benefits out of it. I feel we did justice to this challenge.

ISS International Students Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Kate Burns **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Daniel McFadden **Position:** International Students Officer
Name: Laura Laird **Position:** OCM
Name: Aparna Pandey **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Sinead Vaughan **Position:** Secretary
Name: Emma Sweeney **Position:** OCM
Name: Jaime Castaño Hernández **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Siddhant Mohapatra **Position:** Auditor

Name: Arjeet Sharma **Position:** Vice-Treasurer
Name: Sadhbh Ni Nuallain **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Maeve Charles **Position:** Health and Safety Officer
Name: Sian McGarel **Position:** Secretary
Name: Dhaval Salwala **Position:** OCM
Name: Kinga Piekarczyk **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Kiera Mahon **Position:** OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)

ISS International Students Society Incoming Committee

Name: Aparna Pandey **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Mansi Kesarwani **Position:** Secretary
Name: Daniel McFadden **Position:** Auditor
Name: Michael Doolan **Position:** PRO
Name: Joseph Howard **Position:** Treasurer

ISS International Students Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,896.92	Bank charge	€16.25
Ecommerce Sales	€2,684	Entertainment	€116.93
USC Grant	€3,000.00	Hire Bus	€2,740.42
		Hoodies	€265.68
		Society accomm	€1674.89
		Expenditure Total	€4874.17
		Closing Bank Balance	€2766.75
Total	€7,580.92	Total	€7,580.92

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ryan Spencer	11 hrs	Volunteer
Neringa Gerdvilaite	4 hrs	Volunteer
Jacinta Long	6 hrs	Volunteer
Dhaval Salwala	30 hrs	OCM
Sadhbh Ni Nuallain	20 hrs	Treasurer
Louise Vaughan	0 hrs	PRO
Maeve Charles	20 hrs	Health and Safety Officer
Aparna Pandey	86 hrs	Events Manager
Deirdre McCabe	5 hrs	Volunteer
Laura Laird	20 hrs	OCM
Kiera Mahon	12 hrs	OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)
Emma Sweeney	25 hrs	OCM
Siddhant Mohapatra	300 hrs	Auditor
Sinead Vaughan	200 hrs	Secretary
Jaime Castao Hernandez	0 hrs	Events Manager
Kinga Piekarczyk	2 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Sian McGarel	30 hrs	Secretary
Norma O'Brien	12 hrs	Volunteer
Michelle Fitzgerald	10 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 793 Participants: 19

Other Information

We held 15 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1131.

Italian Soc

The Italian Society this year was very enjoyable, fun-filled, and memorable. As Secretary of the society for the academic year 2018/2020, I had so much fun, and I felt that the society was more organized and



numerous, along with proactive this year compared to last year. We were quite a small group, with a newly-formed committee, but the time with the society proved very meaningful and worthwhile to me! The Italian Society is great because it opens an entire avenue of knowledge, curiosity and homeliness to anyone willing to understand more and immerse themselves in Italian culture, food, and indeed, people! What I loved most about the Italian Society this year, was that it was a small and cosy safe place, yet at the same time hub of enjoyment where mostly, NUIG's Italian Erasmus student could find a weekly slot to feel a little closer to home! For me, I loved this because I am a student of Italian here at NUIG, and I made many links with some wonderful Italian people in the society! Due to our small size, we didn't have many glamorous events, or

very frequent ones, also because we were only founded quite late during the second semester. The majority of our events were film screenings and cuisine nights, which took place in a strictly, Italian-only fashion! The photo I have included below is one from one of these mentioned cuisine nights, and I feel it demonstrates the warm atmosphere and fun experienced within our society! I unfortunately did not include a group photo of the society, as we have none currently, due to our small size!

Getting Into The Spirit of Things!

Italian Soc Events list (7 Individual Events)

EGM & Pizza Night: Arts & Culture » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 20th September 2018

Ciao! Looking to get involved in college life? Being a part of a society is a great opportunity! As this year is a fresh start for Italian Society, we are looking to elect new committee members. Come along and have some free pizza too! *you do not need to speak Italian or have been to Italy to join. All you need is a passion for Italian language or culture.



EGM and Meeting: Other » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 11th February 2019

Ciao amici, after some time, an agreement has been reached to revive the Italian society with a brand new vision! Join us for our EGM on Monday 11th Feb @ 7pm in The Arts Room (Áras na mac Léinn) (Pizza obviously included) Viva L'Italia!

Film Screening: La Vita è Bella: Film » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 19th February 2019

An official debut for the newly revived Italian society! We begin our journey with one of the great classics in Italian film: "La Vita è Bella" (Life is Beautiful)

Italian Cuisine Night: Arts & Culture » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th February 2019

A deliciously magical exploration "behind the scenes" of Italian food all its way from the kitchen to the table. Event facilitated and hosted by our committee's fully certified Italian chef.

Film Screening: Cinema Paradiso: Film » SC003 - THOMAS DILLON THEATRE » 06th March 2019

The highly successful Italian classic film returns: "Cinema Paradiso".

Film Screening: "Benvenuti al Sud": Film » SC003 - THOMAS DILLON THEATRE » 13th March 2019

Join us as we explore many of the cultural nuances of Northern and Southern Italy through the universal language of laughter!

Cuisine Night: Risotto: Arts & Culture » The Hub, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th March 2019

Yet another opportunity to experience the deliciousness of Italian culture with some authentic cuisine. This week is risotto!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	3 Total society committee members	(5/3) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our mission is to create a positive, safe and friendly environment for students who wish to explore the beauty of the Italian culture and/or language. We strive to do justice to the nation we seek to promote, embrace and represent, and ensure that we adhere to both Irish and Italian conventional standards.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to host a diverse range of events that will collectively explore various aspects of the Italian language and culture. These include but are not limited to film screenings, food parties, language groups, karaoke nights, social events and trips.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We acted in accordance with our mission statement in mind, providing a fun and safe environment for our members to experience the beauty of Italian culture and language. I believe the mission statement encapsulates the essence of the vision we have created for the society, of which we are well on the path to making.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We successfully set the gears back in motion having had a consistent streak of events since the revival of the society. We believe our efforts were successful in giving people the opportunity to experience a taste of Italian culture through both food and film.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our cuisine nights gained the most traction as we successfully recreated authentic Italian dishes which was a fun and educational experience for both the committee and our members. We managed to utilise the various skills of our committee such as our executive chef for the benefit of the society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge was perhaps the delegation of work between committee members whilst finding a balance amidst the pressures of a busy student lifestyle.

Italian Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Ben O'Sullivan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Liam McUbbin-Cramton **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Joshua Breslin **Position:** Committee Advisor

Italian Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,096.99	Bank Charge	€30.20
		Dinner/Food	€321.19
USC Grant	€500.00	Returned Socs Money	€500.00
		Expenditure Total	€851.39
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€745.6
Total	€1596.99	Total	€1596.99

Alive Certificate Recipients

Rachele Mazzini	20 hrs	OCM
Elisa Marzocchi	10 hrs	OCM

Total Hours 30 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 483.

Journalism Society

Our society shone this year, winning the Phoenix award at the Socs Ball for good reason. Our dedicated committee organised complete and thorough coverage of the Student Union Elections, as well as putting forwards satirical nominees of our own, for example Smokey the pigeon for Education officer, and the Big Yellow Thing for welfare and equality, which went down a storm on social media. We (namely Georgia Griffin and Scott Green) hosted their own radio show on Flirt Fm every Wednesday called Illuminaughty with different guests on each time from all departments of the university. We facilitated a space for writers to gather together and continually held committee meetings to ensure productivity. We also published reviews from various different societies and articles ranging from skincare to horoscope spoofs.



Journos winning the Phoenix Award

Journalism Society Events list (91 Individual Events)

Journos Media EGM: Other » Meeting Rooms 1 and 2 » 17th September 2018

At our EGM, members get the chance to sign up, to get involved with some fun fucking journalism, and to eat good food and drink refreshments. The roles available are: Vice Auditor Secretary Treasurer Ordinary Committee Members (OCMs) Editor of Academics Editor of Arts and Culture Editor of Food and Wellbeing Editor of Irish Editor of Lifestyle, Entertainment, Sex Editor of Politics Editor of Societies Film & Photography Officer Social Media Officer Note that the Secretary and Treasurer can also take on Editorships if elected.

Writers Room: Workshops » Conference Room, Bank of Ireland, Arts Concourse » 27th September 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 27th September 2018

Join Journos at our weekly meeting! We discuss what our next projects will be, and assign work to our contributors who include writers, journalists, photographers, and social media influencers. Free teas and coffees generously supplied by our sponsor, Food-space.

Writers Room: Workshops » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th October 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 04th October 2018

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Writers Room: Workshops » Conference Room, Bank of Ireland, Arts Concourse » 11th October 2018

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Writers Room: Workshops » Conference Room, Bank of Ireland, Arts Concourse » 18th October 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 18th October 2018

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Writers Room: Workshops » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th October 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 25th October 2018

Join Journos at our weekly meeting! We discuss what our next projects will be, and assign work to our contributors who include writers, journalists, photographers, and social media influencers. Free teas and coffees generously supplied by our sponsor, Food-space.

Halloween Murder Mystery Party: Social » IT202 » 31st October 2018

Join GiGSoc, Writers Soc, FemSoc, Video Game Soc and Media Soc as we celebrate Halloween with a night of intrigue, costumes, and murder.

Writers Room: Workshops » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 01st November 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 01st November 2018

Join Journos at our weekly meeting! We discuss what our next projects will be, and assign work to our contributors who include writers, journalists, photographers, and social media influencers. Free teas and coffees generously supplied by our sponsor, Food-space.

Writers Room: Workshops » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 08th November 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 08th November 2018

Join Journos at our weekly meeting! We discuss what our next projects will be, and assign work to our contributors who include writers, journalists, photographers, and social media influencers. Free teas and coffees generously supplied by our sponsor, Food-space.

Writers Room: Workshops » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 15th November 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 15th November 2018

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Writers Room: Workshops » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 22nd November 2018

Join MediaSoc, Writersoc, Dramsoc, and Filmsoc as we get together to write scripts for one-act plays, our radio play, and a short webseries. This room is split into groups and run like a professional Writers Room. Excellent experience in interactive writing + script development.

Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 22nd November 2018

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Writers Room: Workshops » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 29th November 2018

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Weekly Meeting: Gatherings » Friars, Cairnes Building » 29th November 2018

Join Journos at our weekly meeting! We discuss what our next projects will be, and assign work to our contributors who include writers, journalists, photographers, and social media influencers. Free teas and coffees generously supplied by our sponsor, Food-space.

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th January 2019

Writers' Room: Workshops » ac213 » 14th January 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 14th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th January 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 17th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 18th January 2019

Writers' Room: Workshops » ac213 » 21st January 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 21st January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd January 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 24th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th January 2019

Writers' Room: Workshops » ac213 » 28th January 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 28th January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th January 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 31st January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 31st January 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st February 2019

Writers' Room: Workshops » ac213 » 04th February 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 04th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 07th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th February 2019

Writers' Room: Workshops » ac213 » 11th February 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 11th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 14th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th February 2019

Writers' Room: Workshops » ac213 » 18th February 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 18th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 21st February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 21st February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd February 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 25th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 28th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 28th February 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st March 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 04th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th March 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 07th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th March 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 11th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th March 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 14th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th March 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 18th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th March 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 21st March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 21st March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd March 2019

Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 25th March 2019

Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th March 2019
Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 28th March 2019
Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 28th March 2019
Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th March 2019
Journalism AGM + Writers' Room: Gatherings » ac213 » 01st April 2019
Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 02nd April 2019
Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Friars, Cairnes Building » 04th April 2019
Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th April 2019
Audio Technicians Course: Workshops » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th April 2019
SMEDIAS Trip: Other » Dublin, Dublin, Aviva Stadium » 11th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	12 society committee members with questions answered	12 Total society committee members	(12/12) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To highlight the extensive culture of NUIG students in Galway. To put student voices forward for change and to be heard. To hone the writing skills of our participants and members.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- To reach our public with weekly, topical articles.
- To put on our radio show which will help us interact more with our audience.
- To hold our script writing workshop in collaboration with writer's society.
- To keep active on social media to keep the student body informed.
- To run cultural and informative events that celebrate NUIG's connection with people and our lives

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe we achieved most of our goals to the best of our ability, with weekly meetings and writer's rooms, active social media (including a branding team within the committee) as well as thorough coverage on events happening on campus. We collaborated with other socs such as Writer's soc and GIG soc to put out a publication and had a weekly radio show called Illuminaughty, put up as a podcast on Medium regularly for people to listen to afterwards.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We successfully held a radio show every week, committee meeting, and facilitated a writer's room workshop. We posted every article posted on our social media and sorted out our Medium page so it was more readily accessible to students. We held a Murder Mystery Night on Halloween in collaboration with Writer's soc, although more events could've been organised. We published reviews from other societies and also produced many various articles on topics that students could relate to, for example skincare.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I would regard our success at never ceasing our meetings, our articles, or our radio show throughout the year. We all worked consistently and I am very proud of the society and what it has accomplished throughout the year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was reaching the student body, as our articles are hosted by a third party website unknown by many people. To overcome this, we spread our content out over Instagram, Twitter and Facebook, enabling us to connect with as many students as possible.

Journalism Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Ruth Sweeney	Position: Auditor
Name: Hayley Little	Position: Editor of Food and Wellbeing
Name: Huriel Toko	Position: Vice-Auditor
Name: Amber Dowling	Position: Secretary
Name: Emily Atkinson	Position: Editor for Academics
Name: Gemma Kent	Position: Editor of Lifestyle Entertainment and Sex
Name: Scott Green	Position: Events Manager
Name: Georgia Griffin	Position: OCM
Name: Corragh-May White	Position: Editor of Arts and Culture
Name: Katherine Brasseur	Position: Brand Management Officer
Name: Finn Morris	Position: Editor for Irish
Name: Ashyle-Claire Cota	Position: Treasurer

Journalism Society Incoming Committee

Name: Katherine Brasseur	Position: Auditor
Name: Amber Dowling	Position: Vice-Auditor
Name: Rachel Moran	Position: Pet Appreciation Officer
Name: Ashyle-Claire Cota	Position: Treasurer

Journalism Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€674.67	Bank charge	€30.30
Members Contributions	€152.17	Dinner/Food	€173.97
Socs box Till	€2,640.00	Entry fees	€70.00
USC Grant	€2,000.00	Equipment misc	€95.00
		Postage	€5
		Services Hired	€3628.56
		Society accomm	€156
		Society transport	€103.8
		Expenditure Total	€4262.63

		Closing Bank Balance	€1204.21
Total	€5466.84	Total	€5466.84

Alive Certificate Recipients

Gemma Kent	200 hrs	Editor of Lifestyle Entertainment and Sex
Georgia Griffin	300 hrs	OCM
Emily Atkinson	150 hrs	Editor for Academics
Morgan Sweeney	500 hrs	Auditor
Finn Morris	200 hrs	Editor for Irish
Scott Green	400 hrs	Events Manager
Amber Dowling	300 hrs	Secretary
Corragh White	300 hrs	Editor of Arts and Culture

Total Hours 2350 Participants: 8

Other Information

We held 23 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 443.

Law Soc



Law Soc Events list (59 Individual Events)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 10th September 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Societies Day: Gatherings » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th September 2018

Society's day so as to recruit new society members and to promote the society

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 17th September 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Meet and Greet: Other » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 19th September 2018

Meet and Greet with the Law Society

Societies Training Day: Training » TBD-Meet at Smokeys » 21st September 2018

Society training

Careers in Law Week: Careers » Bailey Allen Hall » 24th September 2018

Week to help students to connect with prospective employers and to get a feel for what a career in law entails.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 24th September 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

EGM: Gatherings » Kirwan Theatre » 26th September 2018

EGM to elect committee positions

John O'Shea Guest Speaker: Guest Speakers » IT125G » 27th September 2018

John O'Shea from Goal will be giving a short talk with refreshments after the event.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 01st October 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

A&L Goodbody Full Disclosure: Careers » IT250 (IT Building) » 03rd October 2018

A&L Goodbody full disclosure Q&A on everything from how to get an internship to becoming a partner.

A&L Goodbody application review: Careers » Career Development Centre » 04th October 2018

This event is a booking only event in collaboration with our title sponsors A&L Goodbody in which they review the application of a candidate applying for either their internship or trainee programs.

Arthur Cox Insight Night: Careers » IT125G » 08th October 2018

Arthur Cox are hosting an insight night with a reception after the event.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 08th October 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Sean Gallagher Talk: Guest Speakers » TBC » 11th October 2018

Sean Gallagher talk co-hosted by finance society

Committee Bonding: Committee Meeting » Galway, Galway City, Skeff Bar » 11th October 2018

Committee bonding night so as all the members of the committee get to know each other

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 15th October 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 22nd October 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 29th October 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 05th November 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Law Ball: Social » Galway, Galway, the Clayton Hotel » 07th November 2018

The law ball social event with attendees including academic staff and students

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 12th November 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 19th November 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 26th November 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Magdalene Laundries Talk: Educational » TB301 » 27th November 2018

Discussion with survivors of the Magdalene Laundries.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 03rd December 2018

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

LawSoc International Trip: Trips » Hungary, budapest, full moon hostel » 08th January 2019

Abroad trip to Budapest organized by Trips Officer Niamh Lynch

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 14th January 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Arthur Cox CV Review Clinic *REGISTRATION ONLY*: Careers » Bank of Ireland Conference Room » 21st January 2019

REGISTER HERE > <https://doodle.com/poll/n2d9hiu3m4bdnmvg> Arthur Cox CV Review Clinic for all students, but especially anyone who is preparing their Summer Intern Applications at the moment. Meet with Eimear, the Grad Recruiter who will tell you exactly what areas to change or add to your CV to make sure you stand out from the crowd. Places are Very Limited so make sure to register ASAP. Make sure

you call by on Monday Evening for their Internship Information Evening, at 6pm in IT125G where you will learn about the Application Process and what the Summer Internship entails. Food and Drinks Reception follows later.

Arthur Cox Internship Presentation: Careers » IT125G » 21st January 2019

Arthur Cox Internship Presentation. Come meet with one of the country's largest law firms to learn about their Summer Internship Program and what it takes to become a successful application to Arthur Cox. There will also be a CV clinic earlier on that day.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 21st January 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Socs Day 2!: Gatherings » Bailey Allen Hall » 22nd January 2019

Socs Day 2. A day which new members can sign-up to the society.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 28th January 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

'Off The Cuff' with A&L Goodbody: Careers » AMB G-066 » 28th January 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 04th February 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Law Soc Meets the GSBA: Careers » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 05th February 2019

Law Soc are offering the opportunity to meet with local representatives from the GSBA who offer a unique insight into the life of a practitioner.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 11th February 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Understanding the FE1's with Val Corbett: Educational » AC202 » 18th February 2019

Val Corbett has agreed to come and give a unique insight into what the FE1 exams entail. This is a once off opportunity not to be missed or taken lightly.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 18th February 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Galway Open Matheson Debating Competition: Workshops » ARAS MOYOLA MY243 » 23rd February 2019

This year, the Galway Open (INLD for the oldies) will be held on February 23rd and 24th. The 2019 edition is organised by the Literary and Debating Society and the Law Society of NUIG and is kindly sponsored by Matheson. If you have any queries, feel free to message either LawSoc or Lit&Deb's Facebook page or directly Zoë Foures-Kurt or Isaac McNamara the Convenors for the 2019 edition. Looking forward to see you all!

TIMETABLE:

DAY 1 11:30 am-12:30 pm: reg 1 pm: round 13 pm: round 25 pm: round 38 pm: meeting at the hotel for sit-down dinner 9/9:30 pm: social

DAY 2 10-11 am: reg 11:30 am: round 4 12:30 pm: lunch 1:30 pm: round 5 3 pm: call 3:30 pm: SF and NF 5 pm: Finals 6:30 pm: Dinner 8:30 pm: Small social at bar

CAs: Juliette Barnes, Caoimhe Memey and Julie Davis

Equity officers: Ceci Foster, Molly Kavanagh and Eamon McPhillips

Equity Policy: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1T7mqxfeeZGMguAEk-ksTrCJxyPaHVuV6JiJHntC3psE/edit?fbclid=IwAR3KBvk8Tfmc5B8anAdLjxIntXWhsiJweLSN1s_iSaNCJ6h80GRiAEUdrKs

Google Maps with locations used this weekend: <https://goo.gl/maps/C43CXnzZik42>

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 25th February 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

LawSoc Careers Trip to Dublin: Trips » Dublin, Docklands, Dublin City, the generator hostel Dublin » 27th February 2019

What a fantastic trip we had in Dublin over the last days! We were delighted to have such an enthusiastic (and energetic!) group with us as we visited The Honorable Society of King's Inns, Careers at Matheson and Arthur Cox Trainee Programme on Wednesday, and spending Thursday at the Student Legal Convention In University College Dublin. Thanks to all those who attended and to The King's Inns, Matheson and Arthur Cox for having us. Thanks to the SLC organisers also for their fantastic event. We hope everyone enjoyed the trip. This brings the end to our trips for this year however we have lots of more events coming up.

LawSoc Welcomes the Supreme Court: Conference » Emily Anderson Concert Hall » 04th March 2019

Welcome the Irish Supreme Court

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 04th March 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 11th March 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

AGM! : Committee Meeting » SC003 - THOMAS DILLON THEATRE » 11th March 2019

AGM to elect our new committeeJoin us afterwards for a social event with free food.

Alternative Careers in Law: Educational » Aras Úi Chathail » 12th March 2019

Dr. Charles O'Mahony, head of the School of Law and Dr. Maureen O'Sullivan will talk about alternative career opportunities in Law, pursuing further studies and a great opportunity to ask questions..

Lecturers Social Insight Night: Seminar » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 12th March 2019

This Tuesday at 7pm in Aras Ui Cathaill we are delighted to be hosting a careers insight evening with our very own Lecturers from the Law School here in NUIG. Refreshments will be served afterwards and we hope to see you all there for one of our last events of the year!

Inaugural Matheson Mediation Competition: Educational » Cairns Building » 15th March 2019

A great start to the Bank Holiday Weekend! Thanks so much to those who competed in our Inaugural Mediation Competition this morning! An excellent learning opportunity and a great experience. Congratulations to Our Winners Sinead (€250 One4All), Patrick (€150 One4All) and Courtney (€100 One4All). Congrats also to our runners up! Thanks again to Careers at Matheson for their Sponsorship and their Support with our Competitions this year! A sincere thanks to Dr. Deirdre Curran, Dr. Connie Healy, Gearldine Grady and Pearse Walsh (Matheson) who were our Judges for the Day and our Actors Mel and Alex! Thanks also to Deirdre and Connie for their Training & Introduction to mediation last week.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 18th March 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Charity Quiz in aid of Galway Simon Community: Charity » Galway, Galway City, The Skeff, Eyre Square » 20th March 2019

Hi everyone, next Wednesday 20th of March we are holding our last social event of the year!!! :)We are hosting a Charity Table Quiz in aid of Galway Simon Community in The Skeff Late Bar & Kitchen at 7.30pm.Entries are 5 euro per person and spot prizes to be won!!Hope to see you all there in aid of a great cause!

NUI Galway LawSoc Tom O' Malley Moot Court Competition: Gatherings » Emily Anderson Concert Hall » 22nd March 2019

Competition Booklet: <https://goo.gl/mCHQEL>We are delighted to announce that Registration has opened for the Tom O'Malley Moot, sponsored by MathesonThe preliminary rounds for the Tom O'Malley Moot will take place on the 22nd of March.The final will take place on the 23rd of March.Venues and Times will be announced upon registration.Teams from all institutions are welcome to sign up. To register for this

competition please send an email to Isaac McNamara at i.mcnamara4@nuigalway.ie. Registration closes on 15th March at 5pm.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 25th March 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Human Rights Law and Direct Provision Talk: Guest Speakers » D'arcy Thompson Theatre » 28th March 2019

On March 28th, we will be hosting a panel discussion on human rights law and the direct provision system in Ireland. Panellists will include Lucky Khambule, head of Movement of Asylum Seekers Ireland; sociologist and LGBT rights activist Evgeny Shtorn; Bulelani Mfaco of MASI; Vukasin Nedeljkovic of Asylum Archive; and Irish Times journalist Sorcha Pollak. Come along if you would like to learn more about the direct provision system and about Irish immigration and human rights law.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 01st April 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 08th April 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 15th April 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 22nd April 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TB301 » 29th April 2019

Weekly committee meeting so as to evaluate progress towards committee goals and to keep up to date with events and to help facilitate planning of said events

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(7/10) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The main aim of the society is to promote career events and opportunities to our members in a fun and interactive way. Also we aim to help to humanise the daunting corporate world into which many of our members will have to enter in the coming years.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The main goals of this year is to successfully host a ball in which will help to promote our sponsors and the society in general. Also a big aim of this year is to host more events in general with an emphases on guest speakers.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our Society delivered effectively on our mission statement and we have put in place structures to build that in the coming years.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our Ball was a successful event both in terms of finance and enjoyment. We have had a number of events organised with sponsors and the Law School and again we are building towards next year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success no doubt has been recovering from last year's society's flaws, both in communication, camaraderie among the members and to restore respect to the society and hat it means.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge is dealing with numerous interested stakeholders in the society, from sponsors, employers and the Law School. Concurrently this can make communication difficult amongst members themselves organising it.

Law Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Cian O'Shaughnessy **Position:** Treasurer

Name: David Martin **Position:** Auditor

Name: Evelyn Burke **Position:** Social Secretary

Name: Edel O'Connor **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Niamh Lynch **Position:** Trips Officer

Name: Patrick McWalter **Position:** Careers Director

Name: Senan O'Reilly **Position:** ELSA Subcommittee President

Name: Ciaran Walsh **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Ellen O'Donovan **Position:** Equality Officer

Name: Diarmuid Occurraoin **Position:** Strategic Director

Law Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Niamh Lynch **Position:** Social Secretary

Name: Oisin O'Brien **Position:** Secretary

Name: Rebecca Cahill **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Emma Woulfe **Position:** Careers Director

Name: Emily Davis **Position:** ELSA Subcommittee President

Name: Anna Carroll **Position:** Speakers Convener

Name: Roisin O'Donoghue **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Ciaran Dixon **Position:** Competitions Convenor

Name: Sinead Jenkins **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Senan O'Reilly **Position:** Auditor

Name: Evelyn Burke **Position:** equality, compliance and guidance director

Law Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1.89	Ball	€3,249.54
Balls	€110.00	Bank charge	€75.60
Members Contributions	€1,887.00	Dinner/Food	€1,042.53
Socs box Till	€850.00	Entertainment	€50.00
Sponsorship	€8500.00	Entry fees	€309.00

USC Grant	€3,200.00	Fundraising / Charity	€201.50
		Printing	€9
		Prizes	€200
		Reception	€75
		Services Hired	€60
		Society accomm	€1624.2
		Society transport	€4799.62
		Speaker accomm	€396
		Speaker travel	€177.83
		Expenditure Total	€12,269.82
		Closing Bank Balance	€2,279.07
Total	€14,548.89	Total	€14,548.89

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ellen O'Donovan	30 hrs	Equality Officer
Emma Woulfe	20 hrs	Volunteer
Anna Carroll	30 hrs	Volunteer
Cian O'Shaughnessy	300 hrs	Treasurer

Total Hours 380 Participants: 4

Other Information

We held 32 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1322.

Life Soc

Life Society Events list (13 Individual Events)

Welcome @ AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 20th September 2018

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all our members, new and old to join us for our AGM. We will discuss what we did as a society last year, plans for this year & elect a new committee. We'll even have pizza so we'd love to see you there!

Guest Speaker: Guest Speakers » McMunn Theatre » 08th October 2018

Social outing to Escape Rooms: Social » Galway, Galway City, Great Escape Rooms, 27 Abbeygate Street Upper » 16th October 2018

Social Outing: Social » Galway, Galway Dominick st, Asylroom Escape Rooms » 17th October 2018

Gianna Care Information Evening: Seminar » Meeting Rooms 1 and 2 » 24th October 2018

Social Night: Social » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 08th November 2018

Join us for some light refreshments and socialising.

Meeting with Dr. Rita O'Connor and other guest: Guest Speakers » AM205, Arts Millenium Building » 22nd November 2018

Guest Speaker: Guest Speakers » Chapel Common Room » 28th November 2018

Tea & Coffee meeting with a well-known speaker

Christmas party: Social » Chapel Common Room » 05th December 2018

Social

Guest speakers: Guest Speakers » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 11th December 2018

Guest speakers

Training: Training » Dublin, Dublin 2, Life institute » 26th January 2019

chalk day: Entertainment » AM104, Arts Millennium Building » 14th February 2019

cake sale: Gatherings » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 15th March 2019

Cakesales

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	4 society committee members with questions answered	4 Total society committee members	(4/4) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

We aim to promote the pro life cause on campus.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Host a number of events with guest speakers. Host social events. Build a community of pro life students.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We did very well in improving pro life visibility on campus.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we held a number of events and created a community of pro life students.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Hosting an event with Eamon O'Cuiv TD which was very well attended.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

To continually find new students and to widen the community.

Life Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Teresa White **Position:** Contact

Name: Donal Cahill **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Sandra Parda **Position:** Auditor

Name: Naomi Tunstead **Position:** Treasurer

Life Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,142.05	Bank charge	€20.78
Members Contributions	€11.98	Dinner/Food	€334.50
		Entry fees	€30
		Materials	€80.34
		Reception	€174.25
		Speaker accomm	€298
		Stationary	€4.50
		Training	€24.49
		Expenditure Total	€966.86
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€187.17
Total	€1154.03	Total	€1154.03

Alive Certificate Recipients

Naomi Tunstead	40 hrs	Treasurer
Donal Cahill	12 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Total Hours 52 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 244.

Lit & Deb

Our society has fulfilled beyond our hopes and aspirations, holding debating workshops every Tuesday in preparation for our weekly topical debates. Our Galway Open Debating Competition was a major hit! Our successful collaboration with LawSoc and hard work by our committee members on this event led to a huge turnout and highly publicized event! We only hope that we can continue this competition as an annual tradition, as it only had a positive impact on our society as a whole.

Our Debating Competitions Draw in a Crowd!

Lit & Deb Events list (37 Individual Events)

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 11th September 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 11th September 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre



Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 18th September 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 25th September 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 02nd October 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 09th October 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 16th October 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 23rd October 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 30th October 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 06th November 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 13th November 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 20th November 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 27th November 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 04th December 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 11th December 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 18th December 2018

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

World University Debating Championships - Cape Town: Other » South Africa, Cape Town, UCT » 27th December 2018

The World University Debating Championships are taking place in Cape Town South Africa from the 27th of December to the 4th of January. The Literary and Debating Society will be sending a delegation to represent NUIG at this tournament.

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 15th January 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debate on the 27th Amendment: Guest Speakers » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 17th January 2019

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 22nd January 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 29th January 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

T.P O'Connor Night: Entertainment » Kirwan Theatre » 31st January 2019

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 05th February 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 12th February 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 18th February 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 19th February 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

The Galway Open 2019: Other » Cairnes » 23rd February 2019

Husting's: Other » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 28th February 2019

Debating Workshop: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 05th March 2019

Debating workshops run every Tuesday at 7pm in the Kirwan Theatre

EGM 2019: Other » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 07th March 2019

Come run for a new position!

This House Supports Socialism: Guest Speakers » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 07th March 2019

Join us in the Kirwan at 7pm for PMT and 8pm for our socialism debate!

Public Speaking Workshop: Training » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 12th March 2019

Weekly Public Speaking and Debate Workshops hosted by a number of guest teachers from all over Ireland.

This House Believes that Westminster has failed NI: Guest Speakers » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 14th March 2019

Public Speaking Workshop: Training » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 19th March 2019

Weekly Public Speaking and Debate Workshops hosted by a number of guest teachers from all over Ireland.

Internal Maidens Competition 2019: Classes » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 21st March 2019

Lit & Deb AGM 2019: Other » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 26th March 2019

This House Supports Third Wave Feminism: Guest Speakers » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 04th April 2019

Join us at 7pm in the Kirwan for PMT and 8pm for a fab evening of feminism!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	11 society committee members with questions answered	11 Total society committee members	(11/11) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The society aims to promote debating and discourse on campus. We hold weekly or fortnightly student debates which aim to raise awareness of topical issues and promote critical thinking within the student body.

We run workshops which aim to develop public speaking, debating, argument and rhetoric skills in students.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Within my own role, I would like to direct more funding towards external competitions outside of Ireland. I would also like to invest heavily in a training program which involves bringing in debaters from outside of NUIG to train our speakers.

I would like to begin to develop sponsorship opportunities for next year.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We succeeded in our aim to promote debating and discourse on campus.

We held fortnightly chamber debates which promoted awareness of topical issues and developed critical thinking skills within the student body. Debate topics included Northern Ireland's relationship with Westminster, the commercialisation of the LGBT movement and the legalisation of euthanasia.

We ran weekly workshops which developed public speaking, debating, argument and rhetoric skills in students. Our members reached the quarter finals of the Irish Times Debating Competition and the final of the UCD Novice IV.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved our aim of investing in a training program which involved bringing in debaters from outside NUIG to train our speakers. We had a number of very successful guest workshops which really helped our novice debaters to develop new skills.

We also achieved our aim of funding competitions outside of Ireland. Our debaters attended the Durham IV and intend to participate in Glasgow Ancients and Women's in April.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The society's greatest success was the fact that our members developed excellent debating skills throughout the year.

We ran workshops on topics such as structuring a speech, rebuttal and analytical skills. This helped those who attended workshops to improve their public speaking ability greatly.

This was reflected in our competitive success, but can also be seen in the improved quality of the speeches given at our chamber debates.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge lay in the fact that we run a huge number of events per month. We held weekly debating workshops, fortnightly chamber debates and weekly committee meetings. This involved a lot of work in terms of organising workshops, inviting guest speakers and promoting events.

This helped our committee members to develop organisation and time management skills.

Lit & Deb Outgoing Committee

Name: Cecilia Foster **Position:** Auditor
Name: Damian Crawford **Position:** Clerk of the House
Name: Anna Carroll **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Sara Brabazon **Position:** External Convener
Name: Donnacha Broderick **Position:** Debates Secretary
Name: Zoe Foures **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Nicole Mullan **Position:** Literary Convenor
Name: Niamh Lynch **Position:** Secretary
Name: Eve Coogan **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Hannah McHugh **Position:** OCM
Name: Christian Arra **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Anna Carroll **Position:** Auditor

Lit & Deb Incoming Committee

Name: Zoe Foures **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Eve Coogan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Aoife Burke **Position:** Secretary
Name: Adam Boyle **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Hannah McHugh **Position:** Internal Convener
Name: Ellie Troisi **Position:** Literary Convenor
Name: Christian Arra **Position:** Debates Secretary

Lit & Deb Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€150.91	Bank charge	€29.11
Sponsorship	€1,000.00	Dinner/Food	€5,358.97
Ticket Sales	€2,590.00	Entertainment	€247.95
USC Grant	€22,030.00	Entry fees	€4,961.05

		Equipment misc	€14.7
		Prizes	€127.66
		Promotions	€34.7
		Reception	€152.3
		Society accomm	€1357.44
		Society transport	€5870.91
		Speaker accomm	€376.57
		Speaker travel	€483.69
		Expenditure Total	€19015.05
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€50
		Closing Bank Balance	€6755.86
Total	€25770.91	Total	€25770.91

Alive Certificate Recipients

Juned Alam	15 hrs	OCM
Anna Carroll	60 hrs	Treasurer

Total Hours 75 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 25 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 1320.

Lotus Society

Lotus Society Events list (61 Individual Events)

Freeform Yoga with Jessica: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 28th September 2018

Loosely guided yoga class, for intermediate/advanced practitioners

EGM: Health & Lifestyle » the space » 01st October 2018

The Lotus Society EGM is next Monday 1st of October. We have had a lot of queries about classes and events so come along to help us figure out our plans for the year, run for one of the positions or just chill out and chat with us ♥. There will be loads of yummy nibbles and drinkables too. All warmly welcomed, regardless of meditation or yoga experience. P.S. please come on time because we only have the room for one hour and we have a lot of material, both edible and organisational, to get through.

Open Meditation: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 08th October 2018

A space where experienced meditators can sit together and freely practice their own meditation. There will be zafus, yoga mats, blocks, incense and potentially porridge afterwards. We will sit from 8.15am so please arrive before then.

Meditation Taster Session: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 09th October 2018

Meditation is a powerful tool that everybody can use to increase their sense of peace and wellbeing. Mindfulness and meditation have been practised for thousands of years and research has shown that it is an effective remedy and preventative measure for the stresses that modern life can bring. As a part of Mental Health Week, Conor Graham will deliver this taster session consisting of breath and body work. Throughout the year, Conor will also be leading weekly morning meditations with The Lotus Society, which will give students and staff the skills and experience to build up the resource of a personal practise - a sanctuary that is available anytime for helping to bring about peace and clarity. Conor is a yoga and singing teacher who has practiced meditation for nearly 20 years, and run meditation groups in Galway since 2010. You are kindly asked to arrive on time to get the full benefit of the workshop.

Meditation Taster Session: Health & Lifestyle » The View » 10th October 2018

Meditation is a powerful tool that everybody can use to increase their sense of peace and wellbeing. Mindfulness and meditation have been practised for thousands of years and research has shown that it is an effective remedy and preventative measure for the stresses that modern life can bring. As a part of Mental Health Week, Conor Graham will deliver two more or less identical taster sessions consisting of breath and body work. Throughout the year, Conor will also be leading weekly morning meditations with The Lotus Society, which will give students and staff the skills and experience to build up the resource of a personal practise - a sanctuary that is available anytime for helping to bring about peace and clarity. Conor is a yoga and singing teacher who has practiced meditation for nearly 20 years, and run meditation groups in Galway since 2010. You are kindly asked to arrive on time to get the full benefit of the workshop.

Committee Bonding: Gatherings » Galway, Galway City, TBC » 17th October 2018

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Yoga w/ the Ompowerment Project: Charity » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 25th October 2018

We will be teaming up with The OMPowerment Project to host a 'pay-as-you-feel' yoga class, where 100% of the money will go towards teaching yoga in refugee camps. The purpose of this project is to empower refugee men and women to lead themselves and members of their communities in the healing practice of trauma informed yoga. For more details see their facebook page - > <https://www.facebook.com/ompowerment/> : -----) <https://www.facebook.com/ompowerment/>

Meditation: Health & Lifestyle » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 30th October 2018

A tranquil space where experienced meditators can sit together and practice meditation. We will sit silently from 8.15-8.45am, so please arrive before then.

Meditation: Health & Lifestyle » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 31st October 2018

A tranquil space where experienced meditators can sit together and practice meditation. We welcome you to arrive well before 9.15am, as we will sit silently from 9.15-9.45am.

Beginners Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks): Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

Beginners Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks)

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks): Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks)

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 06th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 06th November 2018

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 06th November 2018

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 07th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 07th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa 4pm

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 08th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese

Staff yoga with Sandra: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 08th November 2018

Staff yoga with Sandra

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks): Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks)

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 14th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 14th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa 4pm

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 15th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese

Staff yoga with Sandra: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 15th November 2018

Staff yoga with Sandra

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks): Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks)

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 20th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 20th November 2018

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 20th November 2018

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 21st November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 21st November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa 4pm

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 22nd November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese

Staff yoga with Sandra: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 22nd November 2018

Staff yoga with Sandra

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks): Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 26th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks)

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 27th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 27th November 2018

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 27th November 2018

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 28th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 28th November 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa 4pm

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 29th November 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese

Staff yoga with Sandra: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 29th November 2018

Staff yoga with Sandra

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks): Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 03rd December 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Laurence (5 weeks)

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 04th December 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 04th December 2018

Beginners Level Hatha with Laurence

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 04th December 2018

Mixed Level Hatha with Theresa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 05th December 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 05th December 2018

Mixed Level Vinyasa with Lisa 4pm

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 06th December 2018

Mixed Level Ashtanga with Marese

Staff yoga with Sandra: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 06th December 2018

Staff yoga with Sandra

Staff yoga with Sandra: Health & Lifestyle » Aras Mac Leinn » 13th December 2018

Staff yoga with Sandra

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 08th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » the space » 09th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 10th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 11th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 12th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

AGM: Committee Meeting » Galway, Galway City, The Secret Garden Café » 12th April 2019

An Informal meeting to organise whether there is interest for Lotus society to continue and to organise potential committee members.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 15th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 16th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 17th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Destress Yoga Classes: Classes » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 18th April 2019

Classrooms have been booked and yoga teachers have been organised to teach free yoga classes each morning.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	4 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(4/5) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Unfortunately the mission statement was not filled out before by our previous committee members through no fault of their own, thus I will not be reflecting on it.

Yet this year our society did well to organise a few events and create a great space in college for yogis and like minded people to feel welcome.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Unfortunately there was no aims, objectives and goals filled out before by our previous committee members through no fault of their own, thus I will not be reflecting on it.

Yet this year our society did well to organise a few events and create a great space in college for yogis and like minded people to feel welcome.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The fact that we created a space in college for yogis and like minded people to feel welcome.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Difficulty in committee organisation and leadership.

Lotus Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Heidi Anderson **Position:** Interim Auditor

Name: Sophy Molloy **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Gabrielle Humphreys **Position:** Secretary

Name: Teodora Mилоjevic **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ines Reckziegel **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Lotus Society Incoming Committee

Name: Heidi Anderson **Position:** Interim Auditor

Lotus Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,016.08	Bank Charge	€34.03
		Dinner/Food	€330.32
Ecommerce Sales	€1,275	Equipment misc	€45.00
Members Contributions	€25.00	Online Sales Mass Refund	€80.00
Socs box Till	€10,259.00	Socs Box Till Refund	€130.00
USC Grant	€300.00	Teacher fees	€9,180
		Expenditure Total	€9,799.35
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€3,075.73
Total	€12,875.08	Total	€12,875.08

Alive Certificate Recipients

Heidi Anderson	110 hrs	Interim Auditor
Ines Reckziegel	12 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Total Hours 122 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 869.

Malaysian Society

It has indeed been a year full of fun activities. They ranged from various aspects; patriotic, religious and fun-based hangouts all with the aim of building a close relationship between the society's members. A few changes have been made with respect to the committee organization; the collaboration between the career and public relation bureau has been a great one and their first event "The Mental Health Workshop" was successfully held with a good number of turn ups including those who were non-members. Despite having a relatively smaller number of committees running the club all year, all tasks were superbly manageable with everyone's solid cooperation. Overall, it was a great journey through the year with MSOC 18/19!



MSOC Peeps at the International Dinner

Malaysian Society Events list (6 Individual Events)

Malaysia Galway Family Day: Social » The cube and the stage » 16th September 2018

To kick off our events this year, we will be hosting the annual Malaysian Family Day with the theme 'Upholding Tradition & Culture in the Modern Age'. This will be happening on the 16th of September on a Saturday at The Stage and The Cube in Áras Na Mac Léinn, so please save the date! 📅 We promise you a fun-filled event lined up with activities such as a fashion show and good food to remind you of home away from home. The entrance fee would be €2 each and specifically for the Muslim PPIMG members, you would have to pay another €10 for annual fees. Don't forget to register for the event: <https://goo.gl/forms/hFBYkgre0hIBD3oh2>

Galway Sports Carnival 2018: Health & Lifestyle » The Kingfisher Sports Centre, NUI Galway » 13th October 2018

We are proud to bring you our very own Malaysian Galway Sports Carnival! Time and time again, participants have constantly impressed us with their top-notch athleticism and team spirit; putting national teams to shame really. Our annual event would never be a success without them and that's exactly why

it's important for YOU to sign up this year; so you can be part of witnessing this greatness too. Think of the medals we have in store for you to claim and take home! Sign up here (<https://goo.gl/forms/diZ67oLMGVr512IP2>) and watch out for our Facebook page: Malaysia Galway for updates on the event!

Ladies' Night: Educational » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 20th October 2018



This is an event specially catered for female members of Malaysian Society. This includes having dinner together, sharing about each other's experiences in encounters with women empowerment and ends with gift exchange among members. The purpose of this event is to strengthen the bond between the female members in Malaysian Society and to also give them role models of women empowerment that they can learn from.

Annual Grand Meeting: Gatherings » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 02nd February 2019

Goodluck From Galway: Social » CSI 2011 » 01st March 2019

This Event was held to wish good luck and all the best to the final years final exams. All are invited. We had a Malaysian dinner and dedicated videos and a cake to give a inspirational booster for the final years.



Final Year Med Students

Megatutorial: Workshops » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 02nd March 2019

This megatutorial was a joint effort with IKRAM an external society for Malaysian students in Ireland. Doctors were invited to provide workshops for the Final med student's final examinations.



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Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	13 society committee members with questions answered	13 Total society committee members	(13/13) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Aims to cater to the Malaysians in Galway in enhancing them for academic skills as well as promote Malaysia's culture to the internationals

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

1. To care for Malaysians as a whole and individual, living in Galway as a community
2. To uphold Islamic values among Malaysian Muslims and high standard Malaysian culture and attitude as an offer of exchange between Malaysians and Irish
3. To encourage the involvement of non Malays (Indian, Chinese) regardless of background and religion
4. To promote Malaysia to the local people in Galway
5. To enhance the Malaysian students to think more critically and think about current issues
6. To bridge the gap between seniors, juniors and Malaysian families
7. To provide extra values to career and academic skills of Malaysians

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Looking back on the mission statements, I honestly believe that we were able to carry out if not all most of them. I saw that we were able to actually conduct programmes and events that caters to all, the members, other students and people outside of the University. I say we did quite well but I do hope for the upcoming year we can further improve on most things like the following:

- Increase in more engaging programmes
- Continue beneficial programmes for all
- Improve previous shortcomings for programmes
- Increase in partnership with other societies as well

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We definitely did complete if not all but most.

- We held traditional programmes to introduce Malaysian culture to locals
 - Further bridge the gap among the members be it Irish or non-irish
- Not only these two but much more, though I hope more can be achieved next session.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

It would probably be conducting big programmes like Malaysian Family day and Galway Sports Carnival. It took a lot of time effort and preparation. It was stressful for most of us but thankfully all went well.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Still referring to the major events like family day and Galway Sports carnival. Those requiring a sum amount of funds and preparation. Thankfully it went well.

Malaysian Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Muhammad Sirhan Mohd Sani **Position:** Multimedia Officer

Name: Alissa Hanis Abd Rahman **Position:** Social & Cultural Rep

Name: Nurul Rizlianees Rusdi **Position:** Secretary

Name: Nader Mohamad Rashidi **Position:** Auditor

Name: Muhammad Khairil Asyraf Khairil Annuar **Position:** Academic Officer

Name: Nursyuhada Mohd Noor **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Nur Afiqah Mohd Jamil **Position:** Careers Events Organiser

Name: Nik Ahmad Razin Nik Roslan **Position:** Welfare officer

Name: Ahmad Aiman Syahmi Sahar **Position:** Multimedia Officer

Name: Muhammad Arif Akmal Mohd Sofee **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Muhammad Azfar Zariq Bin Abu Bakar **Position:** Sports Officer

Name: Muhd Iman Danial Hussin **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Zhen Xiang Soo **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Malaysian Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,156.87	Bank charge	€60.90
		Dinner/Food	€780
		Equipment misc	€580.71
		Expenditure Total	€1421.61
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0

		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€735.26
Total	€2156.87	Total	€2156.87

Alive Certificate Recipients

Nur Syazana Idris	40 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Nur Hazeeqah Nasser	57 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Total Hours 97 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 6 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members 248.

Marine Soc

The Marine Society aims to be a platform to unite people with a common goal: learning about and advocating for the marine ecosystems! We had our work cut out for us, only really becoming a society in the very end of semester 2, but once we were able to get our feet under us we really hit the ground running. We've held an EGM, elected a brand-new committee, had a documentary & a film screening, hosted an event with guest speakers to celebrate our re-introduction as a society, held an AGM, and coordinated a trip to the Aquarium all in a very short period of time. To top it all off, we've won the "Brightest Future" award at Socs Ball and are well on our way to making that a reality! We have some incredible ideas for the coming year around gaining some new regularly attending members and becoming a bold and positive presence at NUIG!



Marine Soc Events list (8 Individual Events)

Marine Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » ac 203 » 13th March

2019

Look who's back fishies, all the odds have been defied, all hope had been lost, we have persevered, kept swimming and have returned. We are holding an extraordinary general meeting somewhere in the concourse on next Wednesday the 13th of March at 7pm. The room shall be confirmed in the near future. We shall be electing some new super cool committee members as well as giving you guys an idea of what we plan to do with the limited time we have left this semester. Furthermore for all of the artists out there and those of you whom can't draw at all, just give it a go, we want a new logo and you are going to be the one to draw it for us. Go crazy let your creativity flow and bang out a new and beautiful marine society logo for us to enjoy. If you aren't already motivated enough the winner will receive a prize and the logo shall be used for our great society. Our plans for the year include the screening of movies and or documentary's all to do with the ocean, fish and all things aquatic. These movie nights will be accompanied by pizza to fill our poor stomachs. We will be deciding on the first movie at the EGM on Wednesday. We are also planning on a joint trip with the Zoology society to the aquarium to look at all the

cool fish, crustaceans and things of that sort. The aquarium is super cool so definitely come along to find out more. Make sure you guys come along if you have any sort of interest in anything to do with water or even if your most aquatic experience is drinking a lot of water. Just make sure to come along and see what we are all about. See you all on Wednesday!

Documentary Screening: Gatherings » MRA201 » 20th March 2019

Documentary Screening or Marine Biologist Guest Speaker

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 21st March 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th March 2019

Film Screening: Gatherings » MRA201 » 27th March 2019

Shark Tale

AGM & Open Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ac213 » 01st April 2019

Meeting to recap the year's events, discuss aims for next year, introduce society, and finalize next year's committee.

Marine Society Re-Launch: Guest Speakers » Martin Ryan Annex » 02nd April 2019

Celebrate the re-launch of the Marine Society with a guest speaker chat about working in the marine science field! Refreshments will be provided.

Blackrock Swim + Atlantaaquarium: Trips » Galway, Salthill, Galway, Blackrock diving tower and Galway Atlantaaquarium » 07th April 2019

Join us on a pre-study-week stress-relief swim at Blackrock Diving Tower, followed by a trip to the Galway Atlantaaquarium featuring reduced admission to the aquarium (€6) and a guided tour!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	14 society committee members with questions answered	14 Total society committee members	(13/14) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

This society's aim is to get students in touch with all topics related to marine science, with educational trips to aquariums, documentaries and sharing topics related to marine science.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Improve the marine tank with new fish

Set up a new committee for the next academic year

go on a trip to Atlantaquaria

Volunteer with a related charity

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Given the short amount of time we had this semester after taking over the society, we managed to do a lot. Reviving the society took a lot of organisation but once we got the ball rolling and the new committee got settled into their new roles we held a documentary screening highlighting the issue of plastic waste in

the ocean and a movie screening of a fun marine related film. These event brought together a group of people with an interest in Marine related topics and formed new connections. We shared many topics related to marine science through our social media platforms, high lighting recent news articles and scientific studies. We went on an educational trip to Atlantaquaria and we held a grand re-Launch event where we had three guest speakers talking about their pHds in Marine Science.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved improving the marine tank in the Martin Ryan Institute and elected a tank team sub committee to look after the tank over the summer and for the next academic year, we also had a huge clean up day of the tank to remove all of the built up red algae that had accumulated there.

We set up a new committee for next year!

We went on a trip to Atlantaquaria and have made plans to volunteer with Clean Coasts.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Getting the society back up and running was what I would consider our greatest success. I would say that our re-Launch Event was the point at which we felt we had truly achieved the revival of Marine Soc.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Learning how to run a society and getting familiar with how society's work was definitely the biggest challenge.

Marine Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Eilis Delaney **Position:** Auditor Semester One

Name: Hannah Douglas **Position:** Auditor

Name: Nadezhda Helmer **Position:** Secretary

Name: Michael Martindale **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Gillian Moran **Position:** Vice Secretary

Name: David O'Connor **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Finn Tyrrell **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Dylan Crews **Position:** Mascot

Name: Aileen Cahuasqui Burga **Position:** OCM

Name: Nessa Lee **Position:** OCM

Name: Eoin Moorhouse **Position:** OCM

Name: Storm Mc Donald **Position:** Safety Being

Name: Rachele Di Blasi **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Kevin Heeney **Position:** OCM

Marine Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Hannah Douglas **Position:** Auditor

Name: Nadezhda Helmer **Position:** Secretary

Name: Michael Martindale **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Gillian Moran **Position:** Vice Secretary

Name: David O'Connor **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Finn Tyrrell **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Dylan Crews **Position:** Mascot (Abassador for stoke)

Name: Eoin Moorhouse **Position:** OCM

Name: Nessa Lee **Position:** OCM

Name: Rachele Di Blasi **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Kevin Heeney **Position:** OCM

Name: Storm Mc Donald **Position:** Safety Being

Name: Aileen Cahuasqui Burga **Position:** OCM

Marine Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€3,321.80	Bank charge	€30.35
		Dinner/Food	€345.77
		USCG Grant	€2800
		Expenditure Total	€3,176.12

		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0.73
		Closing Bank Balance	€144.95
Total	€3321.80	Total	€3,321.80

Alive Certificate Recipients

Gillian Moran	4 hrs	Vice Secretary
Hannah Douglas	25 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 29 Participants: 2

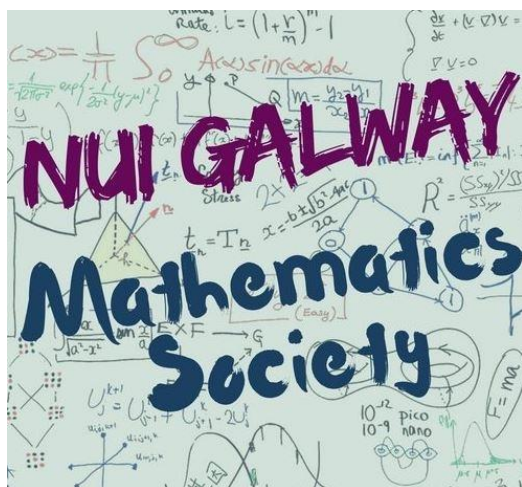
Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 536 members.

Maths Soc

MathSoc's mission is to promote mathematics among the society members and connect with like-minded people whether they be undergraduate or postgraduates.

Furthermore, we aim to expand the network of people with an interest in mathematics by hosting a wide range of activities such as seminars, documentary and entertainment, and games and quizzes. The society has completely achieved the target of sharing the passion for mathematics and build up a friendly and passionate network of people from both undergraduate and postgraduate level. We have had a consistent and enjoyable series of meetings that have had good response from all the members.



Maths Soc NUI Galway

Maths Soc Events list (17 Individual Events)

Mathsoc first meeting: Greetings and Tupper's

formula: Seminar » ADB1019 » 27th September 2018

The first Maths Soc meeting of 2018 it's happening this week. We're gonna have a small introduction about Maths Soc, presenting the committee and the upcoming events. Furthermore our auditor will present a short seminar about Tupper's self referential formula. Refreshments won't be missing :D See you there!

The story of 1: Film » ADB1019 » 04th October 2018

Our weekly meetings continue this week with Monty Python's "The Story of 1", this Thursday at 6.00pm in

ADB1019. Refreshments won't be missing. Looking forward to meet you there!

"Symmetries in Music" - Götz Pfeiffer: Seminar » ADB1019 » 18th October 2018

Thursday October the 18th, Prof. Götz Pfeiffer is going to give a seminar about "Symmetries in Music". Refreshments won't be missing. We are looking forward to seeing you there!

"How to Count" - Michael Tuite: Seminar » Joseph Larmor Theatre » 25th October 2018

This talk will be about the application of generating functions in a wide variety of counting problems.

Talk by Kevin Jennings: Seminar » ADB1019 » 01st November 2018

This week Dr. Kevin Jennings will be giving a talk about some interesting mathematics behind gambling. Title: Some $(7,3,1)$ spaces in disguise. Abstract: Jordan Ellenberg gives an example of a small lottery where 3 numbers are picked of 7 total. A player wins the jackpot by matching all 3 of them or a less extravagant prize for matching 2. There are a total of 35 possible combinations of 3 numbers out of 7, so you only have a 1 in 35 chance of getting the jackpot. How many tickets would you need to buy to ensure you will win a match2 prize? How would your optimal strategy for choosing these tickets connect with the way octonions multiply together?

"Mathematics – a world of whimsy?" by Aisling McCluskey: Seminar » ADB1019 » 08th November 2018

Career Evening NUIG SIAM Student Chapter Joint event: Guest Speakers » location to be determined » 15th November 2018

Quiz night: Social » location to be determined » 22nd November 2018

Game Night at Mathsoc: Social » ADB1020 » 31st January 2019

Mathsoc's Game Night including: Perudo and Yathzee

Mathsoc meeting: Movie/Documentary Night: Social » ADB1019 » 14th February 2019

Mathsoc meeting will take place on Thursday 14 February in ADB1019. Let's celebrate our love for mathematics on Saint Valentine's Day! See you guys there! Refreshments will be provided. See you there!

Mathsoc meeting: Mathematics in Wonderland by Eoghan Staunton: Seminar » ADB1019 » 21st February 2019

For our next meeting we will have a talk by Eoghan Staunton, PhD student in applied maths at NUIG. Refreshments will be provided. Looking forward to meet you there.

It only works on paper (the art of the fold). A little geometric origami. By Rachel Quinlan: Seminar » ADB1019 » 07th March 2019

For the meeting Rachel Quinlan is going to give the talk: It only works on paper (the art of the fold). A little geometric origami. Refreshments will be provided. Looking forward to meet you there.

"Soft Robots and Soft Dielectrics" by Hannah Conroy Broderick: Seminar » ADB1019 » 14th March 2019

For the meeting we will have a talk by Hannah Conroy Broderick, PhD Student at NUIG. Refreshments will be provided. Looking forward to meet you there.

"My Favourite Theorem" by Niall Madden: Seminar » ADB1019 » 21st March 2019

For the meeting we will have a talk by Niall Madden. Refreshments will be provided. Looking forward to meet you there.

Daily trip to Cork for seminar: Trips » UCC » 23rd March 2019

Trip to UCC for the Irish Mathematician Student Association held by the UCC Maths society

"We're all misfit (at the molecular level)" by Giuseppe Zurlo: Seminar » ADB1019 » 28th March 2019

For the meeting we will have a talk by Giuseppe Zurlo. Refreshments will be provided. Looking forward to meet you there.

Quiz Night and AGM: Seminar » ADB1019 » 04th April 2019

For our last meeting of the year, we are going to have another quiz night! Fun and fantastic prizes are guaranteed! Furthermore we will be having the Annual General Meeting with election for next year's committee. Don't miss it! Refreshments will be provided. Looking forward to meet you there.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(7/7) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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Furthermore, we aim to expand the network of people with an interest in mathematics by hosting a wide range of activities such as seminars, documentary and entertainment, and games and quizzes.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Our goal is to spread the passion for mathematics and connect people in the university that share an interest in it. We also aim to cover a broad range of topics to show people the scope of the subject and the applications.

We aim to achieve that through:

- Lecturer talks
- External speaker talks
- Students talks
- Movies and documentaries
- Quiz nights
- Joint events with the NUIG SIAM (Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics) student chapter

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society has completely achieved the target of sharing the passion for mathematics and build up a friendly and passionate network of people from both undergraduate and postgraduate level. We have had a consistent and enjoyable series of meetings that have had good response from all the members.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We have had talks from professors, lecturers and postgraduates.

We have had a movie night and a documentary night.

We have had a Join event with SIAM with talks from external speakers.

We have had two quiz nights.

We also have had a daily society trip.

Therefore we achieved all our goals and even more.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Having all the meetings as planned and receiving good feedback from our members.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The organization of the events was challenging as it required cooperation among the committee members. Everybody took part in the process and the outcome has been extremely successful.

Maths Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Roberto Galizia **Position:** Auditor

Name: Samuel Geraghty **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Cian O'Brien **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Jack Houlihan **Position:** Secretary

Name: Griffen Small **Position:** Refreshments Coordinator

Name: Mario Quarenta **Position:** OCM

Name: Michael Welby **Position:** OCM

Maths Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Samuel Geraghty **Position:** Auditor

Name: Mario Quarenta **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Cian O'Brien **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Una Parkinson **Position:** Secretary

Name: Griffen Small **Position:** Refreshments Coordinator

Name: Marie Brockschmidt **Position:** Social Media Officer
Name: Ciaran McCarthy **Position:** OCM

Name: Roberto Galizia **Position:** OCM
Name: Fraz Ahmad **Position:** OCM

Maths Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€114.05	Bank charge	€30.75
USC Grant	€1,400.00	Dinner/Food	€1,022.27
		Prizes	€94.5
		Society transport	€44
		Socs day expenses	€27.79
		Expenditure Total	€1219.31
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€294.74
Total	€1514.05	Total	€1514.05

Alive Certificate Recipients

Roberto Galizia	88 hrs	Auditor
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Total Hours 88 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 566 members.

Mature Student Society

Mature Students Events list (28 Individual Events)



EGM: Other » The View Aras Na Mac Leinn » 19th September 2018

Mature Students Society Coffee & Catch-up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 04th October 2018

This is the first event of the new academic year for members of the Mature Students Society. Anyone who is interested in joining the society is also welcome. Tea, coffee, biscuits and snacks to accompany the chance to catch up with old friends and to meet new ones.

Mature Students Pizza Evening: Gatherings » POSTPONED TO A LATER DATE » 16th October 2018

An opportunity for mature students to gather together for conversation, building friendships while enjoying pizza and refreshments. Mature students who are interested in the society or membership are welcome to come along. * * * A New Date Will Be Announced Shortly * * *

Mature Students Society Weekend Away: Trips » Clare, Doolin, Hostel » 19th October 2018

Community Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » 22nd October 2018

Yoga class for beginners and intermediate students.

Community Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » 31st October 2018

Yoga class for beginners and intermediate students.

Community Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

Yoga class for beginners and intermediate students.

Mature Students Society Lunchtime coffee: Social » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 08th November 2018

Community Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

Yoga class for beginners and intermediate students.

Community Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

Yoga class for beginners and intermediate students.

Community Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Aras an Mac Leinn » 26th November 2018

Yoga class for beginners and intermediate students.

Coffee & Catchup: Social » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 29th November 2018

End of Semester Xmas Party: Social » Galway, Galway City, Monroes Tavern » 30th November 2018

END OF SEMESTER PARTY will take place in MONROE'S TAVERN Dominic Street on FRIDAY 30th NOVEMBER at 8pm. Hi Quality Finger Food Specially Reserved Seated Area Tickets 6 Euro available at Socs Box Desk or on-line shop

Mature Students Society Coffee & Catchup: Social » The Space Aras Na Mac Léinn » 06th December 2018

Mature Students Society - Coffee & Catchup - Note Change of Venue & Time: TODAY (Thursday 6th) 11.30am THE SPACE Aras Na mac Leinn.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 17th January 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 24th January 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na Mac Léinn Meeting Room 2 » 31st January 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na Mac Léinn Meeting Room 2 » 07th February 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na Mac Léinn Meeting Room 2 » 14th February 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 21st February 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 28th February 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 07th March 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Pizza Evening: Social » College bar (SULT) » 11th March 2019

A social gathering for mature students to meet and eat.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 14th March 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 28th March 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 04th April 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Annual General Meeting: Other » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 09th April 2019

Annual General Meeting of the Mature Students Society

Coffee & Catch up: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 11th April 2019

Social gathering for mature students.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(6/6) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The Mature Soc hopes to serve as a focal point for all Mature Students and provides opportunities for meeting and socialising with other students of all backgrounds and interests.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To attract new members to the society and get them involved in events that is run by the society.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This year was a success. We held various, regular coffee-and-chat meetups. Real friendships were built there and it is rewarding to see people socialising after meeting at the social sessions.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we met all of our goals and objectives.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success is creating a safe place for mature students to meet and to socialize. Mature students have different needs than traditional-aged students so it is an asset to meet up with people who are in similar situations.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The biggest challenge is scheduling. Mature students have more responsibilities than most young students and their busy schedules make it more challenging to coordinate events.

Mature Students Outgoing Committee

Name: Niamh Keoghan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Catherine Griffin **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Hector Belmonte **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Michelle Mitchell **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Philip Cloherty **Position:** Auditor

Name: Martina Carolan **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Mature Students Incoming Committee

Name: Philip Cloherty **Position:** Interim Auditor

Mature Students Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€329.14	Bank Charge	€91.47
		Dinner/Food	€1,466.35
Ecommerce Sales	€275.00	Hire Bus	€400.00
Members Contributions	€52.07	Phone	€30
Socs box Till	€2,466.00	Printing	€16.40
USC Grant	€2,300.00	Servies Hired	€68.07
		Society accomm	€1,600.51
		Society transport	€605.95

		Stationary	€9.95
		Expenditure Total	€2227.94
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€1,133.51
Total	€5,422.21	Total	€5,422.21

Alive Certificate Recipients

Philip Cloherty	160 hrs	Auditor
Hector Belmonte	12 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Michelle Mitchell	60 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Total Hours 232 Participants: 3		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 313 members.

Medicine Soc

This year our society continue to build on the work of previous committees in fulfilling the aims in our constitution to support and provide various social, sport and academic opportunities for medical students and to promote health and wellbeing amongst the wider community population. Our constitutions aims that we strived to fulfill this year are as follows,

- To represent students of the School of Medicine.
- To advocate for the interests of students of Medicine and of doctors.
- To promote good health among all students of NUI, Galway and the wider community.
- To facilitate and encourage philanthropic activities by students of NUI, Galway, to benefit the wider community.
- To ensure representation of NUI, Galway at intervarsity competitions between students of Medicine.
- To support students of the School of Medicine academically and to encourage high educational standards.
- To encourage and organise social interaction between its members.

Our various events encouraged social interaction between our members.

Our charity events such as Dean Athru and Shave or Dye helped raised vital funds for VSA, Bumbleance, Enable Ireland Galway and the Irish Cancer society.

In addition this year we collaborated heavily with other societies in NUIG such as AMSI, VSA, Movember NUIG and Paediatric Society.



Medball 2018/2019 at our annual medball

Medicine Soc Events list (24 Individual Events)

1st and Premed night: Social » Leitrim, Galway, The Skeff » 06th September 2018

Welcome Back Party: Social » Galway, Galway, The skeff » 12th September 2018

Tag Rugby: Sport » Presidents Lawn » 18th September 2018

Wine and Cheese: Guest Speakers » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 19th September 2018

Dean Athru: Charity » Galway, Galway, Shop Street Galway City Centre » 26th September 2018

Lahinch Surf Trip: Sport » Clare, Lahinch, Lahinch Hostel » 28th September 2018

Medsoc Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 03rd October 2018

Do early morning ward rounds or afternoon anatomy labs mean you miss the yoga classes on campus? Not to fear...Medsoc are delighted to announce our weekly evening Vinyasa Yoga Class with the fabulous Lisa Berry, Wednesdays from 6-7.30pm. Cost €15 euro total for the 4 week course (will be required in advance to secure your place) Sign up at the following link <https://goo.gl/forms/CvJinxqLHwf0ECT82Mats> provided.

USMLE Step 1 strategy Session: Educational » CSI LLT » 17th October 2018

Medsoc Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 31st October 2018

Do early morning ward rounds or afternoon anatomy labs mean you miss the yoga classes on campus? Not to fear...Medsoc are delighted to announce our weekly evening Vinyasa Yoga Class with Lisa Berry, Wednesdays from 6-7.30pm. Cost €15 euro total for the 4 week set (will be required in advance to secure your place) Sign up below-<https://goo.gl/forms/CvJinxqLHwf0ECT82Mats> provided.

Barretts town volunteering information night: Educational » Fottrell Theatre AM200, Arts Millennium Building » 06th November 2018

Medsoc Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 07th November 2018

Do early morning ward rounds or afternoon anatomy labs mean you miss the yoga classes on campus? Not to fear...Medsoc are delighted to announce our second set of weekly evening Vinyasa Yoga Class, Wednesdays from 6-7.30pm.

Masquerade Ball: Charity » Mayo, Castlebar, Breaffy House » 10th November 2018

Medsoc Annual 5 a side: Sport » Corrib Cages » 13th November 2018

Medsoc Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 14th November 2018

Do early morning ward rounds or afternoon anatomy labs mean you miss the yoga classes on campus? Not to fear...Medsoc are delighted to announce our second set of weekly evening Vinyasa Yoga Class, Wednesdays from 6-7.30pm.

Coldvember Christmas Day Swim: Charity » Galway, Salthill, Galway, Blackrock » 15th November 2018

Medsoc Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » The View Aras Na Mac Leinn » 28th November 2018

Do early morning ward rounds or afternoon anatomy labs mean you miss the yoga classes on campus? Not to fear... Medsoc are delighted to announce our second set of weekly evening Vinyasa Yoga Class with Lisa Berry, Wednesdays from 6-7.30pm. Excluding the 21st due to room availability.

Medsoc Yoga: Health & Lifestyle » The View Aras Na Mac Leinn » 05th December 2018

Do early morning ward rounds or afternoon anatomy labs mean you miss the yoga classes on campus? Not to fear... Medsoc are delighted to announce our second set of weekly evening Vinyasa Yoga Class with Lisa Berry, Wednesdays from 6-7.30pm. Excluding the 21st due to room availability.

End of Exams/medball warm up Party: Social » Sult » 20th December 2018

Get together to celebrate end of exams.

We're doing 5 aside, again: Sport » Corrib Cages » 21st December 2018

Med ball: Social » Galway, Galway, The Galmont » 22nd December 2018

Medsoc Are So Back: Social » Galway, Galway City, the Skeff and Karma » 17th January 2019

Wine and Cheese II: Educational » CSI Stem Cafe » 31st January 2019

Both an educational and social event, designed to detail the academic requirements for the upcoming semester.

Shave or Dye 2019: Charity » Galway, Quay Street Galway, Quays Bar Galway » 14th March 2019

NUIG Medsoc AGM 2019: Gatherings » CSI Large Lecture theatre » 20th March 2019

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To organise social events to bring Medical students from all years together and promote and encourage educational opportunities and educational supports.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Work on the success of prior years

engage the younger years in particular to become involved with the various events

Promote educational and medical experience opportunities - Barrets town, USMLE etc

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I am happy with how the society performed this year. We certainly came into a few difficulties when trying to organise some of our events, for example at Medball our photographer cancelled a few days before the event, at Shave or Dye our barbers cancelled the day before the event but luckily we pulled through on both of these occasions.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes. We followed in the footsteps of previous committees and all of our events went ahead as we wanted them to.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I believe Shave or Dye was our greatest success this year, having raised over 6500 euro for the Irish Canecr Society

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Ensuring that everyone's opinion on the committee is heard can sometimes be a challenge and it's an important one to overcome as each person's voice deserves to be heard.

Medicine Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: David O'Sullivan **Position:** Auditor
Name: Aedin O'Keeffe **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Ellen Kelly **Position:** Secretary
Name: Way Hinn Chong **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Mary Walsh **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Louise Dervan **Position:** OCM
Name: Cliona McMenamin **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Ellen McAuliffe **Position:** Junior Event Manager
Name: Donal Flynn **Position:** AMSI Rep
Name: Killian Dervan **Position:** Immediate Past Auditor
Name: Emma O'Farrell **Position:** Education Officer
Name: Donal Shanley **Position:** Sports Officer
Name: Aisling Gallagher **Position:** Outreach Officer
Name: Elizabeth Maher **Position:** Newsletter Editor
Name: Andrew Healy **Position:** Preclinical Officer
Name: Jordan Connaughton **Position:** PRO

Medicine Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Tom Wall **Position:** Auditor
Name: Sarah Murphy **Position:** Auditor
Name: Rionagh Lynch **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Elizabeth Shields **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Andrew Healy **Position:** Outreach Officer
Name: Liezel Ravenscroft **Position:** Secretary Semester 2
Name: Jack Collins **Position:** Preclinical Officer
Name: Sarah Crowley **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Sarah Lanigan **Position:** Sports Officer
Name: Emma O'Farrell **Position:** Semester 1 Secretary
Name: Padraig Scully **Position:** Education Officer
Name: Amy Graham **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Medicine Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€19,275.61	Ball	€33,984.37
Fundraising	€5,743.26	Bank charge	€113.06
Socs box Till	€3,590.00	Dinner/Food	€5,905.90
Sponsorship	€4,900.00	Entertainment	€6,660.00
Ticket Sales	€54,813.54	Equipment misc	€4,597.68
USC Grant	€1,000.00	Fundraising / Charity	€4,308.00
		Gifts	€50.00
		Hire Bus	€800

		Hoodies	€650.92
		Makeup/Props	€4433.33
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€14.35
		Printing	€103.38
		Services Hired	€4522.23
		Society accomm	€1891.02
		Society transport	€50
		Socs day expenses	€74.91
		Expenditure Total	€70,227.23
		Closing Bank Balance	€21,163.26
Total	€89,322.41	Total	€89,322.41

Alive Certificate Recipients

Way Hinn Chong	400 hrs	Treasurer
Veronica Fay-Watt	6 hrs	Volunteer
Andrew Healy	218 hrs	Preclinical Officer
Michael Lane	4 hrs	Volunteer
Elizabeth Maher	60 hrs	Newsletter Editor
Aedin O'Keeffe	240 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Jaffar Abbas Syed	4 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 932 Participants: 7

Other Information

We held 12 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 1266 members.

Microsoc

This year MicroSoc has held events to ensure the aim of the society of staff and students mingle. These include both academic and social events. This year we have continued with society favourites including; Forth Year Welcome Party, Christmas Coffee Morning, Christmas Party, Annual ShoeBox Appeal, Postgrad Ball and the Seminar Series. We have also brought back some old favourites, the costume party Christmas Party and the upcoming photo competition. There were also some new events including the Halloween Coffee Morning. The Seminar series was upgraded to have a coffee reception following the seminar to allow the topic of the day to be discussed more.



MicroSoc and Microbiology at Postgrad Ball

Microsoc Events list (25 Individual Events)

Wellbeing committee meeting with Counselling Office: Committee Meeting » Counselling Office » 12th September 2018

Meeting with counselling office for figuring out ways to encourage postgrad mental health.

Microsoc Presents: Linda Holland: Seminar » Dunican theatre » 14th September 2018

The details of the next MicroSoc seminar are: Speaker: Dr Linda Holland, who is an assistant professor in Microbiology at Dublin City University
Title: Regulation of biofilm formation in a fungal pathogen
Time: 1pm
Date: Friday, 14th September, 2018
Venue: Dunican Theatre, Microbiology
Host: Prof Jim O'Gara
Abstract Candida parapsilosis and Candida albicans are important human fungal pathogens. In contrast to C. albicans, relatively little is known about the virulence properties of C. parapsilosis, a pathogen particularly associated with infections of premature neonates. A major virulence property associated with C. parapsilosis is its ability to form a biofilm. Biofilm infections are extremely difficult to treat and are associated with high levels of antimicrobial resistance. Dr Holland's research involves using molecular tools and next-generation sequencing technologies to study biofilm regulation in

C. parapsilosis. Her group has created the first large scale gene knock-out library for this pathogen. Using this library they were able to identify a putative biofilm regulatory network. Interestingly, they have found extensive divergence between the biofilm regulators of C. parapsilosis and C. albicans. They also compared the transcription profile of C. parapsilosis and C. albicans biofilms and their analysis suggests the processes shared between the two species are predominantly metabolic.

Finalizing seminar series: Committee Meeting » Microbiology » 18th September 2018

Finalize budget, rota, and logistics with Gavin

Microsoc Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dunican theatre » 20th September 2018

The microbiology society will be meeting to elect the committee members for 2018-2019, discuss updates to the mentorship program, seminar series etc. All are welcome to get involved!

Microsoc Presents: Anna Trego and Nick Waters: Seminar » Dunican theatre » 20th September 2018

Join us for this month's internal Microsoc seminar! PhD students Anna Trego and Nick Waters will be presenting on their research, with time for discussion and questions. Tea/coffee to follow in the McCay Library. All are welcome!

4th Year Welcome Party: Gatherings » Galway, Galway City, An pucan » 18th October 2018

MicroSoc Presents Jean F. Power: Seminar » Dunican theatre » 25th October 2018

Halloween Coffee Morning: Charity » Microbiology seminar room » 31st October 2018

This year MicroSoc are hosting our first Halloween coffee morning in aid of Galway Rape Crisis Centre and COPE Galway. The event will take place on Wednesday 31st October 10:30 - 11:30 in the Microbiology Seminar room. Refreshments will be on offer along with a selection of baked goods. Please bring along some tasty treats as there will be prizes for the best looking Halloween-themed home and store bought bakes!

MicroSoc Presents Dr Brian Fennell: Seminar » Dunican theatre » 01st November 2018

MicroSoc Christmas Costume Party: Social » Galway, Galway City, McGettigans » 12th December 2018

It's that time of year again! It's the MicroSoc Costume Christmas Party! The Christmas Party will take place in McGettigan's on 12th December. This year there is no theme for costumes so go wild! The party will start at 7 pm, with finger food and great music! Tickets are €5 and will be on sale in the McCay Library from 12 to 1 Wednesday (05/12)- Friday (07/12)

MicroSoc Christmas Coffee Morning: Charity » Microbiology seminar room » 14th December 2018

Annual Coffee and Mulled Wine Morning

Microsoc Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Dunican theatre » 16th January 2019

Committee Meeting for planning upcoming events

Microsoc Present: Theo Trabac: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 24th January 2019

Theo will be presenting his research on cave microbiomes and effects of fire on forest physiochemical properties.

Postgraduate Ball Early Bird Ticket Sales: Other » Meeting Room 1 » 06th February 2019

Postgraduate Ball Early Bird Ticket Sales: Other » Meeting Room 1 » 07th February 2019

MicroSoc Presents Dr Siobhan McClean: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 07th February 2019

MicroSoc Presents Professor Phil Pope: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 14th February 2019

MicroSoc Presents Carlos Sanchez & Grainne McAndrew: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 21st February 2019

MicroSoc Presents Dr Cyril Jousse: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 07th March 2019

Postgraduate Ball: Gatherings » Galway, Ballybrit, Clayton Hotel » 07th March 2019

MicroSoc Presents Maura Tilbury & Bláthnaid Mahon: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 21st March 2019

MicroSoc Presents Justin O'Grady: Seminar » Dunican theatre » 11th April 2019

MicroSoc Presents Dr Conor Feehily: Seminar » Larmour Lecture Theatre » 06th June 2019

Microsoc AGM: Committee Meeting » Dunican theatre » 07th June 2019

MicroSoc Dinner: Social » coffee on line » 07th June 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(9/9) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

We aim to promote microbiology research and activities to bring together the research community at NUIG and beyond

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to host events, create opportunities for connections, and have fun

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society was successful in bringing both staff and students together through academic activities and social activities.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, the society achieved it's aims, objectives and goals

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think the improvement of the seminar series has been the biggest success for the society this year. The addition of the coffee reception allowed for further discussion of the seminar but also socialising between staff, students and visitors

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

There is a large un-active committee, and a small active committee which is very challenging. Any event or task must be organised by the same few people and can become time consuming.

Microsoc Outgoing Committee

Name: Nicholas Waters **Position:** Auditor

Name: Chloe Mulqueen **Position:** OCM

Name: Huong Duong **Position:** OCM

Name: Jasmine Connolly **Position:** Secretary

Name: Theo Trabac **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Brigid Hooban **Position:** OCM

Name: Denis Ryan **Position:** OCM

Name: Grainne McAndrew **Position:** OCM

Name: Claire Fingleton **Position:** Treasurer

Microsoc Incoming Committee

Name: Nicholas Waters **Position:** Auditor

Microsoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€5,652.48	Ball	€9,349.64
Balls	€615.00	Bank charge	€46.72
Ecommerce Sales	€3,850.00	Dinner/Food	€399.49
Fundraising	€388.00	Entertainment	€1,279.95
Socs box Till	€1,965.00	Entry fees	€350.00
Ticket Sales	€4,710.00	Equipment misc	€33.98
		Fundraising / Charity	€461.46
		Materials	€80.15
		Online Sales Mass Refund	€575
		Printing	€89.45
		Prizes	€100.20
		Reception	€12.64
		Speaker travel	€608.10
		Expenditure Total	€13,386.78
		Cash In Hand	€6.88
		Closing Bank Balance	€3,786.82
Total	€17,180.48	Total	€17,180.48

Other Information

We held 7 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 251 members.

Minceirs Whiden

The Minceir Whiden Society, which is the first Traveller society in Ireland, was co-founded this year by NUI Galway students Jason Sherlock and Owen Ward, as well as the Galway Traveller Movement. The society aims to work towards increasing Traveller participation in third level education while providing a safe and welcoming space on campus. In addition, the society intends to build alliances as well as form relationships between Travellers and the student and staff body at NUI Galway.

Ethnicity Recognition



Minceirs Whiden Events list (10 Individual Events)

Preparation for Societies Day: Gatherings » Smokeys Cafe » 10th September 2018

Working out the logistics for society's day.

Societies Day: Social » Bailey Allen Hall Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th September 2018

Signing up new members.

Social Gathering: Entertainment » College Bar (SULT) » 16th November 2018

Gathering of members to share Ideas and connect.

Mincéirs Whiden Inaugural AGM: Committee Meeting » Áras na mac Léinn - Large Acoustic room » 12th December 2018

Inaugural AGM of the Mincéirs Whiden Society to elect their first Committee and to plan their list of events for semester two

POST AGM REFLECTION: Committee Meeting » Smokeys Cafe » 15th January 2019

Reflection on how the AGM was handled and discussing the email and text messaging problem with our society. in collaboration with soc box.

Organizational meeting for EGM and reflection of events for Semester One and future events: Gatherings » Smokeys Cafe » 23rd January 2019

Meetings of Minceir whiden members and with GTM and representatives of Garn to discuss the propose of the Society so far and plans for the future.

EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 18th February 2019

EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 08th March 2019

Committee meeting to plan future events and update consitution and add new committee members.

National Traveller Mental Health Conference: Conference » The Cube » 15th March 2019



The National Traveller Mental Health Conference will explore the need for a culturally inclusive Mental Health service and will look at some of the issues that would need to be addressed in providing a culturally inclusive Mental Health service. In addition, the Conference will look at some of key issues affecting the Traveller community in regard to Mental Health. This Conference is in partnership with the Minceir Whiden Society, Galway Traveller Movement and all Traveller organisations connected to the National Traveller Mental Health

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Launch of Minceir Whiden Society: Gatherings » Large Acoustic Room » 17th April 2019

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society aims to work towards increasing Traveller participation in third level education while providing a safe and welcoming space on campus. At present, just 1% of the travelling community hold a third level qualification. In addition, the society intends to build alliances as well as form relationships between Travellers, the student and staff body at NUI Galway. The Minceir Whiden Society committee would like to invite staff and registered students at NUI Galway to the official launch of the new society. The launch will take place on Wednesday 17th April from 3.30pm – 5.30pm at the Large Acoustic room, Aras Na Mac Leinn, NUI Galway.

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

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Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Very well as it's our first year

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes I feel we did

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Mental health conference and society launch.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Gathering new members.

Minceirs Whiden Outgoing Committee

Name: Jason Sherlock **Position:** Auditor

Name: Coleman Sweeney **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Kathleen Sweeney **Position:** O.C.M

Name: Martin Ward **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Lee Anna Warde **Position:** Secretary

Name: Lennita Ruggi **Position:** O.C.M

Name: Michelle Mitchell **Position:** O.C.M

Name: Owen Mac an Bhaird **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Minceirs Whiden Incoming Committee

Name: Jason Sherlock **Position:** Interim Auditor

Minceirs Whiden Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.60
USC Grant	€500.00	Dinner/Food	€18.83
		Printing	€134.07
		Expenditure Total	€198.5
		Closing Bank Balance	€301.5
Total	€500	Total	€500

Alive Certificate Recipients

Owen Ward	0 hrs	O.C.M.
Michelle Mitchell	0 hrs	O.C.M

Total Hours 0 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 187 members.

Musical Society (GUMS)

Galway University Musical Society is one of the largest societies at NUIG, with 1884 members. We are an active, enthusiastic and fun society with one shared love: musical theatre. This year was a fantastic year for GUMS. We put our best foot forward from day one, holding two events in orientation week: A musical quiz and a viewing of "Hairspray live" on campus. At socs day in semester one, we encouraged new members to sign up for GUMS, by highlighting the qualities of our society and emphasizing that we are the title holders of Ireland's best society (BICS). We were successful in bringing our membership count up to 1884 members. The semester really kicked off with auditions for our main musical "Pippin". After two long days of auditions and call backs, the cast of Pippin was chosen and we were ready to begin rehearsals. Rehearsals started in week four and continued for the rest of the semester, with dance rehearsals on Tuesdays from 6-9pm, singing on Wednesdays from 7-9pm and acting rehearsals for the cast every week. Committee and production team meetings were held every week to ensure the show

and the society in general was run as smoothly as possible. Of course, many more events were taking place throughout semester one in conjunction with Pippin rehearsals. The New members showcase took place on 5th November. This was a short production involving only new members in the cast, chorus and production team, coordinated by our new members Liaison officer Rachel. This allowed new members to get to know each other while simultaneously gaining theatre experience on and off stage. The showcase was fantastic and the new members thoroughly enjoyed the experience. GUMS collaborated with Dramsoc to produce the mini musical "In the Heights". This thoroughly enjoyable show ran from 20th-23rd November in the Bank of Ireland theatre. In January, weekend rehearsals began for Pippin. This involved the entire cast, chorus and production team putting in maximal effort in rehearsals every Saturday and Sunday for five weeks leading up to the show, in addition to the regular weekday rehearsals. Huge dedication, commitment, teamwork and energy went into this production. This paid off on show week, the 5th-9th of February, when Pippin was performed for five nights in the Black Box theatre. The show was phenomenal. The audience were captivated and responded to the production with a standing ovation each night. The AIMS review of the show was full of the highest praise we could hope for. Every cast, chorus, production team member, committee member, stage hand and front of house helper thoroughly enjoyed show week and we all felt a great sense of achievement when we saw how our production was received by the audience. As well as rehearsals and productions, we held an array of GUMS events throughout the year. Our creative events officer Robert was never out of ideas! We had speed dating, movie nights, two miscast open mic nights, a chilli-heat challenge, the DRUMS family feud with Dramsoc, two silent discos, a one-week musical challenge, a fundraising bake sale, a Halloween party and performance, an Xmas Xtraveganza party, a trip to see Cabaret in Dublin, a musical quiz and the GUMS masquerade ball. We always had something to do and had a thoroughly enjoyable year. It was rewarding to see so many of our members, old and new, attend these events and have lots of fun. That is what being part of our society is really about; making friends and having fun. We ended the year on a high with Intervarsities. This year, GUMS hosted the musical theatre intervarsities in Aras Na Mac Leinn for the first time. This event took place on Friday the 29th and Saturday the 30th March. The eight participating colleges were NUIG, UCD, DCU, CIT, UCC, Maynooth, Trinity and Queens. On the Friday participants were split into teams and took part in workshops and games. This was followed by an open mic in Sult and a trip to Carbon! On Saturday each participating college had a tech run and rehearsals before the big event in which each college performed a 20-minute musical on stage in the Bailey Allen. Intervarsities was a huge event for GUMS as we aspired to be the best hosts possible. We believe we achieved this as the visiting colleges gave us excellent feedback; they loved the workshops, the food and the fun! To top off an amazing weekend, GUMS won best overall production, best direction and best musical direction. The joy that filled the Bailey Allen when GUMS were announced as winners was immeasurable. It was amazing to see that all of our hard work paid off. So many GUMS members took part in the intervarsities weekend and we all had an incredible time. Next week we will have an end of year party to celebrate an amazing, successful year for GUMS. After exams, 24 GUMS members are flying to London to experience the magic of the West End. Finally, in May, we will host the schools awards, organised by our schools Liaison officers Louise and Loughlin. At this event awards will be given to secondary school students who performed well in their school musical productions throughout the year. We hope to encourage young students to continue to take part in musical theatre. Overall, the year 2018-2019 has been a triumph for GUMS. We won the awards for "Most Alive Society" and "Best New Idea" (for the DRUMS family feud event) at socs ball. We also won the award for "Best publicity campaign" for Pippin. We are so proud of our members and all they have achieved. We hope that our members had an enjoyable, rewarding and profitable year with GUMS and that memories were made

that will last a lifetime.
The GUMS inters team full of joy!

Musical Society (GUMS) Events list (53 Individual Events)



GUMS Auditions for Pippin the musical: Arts & Culture » Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th September 2018

Come along to audition for this years GUMS musical Pippin! If you like to sing, dance, act or simply have the craic, join us in Aras na Mac Leinn for a fun filled day. Simply prepare a verse and chorus from your favourite song. Don't worry if your singing and dancing skills are a bit rusty, everyone who auditions gets to be in the chorus for our musical Pippin, which is set to be phenomenal! We look forward to seeing your shining faces there!

callbacks for pippin: Arts & Culture » Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

GUMS Meet and Greet: Social » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 18th September 2018

We've got magic to do! Come along to the GUMS on Tuesday the 18th of September in The Cube. Let's all each other a little better before we kickstart rehearsals Pippin! Like making friends? Yes? Then this is the event Everybody is welcome. This is a chance to meet the and production team, as well as fellow cast and chorus fun-filled evening of games, bonding and general craic

"Carrie, the musical" auditions.: Arts & Culture » Aras Leinn » 24th September 2018

GUMS Speed dating.: Social » The Cube, Aras na Mac September 2018

What better way to make some new friends than a little old fashioned speed dating? Drop those digital devices



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guys and dolls in the Cube
on Tuesday 25th September
at 6pm.

GUMS EGM: Arts & Culture
» Small Acoustic Room -
Aras na Mac Leinn » 27th
September 2018

Have your say at the GUMS
EGM. The positions
of treasurer, costumes
assistant and stage manager
for Pippin are up for grabs. All
members are encouraged to
come along and share their
valued opinions!

Dance Rehearsals for



Pippin: Arts & Culture » Location TBA » 02nd October 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 03rd October 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 09th October 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 10th October 2018

New members showcase meet up: Arts & Culture » O'Donoghue Centre for Drama » 11th October 2018

Musical Movie Night: Arts & Culture » Tyndall Theatre » 11th October 2018

Miscast Open mic night: Social » Galway, Galway City, Carbon Nightclub » 15th October 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 16th October 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 17th October 2018

Chilli- Heat challenge: Arts & Culture » O'Donoghue Centre for Drama, Theatre and Performance » 18th October 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » Emily Anderson » 23rd October 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 24th October 2018

DRUMS Halloween party: Social » Galway, Galway City, Kyotes » 25th October 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 30th October 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 31st October 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » Aula Maxima » 06th November 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 07th November 2018

DRUMS Family fued: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 09th November 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 13th November 2018

Late and Live number 4: GUMS silent disco: Social » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 14th November 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » Emily Anderson Concert Hall » 20th November 2018

In the Heights: Arts & Culture » The Bank of Ireland Theatre » 20th November 2018

Tickets on sale now for "In The Heights", the Dramsoc-GUMS collab musical! Be sure to get them soon before they sell out 🙌 Sure to be an amazing show with an incredible cast, beautiful songs and amazing dances that will make you wish you could get up and join in!

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 21st November 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 27th November 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 28th November 2018

Xmas Xtraveganza: Social » Galway, Galway City, Carbon Nightclub » 29th November 2018

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 05th December 2018

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 08th January 2019

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 09th January 2019

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 15th January 2019

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 16th January 2019

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 22nd January 2019

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 23rd January 2019

Dreamgirls viewing: Arts & Culture » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 24th January 2019

EGM: Other » Aras an Mac Leinn » 25th January 2019

We will be electing a new sets assistant, all GUMS members welcome.

Dance Rehearsals for Pippin: Arts & Culture » The Cube » 29th January 2019

Pippin Singing rehearsals: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 30th January 2019

Miscast Open Mic: Entertainment » College Bar (SULT) » 31st January 2019

GUMS Presents "Pippin the Musical": Arts & Culture » Galway, Galway City, The BlackBox Theatre » 05th February 2019

Galway University Musical Society would like to invite you to join us for a magic-filled night of song and dance in their 2019 production of 'Pippin'! 'Pippin' follows the story of Pippin, a young prince who longs to find passion and adventure in his life, told by a group of performers led by the charismatic Leading Player. Filled to the brim with intrigue, humour, romance, battles and illusion, 'Pippin' is sure to satisfy any audience member! With a hefty supply of Tony Awards under it's belt and our own immensely talented all-student cast and crew, 'Pippin' is a musical that will knock your socks off and leave you begging for more. Tickets are available online at www.tht.ie, from the Town Hall Theatre and the Socs Box in NUI Galway NOW. Tickets €15/ €12 for Students/Concession.

Intervarsities auditions: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 12th February 2019

Auditions are this Tuesday 12th of February in Aras na Mac Leinn!! All you need to prepare is one verse and one chorus from any song of your choice. There will be an acting audition also and the accent we are looking for is London Camden (Think Our House!). Lastly there is a group dance audition as well ! :) We cannot wait for all of the amazing talent to audition for us and create another incredible performance. Don't miss what is going to be an extraordinary experience!!!

GUMS Ball 2019: Masquerade: Social » Galway, Galway, Ardilaun Hotel » 04th March 2019

GUMS Ball is back and this time were spicing things up with a masquerade theme! (Which means of course we will be playing 'Masquerade' from Phantom on repeat x) Tickets are on sale now for the event of the year in Socs Box! It is on Monday March 4th at 8pm. There will be copious amounts of musical

songs, a full course dinner, drinks provided and so much craic with everyone dressed to impress. So come and have your Cinderella Story moment in a gazibo with Prince Charming, masks make everything more interesting!! Full Tickets: €30 Afters Only: €15

Musical Quiz: Entertainment » Galway, Galway City, Skeff Bar » 13th March 2019

GUMS silent disco late&live number 5: Entertainment » The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn » 19th March 2019

GUMS AGM: Arts & Culture » Aras Úi Chathail » 25th March 2019

Musical Theatre Intervarsities: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn » 29th March 2019

GUMS host the musical theatre intervarsities for the first time! The participating colleges are : NUIG(GUMS), DCU, UCD, Trinity College, Maynooth, UCC, CIT and Queens.

End of year party: Arts & Culture » Galway, Galway City, Skeff Bar » 11th April 2019

Our end of year party will take place Thursday 11th April at 8:30pm upstairs in the Skeff. Then we will head to DNA for a boogie. Please join us to celebrate a wonderful year for GUMS :)

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

As a society we strive to be as inclusive as possible, by our relationship with our members and getting as many people involved in productions and events as possible. We look to put on at least one event on a week, be that on or off university premises. Each event is designed around a musical aspect, and is made to get people involved and cast members bonded, while having as much fun as possible. We are also continuing our New Members Showcase. Our main event of the year is our 2nd semester production. We aim each year to put on the best possible production as we can. This is a very inclusive show, as all who audition are allowed participate in the show. We also put on a mini musical collaboration with Dramsoc in week 11. We are also hosting the Musical Theatre Intervarsities this year, where 7 other universities come and compete over one weekend. This is our first year hosting, and the first year it has left UCD since its creation 3 years ago.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- We hope to get as many new members as possible at socs day.
- We hope to get as many people involved and auditioning for our main production, Pippin as possible.
- We look to have at least one event each week, to get people involved and buzzed about musicals.
- We aim to produce the best possible show in 2nd semester (Pippin). If we can continue to make a profit like last year that would be great, but at the very least we want Pippin to be one of the best shows done by GUMS, and for everyone involved to have fun and be proud of what they made.
- We hope to collab with Dramsoc as much as possible, and to continue the high that the mini musical is on.
- We hope to make Inters the best possible event as we can. We intend to budget as well as possible, get a load of sponsorship, and keep well organised; all to ensure each member of our

university and the visiting universities have the best possible weekend. Also we would hope to come out with an even budget at the very least.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Reflecting on our mission statement, it is accurate to say that our society performed excellently this year. GUMS certainly was an inclusive society this year. We pride ourselves in how we welcomed our new members and provided them with encouragement throughout the year. We ensured our members settled into the society and got to know each other by holding events such as speed dating and the meet and greet early in semester one. At these events committee members made a special effort to get to know new members and make them feel welcome and included. Evidence that our new members felt welcome and included this year came at our AGM, in which new members filled 10 out of the 15 committee and production team roles for the oncoming academic year (2019-2020). Another way in which GUMS was a success this year was our array of events. We held at least one event every week and encouraged all members to attend and take part. We certainly had a lot of fun at all of the events. Our New members showcase was a huge success and our new members thoroughly enjoyed producing their own show. This helped them to settle into the society. Our production of "In the Heights" with Dramsoc was brilliant. All involved in this production had a wonderful time and it was received very well by the audience each night. Our main production, Pippin, ran from the 5th-9th of February in the Black Box theatre. Huge dedication, commitment, teamwork and energy went into this production. The show was phenomenal. The audience were captivated and responded to the production with a standing ovation each night. The AIMS review of the show was full of the highest praise we could hope for. Every cast member, chorus member, production team member, committee member, stage hand and front of house helper thoroughly enjoyed show week and we all felt a great sense of achievement when we saw how our production was received by the audience. Finally, this year we successfully hosted the musical theatre intervarsities. We had a wonderful weekend with the seven other participating colleges. To top off a fantastic, fun-filled weekend, GUMS won best overall production, best direction and best musical direction. Overall GUMS was a fantastic society to be part of in the academic year 2018-2019.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our society achieved all of its aims, objectives and goals this year.

- We signed up many new members on socs day, bringing our membership up to 1884.
- Pippin was a very inclusive show, with a huge cast and chorus. Everyone who auditioned automatically became a chorus member and had the opportunity to perform in the Black Box theatre. A team of stage hands and front of house helpers were also involved during show week. Overall, we ensured that everyone who wanted to be part of "Pippin" could fulfill their dream!
- Overall GUMS was a very active society and this was highlighted when we won the award for "Most ALIVE" at socs ball.
- We had more events this year than ever before. We held at least one event every week and participation was huge. We encouraged people to get involved and buzzed about musicals.
- Pippin was one of the best shows ever done by GUMS. Everyone involved had fun and was proud of what they made.
- We collaborated with Dramsoc successfully. "In the Heights" was a brilliant show. We also had an event with Dramsoc called "DRUMS family feud", which won the award for best new idea at socs ball.
- Intervarsities was phenomenal. The visiting colleges gave us excellent feedback; they loved the workshops, the food and the fun! To top off an amazing weekend, GUMS won best overall production, best direction and best musical direction. The joy that filled the Bailey Allen when GUMS were announced as winners was immeasurable. Every member of GUMS that took part in or helped out at inters had the best weekend, as did the visiting students from Dublin, Cork, Maynooth and Belfast.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our society had numerous successes this year. One of our greatest successes was producing a wonderful show, "Pippin". Every member of the society had the opportunity to be involved in this production and so many of our members seized this chance and had a blast putting on this show. "Pippin" is known to be a difficult show to produce and we knew it would be a challenge. However our wonderful production team, cast and chorus made it their own and pulled it off! The audience were amazed and we received standing ovations each night. Secondly, hosting intervarsities this year was equally as successful as putting on "Pippin". The eight participating colleges had the best weekend and GUMS came out as winners to top it all off! These two events were triumphs. However, the greatest success of GUMS is the joy we brought to our members and those who watched our performances. Memories were made this year that will last a lifetime. Bonds were formed between GUMS members and friends were made.

Those involved in GUMS say that it thoroughly enhanced their college experience and we regard this as the greatest success of our society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge for our society is the financial cost of putting on events such as "Pippin" and intervarsities. It was difficult to receive funding this year as many of our sponsors were not cooperative. However, we tried our best to make the most out of every situation and budgeted well with what we had.

Musical Society (GUMS) Outgoing Committee

Name: Cian Elwood **Position:** Auditor
Name: Amie Donnellan **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Niamh Mockler **Position:** Secretary
Name: Alisha Finnerty **Position:** PRO
Name: Oisin Doyle **Position:** PRO Assistant
Name: Robert Naughton **Position:** Events Officer
Name: Loughlin Russell **Position:** Schools Liaison Officer
Name: Louise Hosty **Position:** Schools Liaison Officer
Name: Amy O'Reilly **Position:** Outreach Officer
Name: Rachel Gaughan **Position:** NMLO (New Members Liaison Officer)
Name: Kevin Murphy **Position:** Production Team: Director
Name: Eoin Corcoran **Position:** Production Team: Musical Director
Name: Laura Shivanan **Position:** Production Team: Assistant Musical Director
Name: Meadhbh Lyons **Position:** Production Team: Choreographer
Name: Anna Campbell **Position:** Production Team: Assistant Choreographer
Name: Julie Quinn **Position:** Production Team: Head of Costumes
Name: Emily Aherne **Position:** Stage Manager
Name: Raymond Fox **Position:** Production Team: Costumes Assistant
Name: Ethan Cox **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Brian Kielty **Position:** Intersvarsities PRO
Name: Michael Healy **Position:** Inters Team: Choreographer
Name: Oisin Parslow **Position:** OCM
Name: Nicole Denning **Position:** OCM
Name: Patrick Conneely **Position:** Inters Team: Director
Name: Katie Feeney **Position:** Inters Team: Musical Director
Name: Aine Cooney **Position:** Inters Team: Choreographer
Name: Cadhla Boyle **Position:** Production Team: Sets Assistant

Musical Society (GUMS) Incoming Committee

Name: Jodie Finn **Position:** Production Team: Choreographer
Name: Katie Feeney **Position:** Production Team: Assistant Musical Director
Name: Sarah Crudden **Position:** Secretary
Name: Julie Quinn **Position:** Production Team: Director
Name: Emily Aherne **Position:** Stage Manager
Name: Cadhla Boyle **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Nia Northime **Position:** Production Team: Assistant Choreographer
Name: Ana Devaney Moreno **Position:** Schools Liaison Officer
Name: Neal McHugh **Position:** Public Relations Officer (PRO)
Name: Rebecca Long **Position:** Schools Liaison Officer
Name: Louise Hosty **Position:** Auditor
Name: Nicole Denning **Position:** Production Team: Head of Costumes
Name: Eoin Corcoran **Position:** Production Team: Musical Director
Name: Mairead Dewar **Position:** Production Team: Costumes Assistant
Name: Patrick Sweeney **Position:** NMLO (New Members Liaison Officer)
Name: Adam O'Connor **Position:** Outreach Officer
Name: Roisin Finn **Position:** Public Relations Assistant

Musical Society (GUMS) Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,636.93	Affil/Mem fees	€330.00
Ecommerce Sales	€7,958.00	Ball	€2,102.68
Fundraising	€112.00	Bank charge	€53.15
Members Contributions	€1,935.00	Costumes	€2,601.18
Refund of Expenses	€1.15	Dinner/Food	€4,976.86
Socs box Till	€5,214.00		
Socs Till lodgement	€150.00	Entry fees	€155.00
Sponsorship	€1,100.00	Equipment misc	€738.07
Ticket Sales	€13,443.47	Hall hire	€6,400.00
USC Grant	€11,270.00	Hoodies	€344.00
		Lights	€3,177.47
		Makeup/Props	€226.26
		Materials	€400
		Online Sales Mass Refund	€15
		Performing rights	€3736.81
		Postage	€196
		Printing	€669.65

		Prizes	€450
		Services Hired	€520
		Set	€2778.99
		Society accomm	€1393.47
		Society transport	€3369.71
		Sound	€6570
		Stationary	€322.30
		Expenditure Total	€41,526.60
Total	€43,820.55	Closing Bank Balance	€2,293.95
		Total	€43,820.55

Alive Certificate Recipients

Robert Naughton	1040 hrs	Events Officer
Anna Campbell	1200 hrs	Production Team: Assistant Choreographer
Michael Murphy	670 hrs	Volunteer
Loughlin Russell	400 hrs	Schools Liaison Officer
Katie Feeney	600 hrs	Volunteer
Rachele Mazzini	450 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Crudden	432 hrs	Volunteer
Ciara Mullen	420 hrs	Volunteer
Lauren Lynch	420 hrs	Volunteer

Rory Delaney	520 hrs	Volunteer
Laine Moylan	420 hrs	Volunteer
Amy O'Reilly	1600 hrs	Outreach Officer
Niamh Mockler	254 hrs	Secretary
Meadhbh Lyons	1300 hrs	Production Team: Choreographer
Adam O'Connor	658 hrs	Volunteer
Ethan Padden	430 hrs	Volunteer
Cadhla Boyle	660 hrs	Volunteer
Patrick Sweeney	800 hrs	Volunteer
Juliet Kennedy	420 hrs	Volunteer
Rachel Gaughan	1200 hrs	NMLO (New Members Liaison Officer)
Nia Northime	420 hrs	Volunteer
Catherine Higgins	100 hrs	Volunteer
Noel Minogue	520 hrs	Volunteer
Kate Gilmore	240 hrs	Volunteer
Louise Hosty	1300 hrs	Schools Liaison Officer
Kevin Murphy	640 hrs	Production Team: Director
Anna Doolin	420 hrs	Volunteer
Samuel Tuohy	240 hrs	Volunteer

Ethan Cox	800 hrs	Treasurer
Adrienne Walsh	200 hrs	Volunteer
Raymond Fox	600 hrs	Production Team: Costumes Assistant
Emily Aherne	400 hrs	Stage Manager
Hannah Donnelly	36 hrs	Volunteer
Oisin Parslow	602 hrs	OCM
Oisin Feely	420 hrs	Volunteer
Jessica Harkin	200 hrs	Volunteer
Oisin Doyle	400 hrs	PRO Assistant
Mark Fitzgerald	1000 hrs	Volunteer
Alisha Finnerty	1200 hrs	PRO
Jodie Finn	592 hrs	Volunteer
Nicole Denning	64 hrs	OCM
Alexandra Kleinsteuber	440 hrs	Volunteer
Sorcha Whyte	80 hrs	Volunteer
Michael Healy	870 hrs	Production Team: Choreographer
Lisa Hamilton	200 hrs	Volunteer
Aine Cooney	400 hrs	Inters Team: Choreographer
Claudia Glavey	1400 hrs	Volunteer

Julie Quinn	640 hrs	Production Team: Head of Costumes
Pimapsorn Thavornnart	500 hrs	Volunteer
Laura Shivan	2000 hrs	Production Team: Assistant Musical Director
Amie Donnellan	0 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Madison Carpenter	452 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 31270 Participants: 52

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 1379 members.

Neuro Society

We are happy with the overall progression of NeuroSoc this semester. At the AGM in September only 3 people (myself included) were interested in taking on an active role in this society and one person then withdrew from their role leaving only two of us. For this reason we had a slow start to the year and did not have any events in the first semester. However, we called an EGM in February and got 16 committee members to join up. We held a movie night and participated in Brain Awareness week. We have several other events in mind but did not have the time to organise them all, although we hope to plan one over the summer to hold in September. Approximately half of our current committee said they would be happy to continue on as committee members next year and we have two new members join. We look forward to next year to continue promoting neuroscience in a fun interactive way.



Neuro Society Events list (10 Individual Events)

Societies Day: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn » 12th September 2018

Societies Day: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn » 22nd January 2019

EGM: Committee Meeting » The Space, Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th February 2019

EGM to elect new committee members.

Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 18th February 2019

NeuroSoc move night: Film » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 28th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 04th March 2019

My Amazing Brain Exhibition: Educational » Aula Maxima » 12th March 2019

Guy Jones Talk: Guest Speakers » Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th March 2019

Guy Jones Talk

Meeting: Committee Meeting » AC202, The Concourse » 20th March 2019

NeuroSoc AGM: Committee Meeting » AC202 Arts Concourse » 28th March 2019

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

NeuroSoc aims to unite people with an interest in brain research and enable them to broaden their knowledge and interest in a fun and exciting way.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

1. To organize talks/seminars of interest by expert speakers and hopefully with speakers that would interest a broad audience.
2. Hopefully purchase a new EEG to allow us to host events and involve this fun aspect of neuroscience.
3. Raise awareness through events on topics of interest such as drugs of abuse, or how sleep can benefit the mind etc.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We may have started off slowly but we are really pleased with how the second semester is going so far. We've had lots of interest and all our new committee members are settling into their roles now. We are excited to see what we can achieve in the coming months.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We have yet to complete any of our goals, but we will very soon with Brain Awareness Week in a couple of weeks! This just shows that we can put a little more time into our society and with a great group of new people we hope to have a whole new set of aims and goals in the coming academic year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Having come for a very small group of committee members at the beginning of the year when we were initially handed over the committee to a group of 16 really interested people has been our greatest success. It makes events and organising much easier and supports a positive social environment.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was communication at the start. We had some issues with finding committee members and with being able to delegate sufficient time to running the society. However, in second semester with the help of the socs box staff we were able to overcome this.

Neuro Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Rachel Humphrey **Position:** Auditor
Name: Aoife Thornton **Position:** Secretary
Name: Edel Hughes **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Donna Kennedy **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Laura Millett **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Rachel Kelly **Position:** OCM
Name: Ciara Forkin **Position:** OCM
Name: Shin Tien Seo **Position:** OCM

Neuro Society Incoming Committee

Name: Sarah Feely **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Carol Yassa **Position:** OCM
Name: Li Ying Tay **Position:** OCM

Neuro Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€842.07	Bank charge	€22.80
		Dinner/Food	€71.9
		Speaker travel	€78
		Expenditure Total	€172.7
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€669.37
Total	€842.07	Total	€842.07

Alive Certificate Recipients

Rachel Humphrey	30 hrs	Auditor
Edel Hughes	24 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Shin Tien Seo	1 hrs	OCM
Anna Giatraki	4 hrs	PRO
Maria Ciobanu	0 hrs	OCM
Ailis Cahalane	12 hrs	OCM
Laura Millett	10 hrs	Events Manager
Sarah Feely	5 hrs	Treasurer

10 members underwent Niteline phone line training.

Niteline Spring Conference: Educational » United Kingdom, Birmingham, Pioneers Centre, Cleobury Mortimer » 12th April 2019

Laura Nolan and Ciara O'Connell attended the Niteline Spring Conference in Birmingham.

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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1. Set up a Niteline branch in NUI Galway capable of providing all the supports to the student body typically provided by Niteline and obtain sufficient volunteers and college support to maintain this into future years.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to have established connections with the various departments in college and department heads by the end of the first term as well as have an office space secured.

By the end of the second term we hope to have raised significant awareness of the existence of a niteline on campus and also, depending on external factors, begin recruiting volunteers.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We made significant progress towards setting up a Niteline branch at NUI Galway. We now have the support of other branches as well as the support of the university. We have established a Service Level Agreement and received training in active listening skills and team organisation which will be used when launching the service and when training new volunteers.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we have obtained the support of the relevant university staff and secured an office space.

We have also offered the first round of training and are now in a position to offer subsequent sessions ourselves.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think that our greatest success was reaching an agreement with the college on the logistics of setting up a student run helpline and enlisting the relevant support.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Going forward I regard our greatest challenge as ensuring suitable leadership in the coming year due to current society members needing to priorities other responsibilities. There is a certain level of knowledge about the service required in order for someone to take over setup leadership so passing this on may be challenging.

Niteline Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: William Murray **Position:** Auditor

Name: Elizabeth Shields **Position:** Secretary

Name: Carson McFeetors **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Laura Nolan **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Armon Nasehi **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Megan Griffiths **Position:** OCM

Name: Ciara O'Connell **Position:** OCM

Name: Dominic O'Shea **Position:** Treasurer

Niteline Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Ciara O'Connell **Position:** Secretary

Name: William Murray **Position:** Auditor

Niteline Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€55.99
USC Grant	€600.00	Dinner/Food	€25.00
		Society transport	€138.56
		Speaker accomm	€143.78
		Expenditure Total	€363.33
		Closing Bank Balance	€236.67
Total	€600	Total	€600

Alive Certificate Recipients

Laura Nolan	12 hrs	Vice-Auditor
William Murray	40 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 52 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 361 members.

NUIG Environmental Society

This year was a year of change for the NUIG environmental society formally known as CCAFS. We changed not only the name of the society but also our approach to growing the society for this year and the future. We aimed to make the society more accessible to undergraduate students and not just students completing the CCAFS masters programme. We aimed to promote sustainable living for students by organising a zero waste workshop and inspiring students with creative ideas to reduce their waste through our facebook page. We also worked on growing the society as previously the membership numbers were quite small, we succeeded in this by having a stall at Societies day and recruiting new members. Overall the society has changed a lot over the past academic year and we look forward to what next year brings.



The committee at our zero waste workshop

NUIG Environmental Society Events list (18 Individual Events)

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 02nd October 2018

CCAFS & Organic Garden

Social: Social » Galway, Galway City, Áras na Gael » 04th October 2018

Social event for new members of the Organic Garden and CCAFS society.

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 09th October 2018

committee meeting: Committee

Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 16th October 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 23rd October 2018

A Plastic Ocean Screening: Film » AC201, Arts Concourse » 25th October 2018

<https://www.facebook.com/events/316134452507304/>

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 30th October 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 06th November 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 13th November 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 20th November 2018

EGM: Other » Seminar Room, Aras De Brún » 20th November 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 27th November 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 04th December 2018

committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 11th December 2018

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 29th January 2019

meeting for committee members every second week.

semester 2 social night: Social » Galway, Galway City, Sliding Rock » 29th January 2019

Social night to welcome new members, included food and fun.

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Arás de Brún second floor meeting room » 05th February 2019

meeting for committee members every second week.

Zero Waste Workshop: Workshops » Meeting Room 1, Aras na Mac Leinn » 07th February 2019

An informational workshop on zero waste presented by a guest speaker in meeting room 1 of Aras na Mac Leinn

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The primary aim of the society shall be to promote a more sustainable way of life, both on campus in NUIG and locally.

To promote educational environment and promote positive action around the themes of development, climate change, agriculture and food security

To promote and engage in local action as well as to collaborate with Irish and global organisations that falls under the themes of sustainability, development, climate change, agriculture and food security.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Hold a putluck dinner

Produce a leaflet/publication about how people can live more sustainably on campus

Hold some screening of movies such as blue planet

Host a zero waste workshop

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think our society did well this year. We came together as a small group and held a number of events throughout the year. I think we had some nice ideas that didn't materialise but could be brought forward next year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved all of our aims this year except producing a leaflet. I think this was a matter of inefficiency and something to work on next year. Tasks to be delegated better, voting for preferences and go with the majority. Some members had proposed to have a drawing session to make the posters but this never happened. With the budget, we could have paid a small sum to someone to design a poster. Next years members can carry this forward.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think we had a great turn out for the zero waste workshop and it was well received. Perhaps we could have held a follow up to see had participants taken on board any of the tips from the workshop.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

There was great momentum at the beginning of the year but we had small numbers for the second half of the year and a number of the students were completing Masters which we very busy. It was difficult to commit a lot of time or to carry out activities we would have liked.

NUIG Environmental Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Aoife Donovan **Position:** Secretary

Name: Clare O'Keeffe **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Padraig Scully **Position:** Auditor

Name: Annette Cotter **Position:** PRO (Public Relations Officer)

Name: Hazel Wolstenholme **Position:** OCM

Name: Lorene Lefebvre **Position:** Treasurer

NUIG Environmental Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€957.72	Bank charge	€22.70
		Dinner/Food	€119
		Returned Socs Money	€400
		Services Hired	€60
		Speaker accomm	€45.48
		Expenditure Total	€647.17
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€238.54
Total	€957.72	Total	€885.72

Other Information

We held 14 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 646 members.

Orchestra Soc

The orchestra aims to provide a friendly environment for students to meet and play music together, and to celebrate the musical culture of NUIG and Galway. We hold two semesterly concerts, two trips to a town in Ireland, and various fundraisers. We hold weekly rehearsals in Aras na Mac Leinn and organise frequent social nights out for our members.

The culmination of a semester of hard work.

Orchestra Soc Events list (22 Individual Events)

Pizza Social Night: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 12th September 2018

Pizza was ordered for after rehearsal to encourage members to socialise

Orchestra Soc First Rehearsal: Music Event » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 18th September 2018

Join the Orchestra Society for our first rehearsal of the year! We will be practicing Debussy's Arabesque in preparation for our Winter Concert. All are welcome!

Orchestra Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 25th September 2018

Join the Orchestra Soc for our Extraordinary General Meeting! There are some committee positions up for grabs such as PRO and OCM. Hope to see you there!



Orchestra Soc Cake Sale: Other » Smokeys Table » 25th October 2018

We've baked cakes! And we're gonna sell them! Come on down and try some out they're great I promise.

Pizza Social Night: Social » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 12th November 2018

Pizza was bought for a social night to encourage members to socialise

Orchestra Table Quiz: Entertainment » Galway, Galway City, Busker Brownes » 19th November 2018

Join the Orchestra Society for a fun night of quizzical questions!

NUIG Orchestra Annual Winter Concert: Music Event » Galway, Galway, St Nicholas' Collegiate Church » 01st December 2018

Join the NUIG Orchestra for a magical evening in St Nicholas' Church! Our annual Christmas Concert (in aid of Draíocht Society, NUI Galway) will be held in St. Nicholas' Church on Saturday 1st December 2018. We will be joined by NUI Galway's Testostertone's led by Peter Mannion. Tickets are €8 (adults) or €5 (Students, OAP's, Children). Promises to be a great night 🎵🎵 Tickets will be available from the socs box (soon) and on the door on the night. MusicChild-friendly

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 15th January 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 22nd January 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 22nd January 2019

We're going to have a quick EGM to elect two new PROs and a new OCM!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 29th January 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 05th February 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 12th February 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 19th February 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Table Quiz: Entertainment » Sult » 23rd February 2019

Table quiz to raise funds for the society

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 26th February 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 05th March 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 12th March 2019

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Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 19th March 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

Orchestra Rehearsal: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 26th March 2019

Join the Orchestra for our weekly rehearsals in preparation for our Spring concert!

NUIG Orchestra Spring Concert: Arts & Culture » Galway, Galway, St. Nicholas' Church » 30th March 2019

The NUIG Orchestra Society, joined by the HMW, Forsyth Georgia Central Band, and the Commons Jazz Ensemble.

Orchestra Society AGM: Arts & Culture » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 02nd April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	11 society committee members with questions answered	11 Total society committee members	(11/11) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To provide a friendly environment for students to meet and play music together, and to celebrate the musical culture of NUIG and Galway.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Weekend trip to Westport to have intensive rehearsal and offer new members an opportunity to get comfortable with the society.

Have our annual winter concert in St Nicholas' church.

Go on a trip to Inisbofin (2nd Semester) for just an all round good time.

Finish off the year with a successful Spring concert.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Other than relocating our trip to Inisbofin to Sligo instead the year has gone incredibly well. Not only did we achieve our four big goals this year but also have held a number of successful smaller events such as fundraisers and social nights.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society achieved all of our aims apart from establishing more musical ensembles, a goal that will definitely be reattempted next year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I regard our concerts to be our greatest success. Our winter concert raised over €1500 for a fellow society Draiocht. Having learnt from the winter concert our spring concert was even more successful.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge is definitely trying to find musicians to fill certain roles in the orchestra that may be vacant (cellists, percussionists etc.) Fortunately this year we managed to cover nearly all of the bases comfortably required for an orchestra, if not more.

Orchestra Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Brian O'Sullivan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Catherine Higgins **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Miobha MacGinty **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Raymond Conlin **Position:** Ensemble Coordinator

Name: Charlotte Lucas **Position:** OCM

Name: Michael Jenkins **Position:** Secretary

Name: Mary O'Connell **Position:** OCM

Name: Luke Corrigan **Position:** Health and Safety Officer

Name: Caelinn Crowley **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: David Waldron **Position:** OCM

Name: Alison McDonagh **Position:** OCM

Orchestra Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Sinead St John **Position:** Ensemble Coordinator

Name: Gilles Dupouy **Position:** Librarian

Name: Casey Cowan **Position:** Health and Safety Officer

Name: Caelinn Crowley **Position:** Auditor

Name: Mary O'Connell **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Raymond Conlin **Position:** Ensemble Coordinator

Name: Tom Smith **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Luke Corrigan **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: David Waldron **Position:** Secretary

Name: **Position:** OCM

Name: Fergus Watts **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Orchestra Soc Finance Summary Report

Income	Expenditure
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Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€788.40	Account Closed	€100.00
Fundraising	€1,336.00	Bank charge	€40.81
Members Contributions	€2,100.00	Dinner/Food	€500.87
Socs box Till	€191.00	Equipment misc	€439.00
Sponsorship	€700.00	Fundraising / Charity	€1,494.27
Ticket Sales	€2,535.00	Hall hire	€400.00
USC Grant	€3,590.00	Hoodies	€301.35
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€57.9
		Prizes	€38
		Scores	€259.66
		Services Hired	€30
		Society accomm	€1530
		Society transport	€608
		Stationary	€75.85
		Teacher fees	€3300
		Expenditure Total	€9275.71
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€2064.69
Total	€11240.4	Total	€11240.4

Alive Certificate Recipients

Caelinn Crowley	12 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Charlotte Lucas	20 hrs	OCM
Sinead Reidy	70 hrs	Volunteer
May O'Connell	30 hrs	OCM
Laura Britton	15 hrs	Volunteer
Catherine Higgins	150 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Miobha MacGinty	48 hrs	Treasurer
Brian O'Sullivan	160 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 505 Participants: 8

Other Information

We held 13 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at members.

Organic Gardening Society

The Organic Gardening Society was established in 2010 with the aim of developing a space to grow organic fruit and vegetables on campus. A space was allocated at the rear of No.12 Distillery Road. After much clearing and preparation four raised beds were installed as well as a fruit border, composting area and small greenhouse.

Members of the society learn to grow their own fruit and vegetables in a sustainable and organic manner. We also welcome members of the wider public to participate in the garden as well. Our community of gardeners get the chance to meet like-minded people, enjoy the mental and physical benefits of working in an outdoor space and, of course, enjoy the vegetable-shaped benefits of their labour.

This is the first Organic Garden to be set up in an Irish University Campus and we hope that everyone who is interested in the environment, sustainability, good food or just curious about how to grow vegetables will get involved in the future.



Open Day: Introduction to the Garden

Organic Gardening Society Events list (22 Individual Events)

Welcome Day: Social » Organic Garden 12 Distillery Road (Behind Security Office) » 18th September 2018

We are starting off the semester with a welcome day in the garden so that we can get to know our new members and show them how our garden operates and to teach them how they can get involved. It will be a very relaxed event, and there will be snacks and drinks provided. The good thing about gardening is there's something for everyone there, so come chat with us and find out how you can become part of our community. Many of us started with no experience so don't worry if you consider yourself a complete amateur, you'll learn quickly. See you there!

EGM: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 1, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th September 2018

Organic Gardening Society will be holding their EGM on Thursday the 27th. We will be planning what we want to plant/do in the garden this year and also planning this year's events such as workshops, talks and trips. We are always open to suggestion so society members are encouraged to come along and give your input. There are also many spaces available on our committee and we would love to have you join our team. The work isn't hard and the rewards are great! Tea and drinks will be provided. See you there!

Social Night with CCAFS society: Social » Galway, 45 Dominick Street, Club Aras Na Ngael » 04th October 2018

Join us for an evening of chat and laughter as the members of our two societies get to know each other a bit better. Our societies collaborate a lot together and we share many similar interests, so this is a great opportunity to bounce thoughts off like minded people.

Mental Health Week: Plant a Snowdrop - Watch it Grow: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 09th October 2018

Come along to the garden at 5pm on Tuesday the 9th and we'll help you plant your very own snowdrop bulb in a pot that you can take home with you. The plant will begin to bloom in early spring and will be the first sign of brighter days to come after what will most likely be a cold and dark winter. We hope

that it will be symbolic of how the human mind can work in a similar way - remember to nourish and care for your mind during your darkest days and over time you will begin to see positive, new growth, and eventually you, like the snowdrop, will blossom with all your beauty! Bring friends, relatives, anyone you like along with you if you think they would benefit from this small workshop. We will provide all the details necessary for you to care for your snowdrop over the winter, and you can keep in touch with us if you need any help! If you came along to our welcome day then you most likely got to taste the delicious flapjacks baked by our auditor. We will also be handing out the recipe for these flapjacks at the event - something else to keep you nourished over the coming months.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 01st December 2018

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Social Meetup: Social » Galway, Woodquay, Caribou » 07th December 2018

This week we are going to focus on socialising with our members, rather than being out in the cold winter weather. Exam season is a busy period, but it's also important to take the time to de-stress and relax with friends. Why not take this time to hang out with us and have the craic in Caribou.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 15th December 2018

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 26th January 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Window box workshop: Workshops » The Space, Aras na Mac Leinn » 02nd February 2019

Learn about growing your own mini garden, all within the small space of a window box. Plants, herbs, soil and window boxes will all be provided. There will be a small charge of €2 at the door to help fund the workshop. Snacks and refreshments will also be provided. All are welcome.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 09th February 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 13th February 2019

Committee meeting to discuss upcoming events, meetups and collaborations with other societies.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 23rd February 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 09th March 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Potato Planting for Paddy's Day: Gatherings » NUIG Organic Garden (behind security offices on distillery road) » 17th March 2019

Join us after the parade on St Patrick's day to plant up the first of the potatoes with us! Really, what could be more Irish than that? We'll have lovely homemade soup and refreshments as a well earned reward. We'll be there from 1pm so be sure to arrive early while the soup is hot and the drinks are cold..!

Trip to Slieve Aughty eco-house: Trips » Galway, Loughrea, Slieve Aughty eco-house » 23rd March 2019

Join us on our society trip to Slieve Aughty eco-house, where we will take in the beauty of the organic gardens and nature trails before stopping for lunch in the organic kitchen

Benefits of Organic Produce for our Health and Environment: Guest Speakers » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 25th March 2019

A talk on the benefits of organic produce on our health, soil, and environment, by Klaus Laitenberger - 25th March at 6 pm. Klaus was once the Head Gardener at the Organic Centre, and now lectures at

University College Cork on organic horticulture, food production and more. He is also an organic farming inspector and his 20 plus years experience of growing food organically has led him to write 3 books on growing vegetables, which soon all became best sellers. The talk is being held in AC202 on March 25th at 6pm and is €3 on the door!

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 30th March 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 06th April 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

AGM: Committee Meeting » Art Room, Aras Na Mac Leinn » 12th April 2019

We are holding our AGM to decide our committee for next year, so if you would like to have more involvement in the garden next semester please do come along, put forward any ideas you have and even take up a position on the committee and help in the running of our beautiful campus garden. We will have many committee positions available and all are welcome to join. The society will still run over the summer months so it's still not too late to get involved during this academic year, in fact, the summer months can be our most exciting months in the garden. All welcome to the meeting, as always (students, staff and public) and no past experience is necessary. We are all learning together through trial and error how to grow plants successfully, so no fear if you feel you know nothing about gardening, you will pick it up in no time!

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 13th April 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Garden Meet up: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 20th April 2019

Join us at our usual weekly meet up times to see what we grow in our campus garden and help us look after it. You will learn how to plant, grow and harvest your own fruit and veg.

Garden Meet up: Seed Planting: Health & Lifestyle » The garden, Rear of 12 Distillery Road, » 27th April 2019

Join us in the garden this Saturday and help us plant a variety of seeds in our outdoor beds and our polytunnel. We will be planting tomatoes, lettuces, broccoli, kale and a variety of vegetables. No experience necessary, you can learn along the way. And if you don't want to plant, there's plenty of tidying to do too!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(7/7) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The Organic Gardening Society aims to present the idea of cultivating your own veg and fruit in an organic and sustainable manner in our own community garden. We hope to spread our collective knowledge on crop planting and management, through various talks and workshops, to the students of NUIG and the wider community. We hope to do so in a fun and informative manner. We also hope to hold

collaborative social events with other like-minded societies to broaden our horizons and get connected with people who have similar goals and interests as our society members.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Our objectives and goals are:

- Research and buy a wider range of seasonal veg/fruit to plant in the garden
- Hold informative talks/workshops for our members to learn the benefits of organic gardening and to give them the necessary skill set to manage their own gardens/crop growing spaces
- Hold more social events to keep ourselves connected with like-minded people
- Order a manure feed to the garden to help our crops grow bigger and healthier
- Hold more collaborations with other campus societies

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society has done very well this year. We have made strong collaborative efforts with other societies on campus and in doing so have held many fun collaborative events. We have also held several gardening specific workshops and open days including a window box workshop and a snowdrop planting workshop, both of which were very successful. We will continue to hold workshops and social events during the summer months when the garden will be fully flourishing.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We have achieved many of the goals we set out to achieve at the beginning of the year. We have established good connections with Envirosoc and Vegsoc and have since organised several collaborating events together. We have held several workshops throughout the year teaching members how to plant and care for the seeds and flowers which we provided to them. We are hosting a talk on the benefits of organic eating in March. We have held more social events than previous years and have plans for more in the coming months. With respect to the garden specific goals, these are more so relevant during the spring/summer months when most of the vegetable planting and cultivating is done. We have a plan to order in a large manure feed for the garden and will soon research the vegetables we will plant towards the end of the month. So overall, we have achieved of our original goals.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I believe our societies greatest success this year is its collaborative efforts with other societies. Not only does this forge wonderful connections and opens up interaction with new and interesting people, but it also opens up more opportunities for event organising as it is easier to do so with collaborative support, especially for a smaller society like ourselves.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our societies greatest challenge is getting more member involvement. This is especially challenging for us as our meetups and events are often held outdoors in the garden and as such they are highly weather dependent. This is particularly challenging as the majority of students have left campus by summer time when the garden is most active. We have combated this challenge by holding more social events and indoor workshops and talks.

Organic Gardening Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Laura Britton **Position:** Auditor

Name: Justin Browne **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Aoife Delany Reade **Position:** Secretary

Name: Willow O'Brien **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: John Murphy **Position:** OCM

Name: Hazel Wolstenholme **Position:** OCM

Name: Robert Bagnall **Position:** PRO

Organic Gardening Society Incoming Committee

Name: Willow O'Brien **Position:** Auditor

Organic Gardening Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€494.92	Bank charge	€30.25
Members Contributions	€112.50	Dinner/Food	€221.85
USC Grant	€1,750.00	Hire Bus	€225.00
		Materials	€473.05
		Socs day expenses	€15.29
		Speaker travel	€163
		Expenditure Total	€1128.44
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€1228.98
Total	€2357.42	Total	€2357.42

Other Information

We held 6 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 535 members.

Paediatric Society

Paediatric Society is a society targetted towards those interested in Paediatrics within and outside of Medicine. We aim to promote and encourage a deep interest in Paediatrics and to unite everyone keen on this field of Medicine through organising events. Additionally, we aim to raise awareness on current issues that may affect the younger population and attempt to tackle it.

We decided to fundraise for Jack and Jill this year, which is an organisation in Ireland that provides nursing care and support for children with mental or physical disabilities, as well as their family. We achieved this by organising several fundraising events. For example, we worked with Papa Johns to sell pizzas on NUIG's open day, held several bake sales in college and in the hospital, and also organised a Valentine's day event.

Our biggest and most successful event, Healthy Heroes, was held over 2 days in November 2018. This event aimed to promote and encourage living a healthy lifestyle to children and teenagers in light of obesity increasingly becoming a problem in Ireland. Moreover, this event also aimed to encourage more schools to incorporate such teaching in schools as well. We invited professionals to educate the children and adolescents the importance of both physical and mental health through fun and interactive activities. All in all, it was a huge success as we received amazing feedback from the children and adolescents and from the volunteers too. Not only did this provide the children with more knowledge about healthy living, it also gave volunteers an opportunity to work with children and enhance their communicating and team-working skills. To further emphasise on the success of this event, Paediatric Society won Best Event for both NUIG's society awards and BICS. We are grateful to have won this award and will work to improve this event and our society even more.

Paediatric Soc Committee Members 2018/19



Children's Foundation, an organisation that provides nursing care for children with neurological development issues, and support for their parents.

Healthy Heroes Training: Training » human biology building » 05th November 2018

We will be explaining about the different stations there will be for Healthy Heroes to our volunteers so that they have a good grasp of what they have to do on the day itself.

Healthy Heroes - Child Health Day: Health & Lifestyle » Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

We have invited 180 children from various schools in Galway to participate in our event, Healthy Heroes, whereby we promote the importance of a healthy lifestyle through small workshops about the food pyramid, basic human anatomy by Cell Explorers and physical activity like yoga.

Healthy Heroes - Child Health Day: Health & Lifestyle » Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th November 2018

We invited 180 children from various schools in Galway to participate in our event, Healthy Heroes, whereby we promote the importance of a healthy lifestyle through small workshops about the food pyramid, basic human anatomy by Cell Explorers and physical activity like yoga.

Healthy Heroes - Teen Health Day: Health & Lifestyle » Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th November 2018

We invited 180 TYs from various schools in Galway to participate in our event, Healthy Heroes, whereby we promote the importance of a healthy lifestyle through small workshops about our diet, mental health, the dangers of smoking and alcohol and also physical activity like crossfit.

Paediatric Society Events list (13 Individual Events)

Paediatric Society Information

Evening: Gatherings » AC215 » 25th September 2018

Paediatric Soc's 1st information evening.

Paediatric Soc's Bake Sale: Charity » CSI Stem Cafe and James Hardiman Library » 01st November 2018

Paediatric Society will be holding their first ever bake sale for the year in order to raise money for Jack and Jill

Healthy Heroes - Teen Health Day: Health & Lifestyle » Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th November 2018

We invited 180 TYs from various schools in Galway to participate in our event, Healthy Heroes, whereby we promote the importance of a healthy lifestyle through small workshops about our diet, mental health, the dangers of smoking and alcohol and also physical activity like crossfit.

Paediatric Soc's EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 28th January 2019

It's our first meeting back with the committee and members to discuss about our events for this semester and to recruit new committee members!

Valentine's Day "A Candy for A Cutie" - Stuffing goodie bags day 2: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 13th February 2019

To pack the goodie bags for our "Candy for A Cutie" event.

Paediatric Soc's Valentine's Day Event: "Candy for A Cutie": Charity » human biology building » 14th February 2019

To celebrate this year's Valentine's Day, Paediatric Soc will be helping secret admirers deliver chocolates and notes to the people they love. Money raised will go to Jack and Jill Children's Foundation.

Paediatric Soc Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 04th March 2019

Committee meeting

Paediatric Soc Spring Bake Sale: Charity » Smokeys and CSI » 25th March 2019

Bake sale in aid of Jack and Jill!

Paediatric Soc AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 01st April 2019

Paediatric Soc AGM for 2019/20

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	16 society committee members with questions answered	16 Total society committee members	(16/16) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

We aim to bring together all those with an interest in the healthcare and wellbeing of children.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- To raise awareness on the issues relating to children in and outside of Ireland by providing the opportunity to students to join our events in order to fundraise for organisations and charities that help with these issues and the children involved. This allows our students to get a broader and more thorough insight of the prevailing problems, and also allows them to contribute to the cause.
- To provide learning opportunities to our students who are interested in pursuing Paediatrics in the future by holding talks such as our subspecialty talk where we invite speakers from different fields of Paediatrics to give the students an insight of what it's like to work with children as a healthcare worker.
- To make our events more well-known by putting more focus on advertising. For example, make posters more appealing and encourage more people to join in classes, on top of what we already do now (ie post on facebook, invite friends, etc.)

- To make all our members feel more included by inviting them to join our smaller events such as the bake sales and possibly invite them to some our meetings to hear their opinion and provide feedback on our ideas.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

"We aim to bring together all those with an interest in the healthcare and wellbeing of children."

This year, Paediatric Society fulfilled its mission statement and was able to achieve this. We held various events throughout the year bringing together healthcare students and other students at NUIG to help in-power a new generation of healthy children across Galway at our main event Healthy Heroes.

We also held numerous bake sales and fundraisers to raise funds for the less fortunate children in Ireland. We managed to raise 1,229 Euro for the Jack and Jill foundation which provides funding to families and children with intellectual and physical developmental delay enabling them to purchase home respite care. We also provide end of life care to all children up to the age of five.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

To raise awareness on the issues relating to children in and outside of Ireland by providing the opportunity to students to join our events in order to fundraise for organisations and charities that help with these issues and the children involved. This allows our students to get a broader and more thorough insight of the prevailing problems, and also allows them to contribute to the cause.

We achieved this aim by raising money for the Jack and Jill foundation. We contemplated raising money for an additional organisation outside of Ireland but thought that one larger donation will have a bigger impact on the community.

- To provide learning opportunities to our students who are interested in pursuing Paediatrics in the future by holding talks such as our subspecialty talk where we invite speakers from different fields of Paediatrics to give the students an insight of what it's like to work with children as a healthcare worker. This year we did not hold any subspecialty talks as many of the clinicians were unable to attend the dates we were able to host a talk. This next year we hope to do one in second semester!

- To make our events more well-known by putting more focus on advertising. For example, make posters more appealing and encourage more people to join in classes, on top of what we already do now (ie post on facebook, invite friends, etc.) We accomplished this goal by advertising our events (Healthy Heroes and Bakesales) well in advanced. We had a wonderful student turn out this year.

- To make all our members feel more included by inviting them to join our smaller events such as the bake sales and possibly invite them to some our meetings to hear their opinion and provide feedback on our ideas. We held numerous meeting with the committee throughout the year and with our healthy heroes event we allowed students to be involved in the event through volunteering.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

As a society, our biggest success would most definitely be Healthy Heroes. We were blown away by the energy of the event and how inspired these children were following the event. The countless hours put into this event paid off!

At the NUIG Society Awards night we were very pleased to receive the best event award and seeing this event get national recognition at BICS was amazing.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

As a society our biggest challenge this year was managing the funding and sponsorship for Healthy Heroes. Since the event is split between AMSI and Paeds the willingness to split the funding was seen across both societies, ultimately after many meetings they agreed to pay for half of the event. To avoid this next year we hope to start planning early into school year and summer and to be very transparent with expectations.

Paediatric Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Mae-Shyan Wong **Position:** Auditor
Name: Audrey Bicknell **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Ailish Breathnach **Position:** 3rd Year Rep
Name: Elizabeth Shields **Position:** Secretary
Name: Sarah Crowley **Position:** Health and Safety Officer
Name: Aisling Ni Neachtain **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Tyana Teguh **Position:** 1st Year Rep
Name: Robert Woods **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Yuxin Woon **Position:** 4th year Rep
Name: Timothy Siliang Lu **Position:** OCM
Name: Amir Al-Salihi **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Orla Devane **Position:** OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)
Name: Lidia Shafik **Position:** Immediate Past Auditor
Name: Marina Henein **Position:** Premed Rep
Name: Jack Collins **Position:** Outreach Officer
Name: Arianna Bonner **Position:** Fundraising Officer

Paediatric Society Incoming Committe

Name: Audrey Bicknell **Position:** Auditor
Name: Marina Henein **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Jack Collins **Position:** Outreach Officer
Name: Mae-Shyan Wong **Position:** Immediate Past Auditor
Name: Ailish Breathnach **Position:** 4th Med Rep
Name: Yuxin Woon **Position:** OCM
Name: David Rofaiel **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Caroline Kehoe **Position:** Secretary
Name: Karl Maxemous **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: James Phelan **Position:** 1st Med Rep

Paediatric Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€535.61	Bank charge	€53.36
Fundraising	€1,229.00	Dinner/Food	€75.00
USC Grant	€700.00	Fundraising / Charity	€1,019.00
		Gifts	€47.35
		Materials	€220.39
		Teacher fees	€100
		Expenditure Total	€1515.1
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€949.51
Total	€2464.61	Total	€2464.61

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ellen O'Grady	0 hrs	Fundraising Officer
Emma Kinsella	30 hrs	Volunteer
Sabrina Cunnane	2 hrs	Volunteer
Karen Hamilton	20 hrs	Volunteer
Prisca Happiness Ovat	18 hrs	Volunteer

Hannah Scott	25 hrs	Volunteer
Robert Woods	40 hrs	Treasurer
Hannah Mooney	1 hrs	Volunteer
David Rofaiel	2 hrs	Volunteer
Audrey Bicknell	30 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Andrew Healy	3 hrs	Volunteer
Aine Ryan	6 hrs	Volunteer
Raza Abbas Syed	7 hrs	Volunteer
Mae Shyan Wong	35 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 219 Participants: 14

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 598 members.

Pakistani Society

The Pakistani Society this year have reached great heights, with every event receiving positive feedback. It began with the *EGM* at the start of the year where a new committee were elected. We had a good few people who were new to the society, and thus they contributed hugely by sharing their ideas and input. We kicked off the year with a *Bowling Night*. This was an excellent way for the committee to get to know each other with some refreshments and banter. Everyone felt much more comfortable in interacting with one another. It was clear that everyone displayed similar mindsets, which would make the workings in the



society efficient and hassle free. Following this event, the meetings we had in the next couple of weeks allowed us to be more productive together. Next, we had a *Karaoke Night*. This was hugely enjoyed by all audiences as they got a taste of Pakistani traditional and modern music. We ended the semester with a *Movie Night* shortly after, which showcased a popular Pakistani Romantic movie. We included English subtitles on these to make it accessible for everyone, many people attended and had a fantastic time. During these events we served Pakistani food which we arranged beforehand. It was clear that everyone found it delicious, some people trying it for the very first time as well. The *Movie Night* was a fantastic way to end the semester and it allowed us to discuss our hard work so far, it ended the year with upbeat and positive vibes for the following semester.

Our main aim in semester two was our cultural event, however we decided to have a *Games & Music Night* a month before that. We collaborated this with the India Society, which was the best idea. The event had loads of people from both societies coming together and bringing their own board games to play and showcasing their singing abilities in some traditional music games. It was without a doubt, a success and a great platform to meet so many people.

As soon as this ended, the society knuckled down to work for the *Cultural Night* on March 8th, which is our biggest event. This consisted of weeks of planning and preparation. From rehearsing dances, host scripts, the fashion show and also singing performances, it was a hectic few weeks. Closer to the cultural night, the society met daily to practice and perfect absolutely everything. Decorations and food were also arranged, as well as stalls and banners. The event was a massive breakthrough, with approximately 400 people attending. This was a major improvement from last year since we also received media coverage. The cultural night allowed the society to bond even more. We have developed unbelievably close friendships as a result, and seeing our major efforts shine through was the best feeling. It was a memorable night.

The Pakistani Society attended *Societies Ball 2019*, and received the Community Spirit award. This was a joyful moment for the committee, and we couldn't have been happier. It motivated us to improve even more for next year.

Soon after this, it was time to hold our *AGM*. This was an emotional day as we bid farewell to the old committee and welcomes the new one with open arms. We reflected on our achievements and also some issues we had. This was followed by some food and a rough breakdown of our plans for next year. The *AGM* gave us a sufficient understanding of our strengths and weaknesses as a society.

The year was ended with the annual trip. This year we went to *Wicklow Mountains*. The day was hugely enjoyed by the society as they relaxed and enjoyed the outdoors after a year of hard work and devotion. The Pakistani Society have been very successful this year.

Pakistani Cultural Night

Pakistani Society Events list (29 Individual Events)

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 18th September 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 25th September 2018

Society Start EGM

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 02nd October 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 09th October 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 16th October 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Bowling Night: Social » Galway, Galway, The Planet » 16th October 2018

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 23rd October 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 30th October 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Karaoke Night: Music Event » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 02nd November 2018

Come and sing away with us for Karaoke Night.

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 06th November 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 13th November 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 20th November 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Movie Night: Entertainment » ARAS MOYOLA MY243 » 22nd November 2018

Take a break from routine and get a taste of Pakistani culture. We will be screening "Zindagi Kitni Haseen Hai" which will be held in Aras Moyola, MY243 at 6pm. This is a romantic movie about the challenges of marriage a couple face as a result of marrying young, as their differences in life cause complications in their relationship. There will be English subtitles, everyone is welcome to this event so bring your friends. Also who doesn't want Free Desi food. Looking forward to seeing you there, All the best, Shukria Pakistani Society

Weekly Meeting: Committee Meeting » ENG2033 » 27th November 2018

Weekly Society Meeting

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 15th January 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 22nd January 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 29th January 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 05th February 2019

Games and Music Night: Music Event » The View » 06th February 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 12th February 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 19th February 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 26th February 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 05th March 2019

Pakistani Cultural Night: Gatherings » Bailey Allen Hall » 08th March 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 12th March 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 19th March 2019

Weekly Meetings: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 26th March 2019
AGM: Committee Meeting » ENG 2035 » 02nd April 2019
Society Trip: Trips » Wicklow, Wicklow Mountains, Mountain » 13th April 2019

Heading to Wicklow Mountains on Society Trip

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	13 society committee members with questions answered	13 Total society committee members	(13/13) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The society aims to celebrate the culture of Pakistan in a way that allows members to mingle with people sharing common backgrounds, discussing ideas with each other to maximise the enjoyment of everyone at events and sharing an appreciation of our culture to members and the general university.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

At least two events per semester and weekly meetings

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society did extremely well

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society preformed above expectation in this academic year. we achieved great things, due to the support of a strong committee that supported the overall success of the society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The Pakistani Cultural Night organised on the 9th of March was the greatest success of the society. Attracting a crowd of over 400 members.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Planning was one of them. Trying to agree on one planning was extremely difficult

Pakistani Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Hasan Ashraf **Position:** Auditor

Name: Ammar Tahir **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Kinza Tabassum **Position:** Vice-Treasurer

Name: Wardah Rahman **Position:** Secretary

Name: Hudda Arab **Position:** Public Relation Officer

Name: Nosheen Shafique **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Tashfeen Muhammad Hammad Ud Din **Position:** Trip Organizer

Name: Masooma Ijaz **Position:** OCM

Name: Bilal Amin **Position:** OCM

Name: Adnan Anwar **Position:** Health & Safety Officer

Name: Hafiz Hashim **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Mohammad Hashir Mohammad Wasim **Position:** Societies Collaborator

Name: Rishabh Jain **Position:** PRO

Pakistani Society Incoming Committee

Name: Masooma Ijaz**Position:** Auditor

Name: Wardah Rahman**Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Adnan Anwar**Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ameer Farrukh**Position:** Secretary

Pakistani Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,171.54	Bank charge	€22.80
Ecommerce Sales	€225.00	Dinner/Food	€1,767.23
Fundraising	€161.93	Entertainment	€79.00
Socs box Till	€15.00	Entry fees	€30.00
Sponsorship	€450.00	Equipment misc	€1,098.00
USC Grant	€3,923.00	Gifts	€41.77
		Hire Bus	€520
		Materials	€339.92
		Printing	€135.3
		Prizes	€15
		Promotions	€100
		Reception	€24
		Returned Socs Money	€1000
		Society transport	€60
		Socs Box Till Refund	€15

		Speaker travel	€47
		USCG Loan Repayment	€1325
		Expenditure Total	€6620.02
		Closing Bank Balance	€326.45
Total	€6946.47	Total	€6946.47

Alive Certificate Recipients

Hudda Arab	160 hrs	Public Relation Officer
Wardah Rahman	400 hrs	Secretary
Rishabh Jain	100 hrs	PRO
Mohammad Hashir	70 hrs	Socities Collaborator
Nosheen Shafique	100 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Hasan Ashraf	400 hrs	Auditor
Masooma Ijaz	160 hrs	OCM
Hafiz Hashim	300 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Kinza Tabassum	20 hrs	Vice-Treasurer
Adnan Anwar	160 hrs	Health & Safety Officer
Ammar Tahir	100 hrs	Treasurer
Total Hours 1970 Participants: 11		

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 244 members.

PENSA

As a new society, this year was our foundation period to organise members and explain our core objectives.

We held various programmes that brought holistic improvement to members while ensuring a welcoming atmosphere for students to explore their full potential on campus.

In the 2018/19 academic year, Pensa Society has been exceptional in its mentoring programme, study skills workshop, musical concert and other social programmes that has brought together students of all levels from first year undergraduates to PhD students. We have built a family of positive thinking students who are motivated to strive for the best both academically, socially and in their religious pursuits.



Pensa committee members receive ALIVE certificates

PENSA Events list (23 Individual Events)

Welcome Meeting: Social » AS203 River Room » 19th September 2018

PENSA NUIG invites you to its welcome meeting at the River Room (Near Bank of Ireland). Activities include Fun session: Sing along Discussion on for students on how to start and send the semester well. Free drinks and biscuits available

Meeting and Smart Study Skills Workshop: Seminar » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 26th September 2018

Meeting and Smart Study Skills Workshop

PENSA EGM: Gatherings » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 03rd October 2018

Election of committee members

Seminar- Overcoming Worry and Anxiety: Seminar » AC201, Arts Science Concourse » 10th October 2018

How do I overcome worry and anxiety? Find practical steps to live above worry and anxiety as a student or academic.

Effective Time Management for the College Student: Seminar » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 17th October 2018

Effective Time Management for the College Student. Practical tips for high efficiency and multitasking.

Global Week Talk: Social » AS203 River Room » 24th October 2018

Global Week Talk: Celebrating Diversity. Join our discourse: Is it fun to be a Christian?

Movie Night: Film » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 31st October 2018

Halloween Movie Night

Effective time management and preparation for exams: Educational » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 07th November 2018

Practical workshop on effective time management and tips for preparing for exams

Guest Speaker Talk: Guest Speakers » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 14th November 2018

Visiting speaker from UK. World renowned Professor of analytical chemistry speaks on life after school.

End of Year Meeting/ Christmas Party: Social » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 19th December 2018

End of Year Meeting and Christmas Party

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Bailey Allen » 17th January 2019

Socs Day: Social » Bailey Allen Hall » 22nd January 2019

Socs Day

Welcome Meeting: Social » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 23rd January 2019

Society Meeting to welcome students to campus

Seminar: Seminar » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 30th January 2019

Seminar title: Lessons from Daniel

Inspiring Talk: Seminar » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 06th February 2019

Inspiring talk and discussion on the topic: Making Right Decisions

Guest Speaker talk: Seminar » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 13th February 2019

Guest Speaker talk and discussion on the topic, Keeping Faith in the 21st Century

Quiz Night: Social » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 20th February 2019

Fun packed table quiz

Discussion: Living beyond the 4D's: Health & Lifestyle » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 27th February 2019

Discussing depression and overcoming it

Building Strong relationships: Health & Lifestyle » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 06th March 2019

Talk on building strong and healthy relationships

Movie Screening: Film » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 13th March 2019

Movie - on the blind side

Smart study workshop: Workshops » AS203 -River Room near Applied Physics in Arts-Science Bldg » 20th March 2019

Study workshop on improving your efficiency

Easter Musical Concert: Music Event » Bank of Ireland Theatre » 05th April 2019

Free live musical concert for Easter

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(6/6) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Pensa exists to provide a welcoming atmosphere for all students to learn more about Jesus and the Bible. Based on Biblical principles, we also provide support in terms of knowledge and skills required to be an effective and successful student at NUIG.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- To bring together all Christians and those seeking to know more about Jesus and the Bible in NUIG
- To provide regular meeting and programmes that meet the religious need of Christians in NUIG
- To provide a platform to encourage mutual support of members both spiritually and academically
- To encourage uniqueness and freedom of religion, mutual respect, diversity and equality of members who share their faith as Christians mostly Pentecostals, Evangelicals, Baptists and Charismatics in NUIG

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our Society did very well in providing a welcoming space for members to develop themselves holistically while achieving maximum potential on campus.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved all our aims, objectives and goals.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Through Pensa we have built a family on campus where members are encouraged to be their best

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

As a new society, we had to work extra hard to publicize our activities and programmes.

PENSA Outgoing Committee

Name: BERNARD BOATENG **Position:** Auditor

Name: Ama Amponsah **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Blessing Hamisi Juma **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Jennifer Akachukwu **Position:** Secretary

Name: Yvonne Oyedeji **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Aisling John **Position:** Organizer

PENSA Incoming Committee

Name: BERNARD BOATENG **Position:** Committee Advisor

Name: Aisling John **Position:** PRO

Name: Jennifer Akachukwu **Position:** Secretary

Name: Antonia Odubote **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Yvonne Oyedeji **Position:** Auditor
Name: Chinazam Ezekwe **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Chinenyenwa Chimdi Ezekwe **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Grace Osifo **Position:** Organizer
Name: Ama Amponsah **Position:** Vice-Auditor

PENSA Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.58
USC Grant	€650.00	Dinner/Food	€453.20
		Expenditure Total	€498.78
		Closing Bank Balance	€151.22
Total	€650	Total	€650

Alive Certificate Recipients

Blessing Hamisi Juma	25 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Yvonne Oyedeji	25 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Aisling John	26 hrs	Organizer
Bernard Boateng	75 hrs	Auditor
Jennifer Akachukwu	25 hrs	Secretary

Total Hours 176 Participants: 5

Other Information

We held 3 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 222 members.

People Before Profit

People Before Profit Events list (4 Individual Events)

Radical Solutions to the Housing Crisis: Guest Speakers » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 05th November 2018

Public Meeting with Richard Boyd Barrett TD and Conor Reddy (Take Back the City). They will discuss the ongoing housing crisis from the perspective of students.

Society Meeting: Gatherings » IT 204 » 19th November 2018

Meeting for society members to discuss plans for the coming semester.

Meeting: Gatherings » AC 202 » 24th January 2019

Meeting to discuss plans for the semester.

Movie Night: Film » Fottrell Theatre » 04th February 2019

We'll be hosting a movie night this Monday from 7pm in the Fottrell Theatre. The movie shown will be The Young Karl Marx.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	1 society committee members with questions answered	1 Total society committee members	(1/1) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The society aims to promote the goals of the party. Issues of particular importance include workers' rights, anti-racism, and anti-sexism.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

The society aims to hold a series of talks and meetings highlighting key issues.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We had limited success due to difficulties in creating consistent interest in events.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We successfully highlighted issues surrounding the housing crisis.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

We hosted a speech by sitting TD Richard Boyd Barrett.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was creating a consistent group interested in our events.

People Before Profit Outgoing Committee

Name: Timothy Burke **Position:** Auditor

People Before Profit Incoming Committee

Name: Timothy Burke **Position:** Interim Auditor

People Before Profit Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€14.87	Bank charge	€15.58
Bank Charge	€0.71	Expenditure Total	€15.58
Total	€15.58	Total	€15.58

Alive Certificate Recipients

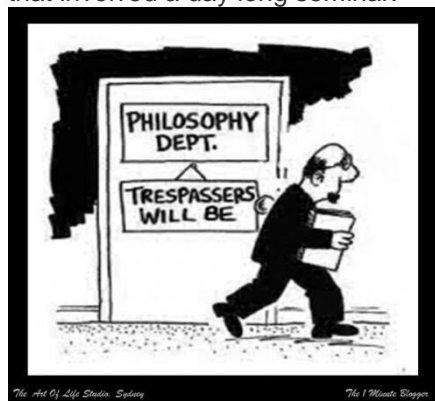
Timothy Burke	12 hrs	Auditor
Total Hours 12 Participants: 1		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 123 members.

Philosophy Soc

This year we spent the first semester focusing on actively engaging in philosophical dialogue by doing inquiries, wherein we invited our members to a group setting where they come up with a philosophical question and then attempt to answer it in a friendly and open environment. In the second semester we focused on documentaries about psychic frauds and the people that expose them using reason.. We also put on Couch Conversations, which involved having inviting people to sit and have coffee and cake if they choose a question from our question tree, the questions are fun simple philosophical questions. Our main event was the collaboration between Maynooth College Philosophy Soc and the philosophy dept that involved a day long seminar.



Philosophy Soc Events list (16 Individual Events)

EGM: Gatherings » Small Acoustic Room » 01st October 2018
an invitation to inquiry: Gatherings » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 03rd October 2018
Tuesday night movie: Film » TBA » 09th October 2018
Couch Conversations: Gatherings » Foyer, Psychology Building » 10th October 2018
Invitation to Inquiry: Gatherings » AM 104 » 16th October 2018
Invitation To Inquiry: Gatherings » IT207 » 23rd October 2018
Philosophy Seminar: Seminar » Tom Duddy Seminar Room » 05th November 2018

James Randi Documentary on psychic Frauds: Educational » AC 204 » 22nd January 2019

Showing a documentary about James Randi and his work exposing psychic frauds and the tricks they use to fool people.

Movie night: Gatherings » AC204 » 05th February 2019

EGM/Movie eveing: Film » AC215 » 18th February 2019

Couch Conversations: Gatherings » The Hub » 26th February 2019

Couch Conversations is an excuse to sit and philosophise in a friendly and informal manner while eating cake with tea or coffee (that is provided).

Couch Conversations: Gatherings » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th March 2019

Come sit and pick a question from our question tree, attempt an answer, and get a cream cake for your trouble. We basically sit around, and in a friendly way, talk about philosophical nonsense.

Couch Conversations: Gatherings » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th March 2019

Come along and eat cake and talk shite

An Invitation To Inquiry: Gatherings » IT207 » 13th March 2019

From exposure to a stimulus, the group formulate a philosophical question and explore it in a way that invites difference of perspectives and learning from each other.

AGM: Gatherings » SC003 - THOMAS DILLON THEATRE » 01st April 2019

Philosophy seminar: Guest Speakers » AS203 River Room » 25th April 2019

A day long seminar with guest philosophers presenting papers. There will be food and refreshments during the day. The seminar will be followed by the end of the year AGM party. This will take place off campus in Cookes Thatch bar. Limited Food and drinks for those in attendance, with karaoke as entertainment.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(6/7) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To promote philosophy on campus

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To build on the work with our couch conversations series, and inquiries (similar to philosophy for children for our members)

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We achieved our aim of promoting philosophy on campus through our range of events.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Bot couch conversations and inquiries were successful.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The success of Couch Conversations, which is the only one in the country, creating a space where people could stop by and talk over a cup of tea/ coffee and pastries. Every time we held it people came and it captured peoples imagination.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Working through the usual team dynamics and finding our feet with a new committee.

Philosophy Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Ian Canavan **Position:** Auditor

Name: Daithi Byrne **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Aoife Delany Reade **Position:** OCM

Name: Conor McLaughlin Borlace **Position:** OCM

Name: Kelly Doody **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ciaran Guy **Position:** Secretary

Name: Patricia O'Mahony **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Philosophy Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Patricia O'Mahony **Position:** Summer Contact

Name: Daithi Byrne **Position:** Auditor

Philosophy Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,002.67	Bank charge	€23.06
		Dinner/Food	€703
		Services Hired	€110
		Society transport	€27.2
		Expenditure Total	€863.26
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€139.41
Total	€1002.67	Total	€1002.67

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ciaran Guy	50 hrs	Secretary
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Total Hours 50 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 7 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 452 members.

Photography Soc

We were delighted to announce that our society had successfully organised a couple of interesting and meaningful events such as talks given by talented photographers, photowalks, photoshare, charity event, etc. Although only key positions of the committee were filled, all events still went smooth and were



supported by old committee members as well as society members. We were also glad that our members like the events organised and gave us good feedback saying that they learned a lot apart from photographing skills, but also communicating and interacting skills, and the bond they formed with other members.

Members at our winter themed photowalk

Photography Soc Events list (21 Individual Events)

Photo walk and Social night: Social » Galway, Galway

city, Spanish Arch, Sult » 03rd October 2018

We are going to start off at Spanish Arch, where we'll do a little get-together. After that we'll walk all the way through town, take pictures and explain some technical camera-details for beginners. The finish line for this event will be Sult on Campus, where we'll have our first Social Night of the year.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Venue: TBC » 11th October 2018

EGM: Committee Meeting » Joseph Larmor Theatre » 11th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » the arts room » 18th October 2018

Compositional workshop: Arts & Culture » ac213 » 18th October 2018

'Making it as a Professional Travel photographer': Guest Speakers » TBC » 22nd October 2018

Photographer Nicholas Grundy talks about his work and gives an insight in being a travel photographer. - From backpacker to Travel photographer.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 25th October 2018

Autumn photo walk and Social Night: Arts & Culture » arts concourse » 25th October 2018

We'll meet outside the concourse (main entrance, big yellow thing) to take you on a walk over campus. With so many nice autumn colours it will be great for all levels of photographers to get beautiful, colourful and interesting pictures. We'll end up in Sult, where it's all about free finger food, refreshments and socialising. We can't wait to meet you all!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 01st November 2018

MOVIE NIGHT SHOWING REAR WINDOW: Film » SC002 JOSEPH LAMOUR » 01st November 2018

Hope your enjoying your bank holiday! Our first film screening of the year can not be missed, we will be showing Rear Window directed by Alfred Hitchcock on Thursday Nov 1st at 6pm in SC002 Joseph Lamour. Hope to See you there!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Áras na mac Léinn - Meeting Room 2 » 06th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 08th November 2018

Movie Screening War Photographer: Film » AMB G-036 » 08th November 2018

Talk about Street Photography: Arts & Culture » IT204 » 12th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 15th November 2018

Street photography walk: Arts & Culture » BYT » 15th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 22nd November 2018

Photo-Share: Arts & Culture » G002 Aras Ui Chathail » 22nd November 2018

Share your photography with other photographers to get some feedback and maybe some new fans, you can bring it on a USB-stick or in an album or you can just show off your social media- page.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 29th November 2018

EGM and PhotoShare: Committee Meeting » Ac203 » 11th February 2019

AGM: Committee Meeting » Arts room » 25th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	3 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(4/5) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

General aim is to inspire people to follow their passion of photography.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- Beginners workshops given by committee members to get people into photography

- Socialising and connecting photographers through social nights and talks

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society was very active in the first semester with events every week. In the second semester, the committee members got very busy in their work schedules and we couldnt do much. However, general interest of students towards this society was found to be very high.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved our aims fully in the first semester when several photography events such as photo walks and photo booths were organized.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

To successfully organize events that help students to learn about the fundamentals of photography and help them learn new skills.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Organizing events when several committee members are busy.

Photography Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Anuradha Kar **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Anne Rieger **Position:** Auditor

Name: Phooi Tyng See **Position:** Secretary

Name: Jevgenijs Fedjukovs **Position:** Equipment Manager

Name: Lakhya Dihingia **Position:** Treasurer

Photography Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,914.56	Bank charge	€39.30
USC Grant	€1,500.00	Dinner/Food	€208.70
Fundraising	€250	Equipment misc	€137
		Returned Socs Money	€1000
		Speaker accomm	€125
		Expenditure Total	€1,510
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€3,154.56
Total	€4,664.56	Total	€4,664.56

Alive Certificate Recipients

Lakhya Dihingia	0 hrs	Treasurer
Anuradha Kar	60 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Total Hours 60 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 7 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 978 members.

Physics Soc

The Physics Society is a society that is dedicated to organizing weekly events for the students in order for them to be able to socialize with people whom have similar interests as they do. The weekly events we organized were,

- Bowling
- Cinema Nights
- Gaming Nights
- Guest Speakers
- Escape Rooms
- The science ball too.



Science Ball

Physics Soc Events list (21 Individual Events)

Physics EGM: Social » RM220 » 25th September 2018

We are holding an AGM in Room 220 down the physics corridor at 7pm.

Bowling: Social » Galway, Galway City, the Planet » 02nd October 2018

The Physics Soc will be going bowling

Physics Soc Bowling: Social » Galway, Galway City, the Planet Entertainment Centre Galway » 09th October 2018

We are going to the Planet to go bowling

Games Night: Social » RM220 » 16th October 2018

We will be holding Games Night.

Cinema Night: Film » Galway, Galway City, IMC cinema » 23rd October 2018

We will be going having a collaboration with the Astro-Soc this week, we will be going to the IMC to see "First Man".

Guest Speaker: Social » RM220 » 30th October 2018

A guest speaker will be giving a talk on a science themed topic.

EGM: Other » R220 » 06th November 2018

We will be holding an EGM to replace the Auditor.

Speaker Dr Ceburnis: Guest Speakers » 'The View' in Aras na mac léinn » 13th November 2018

Dr. Darius Ceburnis (lecturer in NUIG) give a talk for our weekly event.

Guest Speaker: Social » RM220 » 27th November 2018

final weekly event: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn » 04th December 2018

final weekly event

Amsterdam Trip: Trips » Netherlands, amsterdam, Amsterdam » 08th January 2019

Amsterdam Trip (08-01 to 11-01-19)

Bowling: Social » Galway, Galway City, The Planet Entertainment Centre Galway » 22nd January 2019

We are going bowling with a few members of the Physics society.

EGM: Other » RM220 » 29th January 2019

We will be holding an EGM.

Talk: Educational » RM220 » 05th February 2019

Michael Destrade will be giving a talk this coming Tuesday about the mechanics of soft tissues

Trip to the Cinema: Film » Galway, Galway City, IMC cinema » 19th February 2019

The physics society is going to the cinema.

Escape Room: Social » Galway, Galway City, Great Escape Rooms, 27 Abbeygate Street Upper » 26th February 2019

The Physics Society will be going to the Galway Escape Rooms.

Documentary Night: Educational » Kirwan Theatre, Concourse » 05th March 2019

The Physics Society will be watching a physics related documentary.

Committee Dinner: Other » RM220 » 12th March 2019

The Committee will be having an end of year dinner.

Table Quiz: Charity » College bar (SULT) » 19th March 2019

We are holding a quiz in aid of The Charity Croí.

AGM: Other » RM220 » 26th March 2019

We will be holding an AGM this coming Tuesday in RM220 at 7pm. An email will be sent out shortly.

Gertruda Ceburnyte Talk: Guest Speakers » Aras an Mac Leinn » 03rd April 2019

Gertruda Ceburnyte Talk

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	2 Total society committee members	(9/2) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Make new friends, Have fun and Learn a little physics!

We aim to be a soc that runs weekly events for people interested in physics.

Hold talks from multiple NUIG professors, Run Science ball, Host DIT for our annual colab and other social events

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to be a soc that runs weekly events for people interested in physics.

We want to:

Hold physics related talks from multiple NUIG professors

Run Science ball (sucessfully)

Host DIT for our annual colab

Run weekly social events (Bowling, cinema etc etc)

Trip to Europe

End the year with the soc in a good place and hand it over to the new committee

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Everything went according to plan, Sci Ball recovered an made a profit.

DiT colab didn't happen but that was due to delays on replies from their end citing "Committee issues"

Europe trip was a massive success and everyone involved had an excellent time.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes I believe so

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Working as a team to get science ball back on track

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Keeping focused and getting assigned duties done on time

Physics Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Austin Curran **Position:** Secretary

Name: Christopher D Arcy-Morkan **Position:** Treasurer

Physics Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Stephen Meaney **Position:** PRO

Name: Roshan George **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Sophia Graham **Position:** Auditor

Name: Dillon McDonagh **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Grainne Holland **Position:** Vice Treasurer

Name: Emmet Geoghegan **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Conor Lavery **Position:** Special Events Organiser

Name: Jack Collins **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Jane Ryan **Position:** Special Events Organiser

Name: Austin Curran **Position:** Secretary

Name: Natalie Harris **Position:** Vice Secretary

Physics Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€6,998.09	Apparel	€704.18
Balls	€7,520.00	Ball	€16,487.53
Ticket Sales	€90.00	Bank charge	€54.20
Fundraising	€2,342.17	Dinner/Food	€789.34
Socs box Till	€8,095.00	Entry fees	€375.85
Sponsorship	€2,000.00	Gifts	€18.39
USC Grant	€1,000.00	Printing	€164.40
		Society accomm	€1404
		Society transport	€1793.62
		Expenditure Total	€21791.51
		Closing Bank Balance	€6,253.75
Total	€28,045.26	Total	€28,045.26

Alive Certificate Recipients

Roshan George	310 hrs	OCM
Julia Ingles Cerrillo	0 hrs	Volunteer
Christopher D Arcy-Morkan	200 hrs	Treasurer
Dillon McDonagh	300 hrs	Vice-Treasurer

Stephen Meaney	300 hrs	Special Events Organiser
Grainne Holland	300 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Emmet Geoghegan	560 hrs	Auditor
Austin Curran	356 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 2326 Participants: 8		

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 977 members.

Poker Soc

Poker Events list (28 Individual Events)

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 10th September 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 17th September 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 24th September 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 01st October 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 08th October 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 15th October 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 22nd October 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 29th October 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 05th November 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 12th November 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 19th November 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 26th November 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 03rd December 2018

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 21st January 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 28th January 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 04th February 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 11th February 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 18th February 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 25th February 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

NUIG Poker Soc Megastack: Entertainment » Bailey Allen » 26th February 2019

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 04th March 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 11th March 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 18th March 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 25th March 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 01st April 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 08th April 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 15th April 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Poker Tournament: Social » Áras na mac Léinn - The View » 22nd April 2019

Weekly Poker Tournament

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	2 Total society committee members	(2/2) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Allowing students to play poker in an informal, social setting in which they can learn and improve their skills.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- Run a league in Semester 1 and 2 with a final in each.
- Organize a larger tournament in semester 2 in the Bailey Allen Hall
- Travel to Dublin to compete in the inter varsities

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Yes, the society thrived this year, especially in first semester.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes we successfully achieved all of the aims.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our trip to Dublin with 15 players was definitely the most worthwhile endeavour.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Managing the finance side of things when I, Conor became ill.

Poker Outgoing Committee

Name: Conor Gavin **Position:** Auditor

Name: Neil Murray **Position:** Vice-Tournament Director

Poker Incoming Committee

Name: Conor Gavin **Position:** Interim Auditor

Poker Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€569.69	Bank charge	€149.22
Ecommerce Sales	€403.75	Dinner/Food	€655.80

Socs box Till	€3,860.00	Entry fees	€493.20
Socs Till lodgement	€130.00	Equipment misc	€130
Ticket Sales	€4,248	Gifts	€60.00
USC Grant	€2,160.00	Hire Bus	€210.00
		Prizes	€8,100
		Society accomm	€1250
		Expenditure Total	€11,048.22
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€323.22
Total	€11,371.44	Total	€11,371.44

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 895 members.

Potter Soc

Potter Soc is a Harry Potter appreciation society which aims to bring together students from different backgrounds who share a passion for the series. We held regular film screenings and games nights throughout the year, along with creative events and discussion nights. We place an emphasis on inclusion and on creating a sense of community within the society.



Potter Soc Events list (48 Individual Events)

EGM: Social » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 24th September 2018

EGM to elect the upcoming years Potter soc Committee

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 01st October 2018

Just A Committee meeting in order to decide our activities and event plans for the year.

Fantastic Beasts Screening: Film »

Kirwan Theatre » 08th October 2018

Join us for a magical night in the Kirwan Theatre for a screening of Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Art Room, Aras Na Mac Leinn » 09th October 2018

Games Night: Social » IT202 » 15th October 2018

A wonderful night of fun and appreciation of Harry Potter and the various party and board games inspired by the franchise.

Pumpkin Carving: Arts & Culture » the arts room » 24th October 2018

Join us to carve some Harry Potter themed pumpkins. We'll provide the pumpkins-freshly picked from Hagrid's pumpkin patch!

Madam Pomfrey's brunch: Social » The Hub, Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st November 2018

Tired after Halloween? Madam Pomfrey's healing brunch will get you back on track!

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Smokey's Cafe » 05th November 2018

A Committee meeting was held to finalize the details of the next days sorting ceremony

Committee Meetings: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 06th November 2018

Committee Meetings Will be held every tuesday between the hours of two and three lest there is a demand for a meeting at another time.

Sorting ceremony: Arts & Culture » College Bar (SULT) » 06th November 2018

Join us in the back room of Sult and get sorted into your Hogwarts House! Discover if you are a courageous Gryffindor, intelligent Ravenclaw, loyal Hufflepuff or cunning Slytherin and enjoy some free food and good company :)

Screening of The Philosopher's Stone: Arts & Culture » O'Flaherty Lecture Theatre » 12th November 2018

Join us to enjoy the very first Harry Potter film, pizza provided :)

Committee Meetings: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 13th November 2018

Committee Meetings Will be held every tuesday between the hours of two and three lest there is a demand for a meeting at another time.

Committee Meetings: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 20th November 2018

Committee Meetings Will be held every tuesday between the hours of two and three lest there is a demand for a meeting at another time.

Fantastic Beasts: Crimes of Grindelwald: Arts & Culture » Galway, Galway, IMC Cinema » 21st November 2018

Make sure to get your ticket in socsbox! Check facebook or instagram for more information or contact us for any questions. We'll be walking over to IMC from the big yellow thing at 7pm.

EGM/Games night: Social » IT202 » 26th November 2018

Join us for a HP themed games night and a brief EGM!

Committee Meetings: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th November 2018

Committee Meetings Will be held every tuesday between the hours of two and three lest there is a demand for a meeting at another time.

Committee Meetings: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th December 2018

Committee Meetings Will be held every tuesday between the hours of two and three lest there is a demand for a meeting at another time.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » The Meeting Rooms, Áras na Mac Léinn » 15th January 2019

Games night: Social » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 16th January 2019

Start off the new semester with some Harry Potter games and new faces!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 21st January 2019

Discussion night: Social » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 22nd January 2019

Join us for a discussion of all things Harry Potter related! Free pizza provided :)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th January 2019

Games Night: Entertainment » Meeting Rooms 1 & 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 28th January 2019

Join us for an evening of games based on the Harry Potter universe, including Cards against Muggles and Cluedo! Pizza will be provided :)

EGM and Screening: Social » O'Flaherty Theatre, Concourse » 30th January 2019

Join us for a brief EGM followed by a screening of Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban!

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Art Room, Aras Na Mac Leinn » 04th February 2019

Chamber of Secrets screening: Social » O'Flaherty Theatre, Concourse » 04th February 2019

Join us for a screening of Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets, goodies provided!

Pottersoc Quiz: Social » Sult/College bar » 06th February 2019

Join us in the back room of Sult for a quiz on all things Harry Potter! Finger food provided :)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th February 2019

Pottersoc brunch: Social » The View, Áras na Mac Léinn » 14th February 2019

Join us for some free food and friendly faces!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 18th February 2019

Games Night: Social » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 18th February 2019

Join us for an evening of games based on the Harry Potter universe, including Cards against Muggles and Cluedo! Pizza will be provided :)

Screening of Goblet of Fire: Film » O Flaherty Theatre » 20th February 2019

Join us for our film screening, complete with popcorn and good company :)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th February 2019

Screening of order of the Phoenix: Film » O Flaherty Theatre » 25th February 2019

Our weekly film screenings, complete with popcorn and good company :)

Games Night: Social » The Meeting Rooms, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th February 2019

Join us for an evening of games based on the Harry Potter universe, including Cards against Muggles and Cluedo! Pizza will be provided :)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 04th March 2019

Wand making night: Social » Art Room, Aras Na Mac Leinn » 04th March 2019

Come and make your own wand- materials and food provided!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th March 2019

Games Night: Social » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 11th March 2019

Join us for an evening of games based on the Harry Potter universe, including Cards against Muggles and Cluedo! Pizza will be provided :)

Half Blood Prince Screening: Film » O Flaherty Theatre » 13th March 2019

Our film screenings

Screening of Deathly Hallows: Film » O'Flaherty Theatre, Concourse » 19th March 2019

Join us for a screening of Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 1, popcorn provided!

Games Night: Social » AM112 » 20th March 2019

Join us for an evening of games based on the Harry Potter universe, including Cards against Muggles and Cluedo! Pizza will be provided :)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room 2, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th March 2019

Fanfic stories/art: Social » The Meeting Rooms, Áras na Mac Léinn » 25th March 2019

Join us to write some Harry Potter inspired stories/poems or make some Harry Potter themed art!

Baking night: Social » The Hub, Áras na Mac Léinn » 27th March 2019

Join us to bake some HP favourites, from deathly hallow brownies to pumpkin pasties!

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Smokies Cafe » 01st April 2019

Deathly Hallows 2 Screening: Film » Meeting Rooms Áras na Mac Léinn » 01st April 2019

Join us for our final screening of the year!

House Cup and AGM: Social » IT125 (IT Building) » 03rd April 2019

Join us to elect or become part of next year's committee! We will also be presenting the House Cup to the House with the most points and announcing the individual who earned the most points this year. Free food will be provided as usual!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(8/8) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

We aim to create a space in which people can share their passion for Harry Potter and meet new people.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

1. Hold weekly events.
2. Have a sense of community- evident through regular attendees.
3. Have a house cup competition with a ceremony at the end of the year.
4. Highlight the relevance of Harry Potter to the modern world, e.g. through discussion nights.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think we definitely created a space where people have come and shared their views, opinions and thoughts on Harry Potter, we especially saw from the quiz night the passion many people have for the books. Everyone has met someone new from the society and many have made new friends.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our first aim was to hold weekly events and we definitely reached this goal, we had either one or two events every single week of college that were organised on time and had regular attendance.

I think we also achieved our second aim as we have many regular attendees and people seem very comfortable with each other at all of our events.

We have plans for the house cup celebration at the end of the year and I expect this aim to be met also.

Our discussion nights always included topical subjects such as inclusion and representation.

This year I think our society did very well in relation to reaching all of our goals.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think our societies greatest success this year was holding regular events and making sure our members always had something they could come to.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

I think our greatest challenge was building the society back up from last year with a whole new committee as all of us had to figure out our roles from scratch.

Potter Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Kevin Mc Loughlin **Position:** Auditor

Name: Mololuwa Awogboro **Position:** OCM

Name: Silvia Gigante **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Ferdia O Headhra **Position:** Secretary

Name: Anne Rieger **Position:** PRO

Name: Julia Castello **Position:** OCM

Name: Ruadh Kelly Harrington **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Jennifer Rosner **Position:** OCM

Potter Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Kevin Mc Loughlin **Position:** Auditor

Name: Ruadh Kelly Harrington **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Ferdia O Headhra **Position:** Secretary

Name: Silvia Gigante **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Julia Castello **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Mololuwa Awogboro **Position:** P.R.O

Potter Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€359.17	Bank charge	€16.75
Socs box Till	€100.00	Dinner/Food	€1,265.11

USC Grant	€1,350.00	Entertainment	€200.00
		Materials	€185.2797
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€61.78
		Prizes	€25
		Expenditure Total	€1753.92
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€55.25
Total	€1809.17	Total	€1809.17

Alive Certificate Recipients

Roshan George	310 hrs	OCM
Julia Ingles Cerrillo	0 hrs	Volunteer
Christopher D Arcy-Morkan	200 hrs	Treasurer
Dillon McDonagh	300 hrs	Vice-Treasurer
Stephen Meaney	300 hrs	Special Events Organiser
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Austin Curran	356 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 2326 Participants: 8

Other Information

We held 21 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 1209 members.

Psychiatry Society

NUIG Psychiatry Society is now into its third year. We want to spark interest in the fascinating field of study that is Psychiatry. We also want to promote positive mental health on campus.
Check us out on Facebook!
<https://www.facebook.com/NUIGPsychiatrySoc?ref=hl>



Psychiatry Society Events list (1 Individual Events)

AGM: Training » CSI Room 2001 » 12th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
0 society leadership questions answered	1 society committee members with questions answered	1 Total society committee members	(1/1) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Psychiatry Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Emma Kinsella **Position:** Auditor

Psychiatry Society Incoming Committee

Name: Jaszmin Sonia Kaur Rugber Singh **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Akiko Azuma **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Adeline May Lynn Tan **Position:** PRO

Name: Maria Farag **Position:** 2nd Med Rep

Name: Natassha Shu-Ern Goh **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Daniel Coyle **Position:** Secretary

Name: Shane Eakins **Position:** 4th Med Rep

Name: Carol Yassa **Position:** 2nd Med Rep

Name: Jack Yassa **Position:** 1st Med Rep

Psychiatry Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€787.85	Bank charge	€22.50
		Expenditure Total	€22.5
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€765.35
Total	€787.85	Total	€787.85

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 388 members.

Psychological Society

The Psychological Society is a society for students of psychology and anyone with an interest in what makes people behave the way they do. We have successfully held both academic and social events throughout the academic year.

Psych Soc is about introducing people to things they wouldn't ordinarily come across in course readings and lectures. The society frequently held talks in the university on a variety of topics such as: counter-terrorism; toxic relationships, mental resilience in defence forces and research into the field of Alzheimer's. We have also held career info events and information evenings on post-grad options. This gives students the opportunity to explore postgraduate and career directions by discovering where their interests lie. Besides the academic side of things, we also organize social evenings and trips. The society gives people the chance to get to know their classmates a little better, but also allows people to meet students from other psychological societies, at events such as the Annual Congress of Psychology Students of Ireland in UCD this year. We also held a Psychology Social Night that had great attendance and will hopefully become an annual event.

We have also put both academic and social supports in place for members. A StudyDrive account was created for members to share notes, and prep sessions were organised for students presenting at Congress this year. We also hosted workshops run by the counselling centre and will continue to do so in the next semester.



Escape rooms trip - set best time!!!

Psychological Society Events list (29 Individual Events)

Psych Soc AGM - We ARE BACK: Committee Meeting » Room 1062 in the Psychology Building (AMB) » 02nd October 2018

We will be electing our new committee for the year, hope to see you there.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 09th October 2018

Coffee Morning - Welcome to Psychology Department: Social » AMB 1064 » 16th October 2018

A coffee morning for those old and new in the Psych Department. Aimed at 1st Years and visiting students

Meeting - Lets Do It: Committee Meeting » AMB 1064 » 16th October 2018

Meeting - Updates and Pizza

Escape Rooms: Social » Galway, Galway City, escape rooms » 30th October 2018

Psych Soc will spend a social night trying to escape from a Room

Psych Soc Meeting: Other » Psychology Building » 06th November 2018

PhD Talk - Colm Doody: Educational » AMB G036 » 14th November 2018

Colm Doody will present his PhD topic and a realistic 'life as a PhD candidate' talk.

Film screening - The Stanford Prison Experiment: Film » Foyer, Psychology Building » 28th November 2018

Sarah Carth - PhD Counter Terrorism: Educational » AMB G-036 » 05th December 2018

Sarah Carthy will give a talk on terrorism and counter terrorism narratives.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » AMB-G065 » 15th January 2019

Society Meeting: Other » AMB-G065, Training Room 1 » 15th January 2019

Table Quiz with Psi Chi: Charity » The Corrib Room, Sult » 22nd January 2019

Film Screening - Split: Film » AMB-G065 » 29th January 2019

Swimrise with Lotus Soc: Health & Lifestyle » Galway, Salthill, Galway, Pier » 30th January 2019

Managing Stress and Anxiety in University: Educational » AMB-G065 » 31st January 2019

With the NUIG Student Counselling Service

Tie Dye Night: Gatherings » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 05th February 2019

Genocide Talk: Seminar » AMB G-036 » 12th February 2019

Career Development Evening: Educational » AMB G036 » 13th February 2019

With the Career Development Centre

Committee Meeting: Other » Foyer, Psychology Building » 18th February 2019

Psych Social Night: Social » Galway, Renmore, Barracks » 19th February 2019

Diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease talk: Other » AMB-G065 » 21st February 2019

This presentation covers key topics in understanding the aetiopathology of Alzheimer's disease; clinical, neuropsychological, neuroimaging and biomarker investigations of relevance in differential diagnosis and clarification of the potentially confusing constructs of mild cognitive impairment and dementia. Dr Coen hopes that by the end of the talk he will not have further added to the confusion. Dr. Robert Coen, PhD, C Psychol AFPSI is Senior Neuropsychologist in the MIRA Memory Clinic in Mercer's Institute for Successful Ageing (MISA), St. James's Hospital specialising in the neuropsychology of dementia and ageing; is a staff member of the Dept. of Medical Gerontology, Trinity College Dublin and collaborates on a range of research studies and programmes including Global Brain Health Institute (GBHI) initiatives, The Irish Longitudinal Study of Ageing (TILDA); the Trinity, University of Ulster and Dept of Agriculture (TUDA) Cohort study; NILVAD (a European Multicentre Double-Blind Placebo Controlled trial of Nilvadipine in Mild to Moderate Alzheimer's disease); Carotenoids and Age-Related Dementia Study (CARDS); carotenoid supplementation in Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI); Cognitive Impairment in

patients with HIV Infection; Viral Hepatitis C Associated Neurocognitive Dysfunction in Ireland in the DAA era (CANDI); and the Irish Network for Biomarkers in Neurodegeneration (IN-BIND), among others.

Committee Meeting: Other » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th February 2019

RE: Psychology Undergraduate Congress

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Arts Millenium Building Psychology Extension, Room G067 » 05th March 2019

RE: Congress Accommodation

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Foyer, Psychology Building » 12th March 2019

RE: Congress

H. Dip. in Psychology Information Night: Other » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 12th March 2019

Annual information evening collaboration with the Psychology Department regarding the H. Dip. in Psychology.

Spotting Toxic Relationships and the Psychology Behind Them: Seminar » Arts Millennium Building Extension, Room G036 » 20th March 2019

A talk by Christie Tetrault, PhD candidate in the School of Psychology

Film Night in conjunction with Psi Chi: Film » G065 » 26th March 2019

AGM: Other » TBC » 04th April 2019

Undergraduate Congress: Conference » Dublin, Dublin, UCD » 05th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(4/8) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The Psychology Society's aim is to create a group of people who share an interest in the world of Psychology. We hope to foster and enhance this interest by organising guest speakers, trips away, social events, book swaps and mindfulness activities.

Additionally, we wish to improve the relationship between Psychology students at the university, providing them with an opportunity to meet socially and share their interests and concerns.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Organise Guest Speakers

Social Events

Staff/Student Collaborations

Book Swaps

Mindfulness Activities

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The Psychology Society's aim was to create a group of people who share an interest in the world of Psychology. We hoped to foster and enhance this interest by organising guest speakers, trips away, social events, book swaps and mindfulness activities. We achieved most of these aims by holding both academic and social events throughout the academic year, allowing members to be as involved as they

wished. We also organised a trip to the PSI Psychology Undergraduate Congress in UCD which help build relationships with students at other universities and also helped to bond the members of the society.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The society frequently held talks in the university on a variety of topics such as: counter-terrorism; toxic relationships, mental resilience in defence forces and research into the field of Alzheimer's. We have also held career info events and information evenings on post-grad options. We also organize social evenings and trips. The society gives people the chance to get to know their classmates a little better, but also allows people to meet students from other psychological societies, at events such as the Annual Congress of Psychology Students of Ireland in UCD this year. We also held a Psychology Social Night that had great attendance and will hopefully become an annual event.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

We have gotten feedback that the social events and trip away were great for members to bond with each other. We hope to organize more formal and informal social events in the future.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The biggest challenge was reviving the society. Many of the committee members had not been involved in societies before and we were all figuring out how to do things. Despite that, the society has been a great success, and many friendships have been made.

Psychological Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Stephen Bunney **Position:** Auditor
Name: Emily Atkinson **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Niamh McElroy **Position:** Secretary
Name: Kitty Ryan **Position:** PRO
Name: Lucy Holden **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Emma Gunning **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Eimear McKenna **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Rory Coyne **Position:** Public Relation Officer

Psychological Society Incoming Committee

Name: Emily Atkinson **Position:** Auditor
Name: Kate Doherty **Position:** Secretary
Name: Julie Baxter **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Eimear McKenna **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Emma Kelly **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Karen Butler **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Nathan Soch **Position:** Events Manager

Psychological Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€653.52	Bank charge	€23.25
Members Contributions	€894.00	Dinner/Food	€779.96
Socs box Till	€1,960.00	Entertainment	€323.50
Ticket Sales	€345.00	Entry fees	€1,788.00
USC Grant	€2,550.00	Equipment misc	€8.96
		Materials	€53.05

		Promotions	€12
		Society accomm	€2713
		Socs day expenses	€23.37
		Expenditure Total	€5725.09
		Closing Bank Balance	€677.43
Total	€6402.52	Total	€6402.52

Alive Certificate Recipients

Emma Gunning	10 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Emily Atkinson	10 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Niamh McElroy	15 hrs	Secretary
Eimear McKenna	26 hrs	Treasurer

Total Hours 61 Participants: 4

Other Information

We held 9 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 790 members.

Quiz Soc

Quiz Society has been set up only this year. We have all new committee members from a variety of fields and years of study. We organised several entertaining and fun-filled quizzes for our members this year. At each event the turnout was always better than anticipated. We had prizes for our winners.



Quiz Soc Events list (8 Individual Events)

Welcome Night: Entertainment » IT202 » 24th September 2018

We'll be getting to know each other and playing some fun quizzes. Pizza too! Bring your friends!

EGM: Committee Meeting » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 26th September 2018

We'll be filling available positions, having some pizza and playing some cards against humanity!

"Pointless" style Quiz: Other »

AC204, The Concourse » 10th October 2018

Join the QuizSoc for an exciting 'Pointless' themed quiz!

"Countdown" Style Quiz: Other » AC204, The Concourse » 17th October 2018

Another exciting evening of "Countdown" style quizzing brought to you by the Quiz soc!

Marvel Cinematic Universe Quiz: Other » Ac203 » 24th October 2018

Marvel Quiz at AC204! Bring along some friends and have a craic!

'It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia' themed Quiz: Other » AC204, The Concourse » 07th November 2018

Come along and bring some friends to win prizes and have a lot of fun!

Game of Thrones Quiz: Social » AC202, The Concourse » 14th November 2018

Game of Thrones style Quiz Event

Astronomy Themed Quiz: Social » Sult: College Bar, Aras na Mac Leinn » 28th November 2018

Join us at SULT for a fun-filled ASTRONOMY THEMED QUIZ, FREE food and exciting PRIZES in collaboration with the Astronomy Society. Come along and bring some friends too!

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(4/10) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To organize social events that are both mentally challenging and entertaining for students of NUI Galway.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- To host weekly events that are varied and entertaining and to gauge the general views on what specific events are popular with society members
- How to broaden our reach to more students with varied interests
- Make society financially stable with funding and banking set up for easy hosting of events
- Collaborate further with other societies

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

As per our mission, we did a good job. We organised several events and provided the platform for people to socialize and have fun in.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, the society did achieve its objectives and goals.

We hosted weekly events that were both entertaining and challenging. Moreover, a different audience was present at each of our events enabling us to serve people of varied interests. We also held an event in collaboration with the Astronomy Society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our societies greatest success could be the fact that we were able to give our best at each event and that the audience thoroughly enjoyed being part of our society at each quiz. Therefore, our greatest success was entertaining the audience.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge could be figuring out what kind of quizzes to hold. The decision of deciding what themed quiz we would hold each week could be regarded as the biggest challenge because it was difficult to figure out what the people liked. This was because we had to cater to their likes.

Quiz Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Fiona Lee **Position:** Auditor

Name: Joseph Casey **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Mansi Kesarwani **Position:** Secretary

Name: Robert Boehringer **Position:** Significant Events Officer

Name: Paige Donnelly **Position:** PRO

Name: Damien Kirby **Position:** OCM

Name: Saul Gavigan **Position:** OCM

Name: Sebastian Ellies **Position:** OCM

Name: Sean Monahan **Position:** Health and Safety Officer

Name: Jossal Cota **Position:** Treasurer

Quiz Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€52.79

USC Grant	€250.00	Dinner/Food	€58
		Expenditure Total	€110.79
		Closing Bank Balance	€139.21
Total	€250	Total	€250

Alive Certificate Recipients

Mansi Kesarwani	7 hrs	Secretary
Paige Donnelly	0 hrs	PRO

Total Hours 7 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 3 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 278 members.

RadioSoc

Assisting with Flirt FM, giving another social outlet for members. Giving members experience on all things radio and producing gigs and takeovers for charity.

Radio Soc at SocsBall 2019

RadioSoc Events list (15 Individual Events)

RadioSoc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras an Mac Leinn - The View » 19th September 2018

EGM to welcome new society members, talk about our plans for the year and elect new committee members.

RadioSoc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 24th September 2018

EGM to welcome new society members, talk about our plans for the year and elect new committee members.

Tea and Chats: Social » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

A chilled out sit down with teas, coffee and a butt load of chats! Come relax with RadioSoc before we go live on Flirt fm 101.3!

Cinema Social :D : Social » Galway, Galway, IMC Cinema » 09th October 2018

Woohoo! We're going to the Cinema :D we'll be meeting in the college beforehand to gather people and walk to the theatre :) Keep an eye on your e-mails and Facebook to find out more!

Bowling: Social » Galway, Headford Road, the Planet Entertainment Centre » 17th October 2018

Woo! Bowling! :D

Letterfrack ticket sales: Social » Concourse Table B » 31st October 2018

Selling tickets for Letterfrack trip

Trip Away to Letterfrack: Other » Galway, Letterfrack, Letterfrack Farm House » 02nd November 2018

Two nights in Letterfrack to visit Connemara Community Radio Station as well as do some team building and some recording basics! Hooray! Let's have some fun with this ;)

24 hour Takeover: Charity » Flirt FM » 10th November 2018

Gig in aid of Galway Busking Community: Charity » Galway, Dominick Street, CLUB ARAS NA NGAEL » 22nd November 2018

Gig in Area na nGael for the Galway Busking Community! Featuring bands from nuig RockSoc and the Galway Busking Community! Tune in to FlirtFM101.3 on Monday 26th to catch up on the action

tea and chat - wrap up: Gatherings » Galway, Galway, Secret Garden » 03rd December 2018

Tea and chat

EGM: Social » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 29th January 2019

Introducing new members to the society! :D

Trip to Letterfrack: Social » Galway, Letterfrack, Letterfrack Bunkhouse » 01st February 2019

Some team building and basic audio recording skills for radio will be taught. Late addition to Calendar, e-mail notifications sent on Wed. 23rd of January

Supporting local Buskers: Charity » Galway, Galway Dominick st, CLUB ARAS NA NGAEL » 21st February 2019

Help us help the buskers' fight against the once again proposed busking by-laws! More info on the night

24 Hour Show: Charity » Flirt FM » 09th March 2019

AGM with Celebrations! :D: Committee Meeting » Áras na Mac Leinn, Meeting Room 1 & 2 » 04th April 2019

Wrapping up with an AGM where we'll be electing new committee members/positions, joining FlirtFM in their own End of Year Celebrations and ending with some bonding over a film. Hope to see all there who are interested :) Much love.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	6 society committee members with questions answered	6 Total society committee members	(6/6) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To promote and encourage listening of radio for the university.
To support FlirtFM.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Trips to Radio/Media Stations/Studios.

Host two charity 24Hr Radio broadcast events.

Host + Record numerous Live Gigs.

Help other shows on FlirtFM out.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We did much more than this by 24 hour shows, additionally gigs outside of the university added to this.

We received an award from Flirt FM for behind the scenes support.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved all our aims and objectives. A trip is being organised for the summer.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Friendship.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

PRO left and was difficult to pick up as an additional role without training.

RadioSoc Outgoing Committee

Name: Darren Coppinger **Position:** OCM

Name: Alice Selby **Position:** Secretary

Name: Felipe Loughran Ponce **Position:** Auditor

Name: Donal McGrath **Position:** OCM

Name: Liam Le Noac H **Position:** OCM

Name: Patrick Fleming **Position:** Treasurer

RadioSoc Incoming Committee

Name: Felipe Loughran Ponce **Position:** Auditor

Name: Patrick Fleming **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Alice Selby **Position:** OCM

Name: Liam Le Noac H **Position:** Vice-Auditor

RadioSoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€3,936.43	Bank charge	€31.64
Ticket Sales	€268	Dinner/Food	€804.32
USC Grant	€750.00	Entertainment	€339.00
		Equipment misc	€68.49
		Gifts	€56
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€50
		Society accomm	€380

		Society transport	€53.10
		Socs day expenses	€6
		Speaker travel	€154.86
		Expenditure Total	€1951.41
		Closing Bank Balance	€3010.68
Total	€4,954.09	Total	€4,954.09

Alive Certificate Recipients

Patrick Fleming	0 hrs	Treasurer
Felip Loughran Ponce	75 hrs	Auditor

Total Hours 75 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 25 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 454 members.

Rock Soc

Alongside our weekly jams we have been running for years, we organised a trip to the Siege of Limerick open to all members of RockSoc, and as live music is at the heart of our society, we were able to give valuable opportunities to NUIG's up and coming bands by running 8 different gigs throughout the year, 3 gigs open to all RockSoc bands, 1 EP Launch for previous Witless winners and 4 gigs as part of Witless 2019, all incredibly successfully ran in the Róisín Dubh, attracting large crowds with each event.



Crowd at Witless 2019

Rock Soc Events list (31 Individual Events)

Rock Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Áras na Mac Leinn, Meeting Room 1 & 2 » 18th September 2018

We're having our EGM to fill committee positions and plan events for the year. All welcome to attend. We'll be having free pizza and maybe a bit of a sesh in the college bar afterwards

Rock Soc Freshers Gig: Music Event » Galway, Galway City, Róisín Dubh » 24th September 2018

NUIG Rock Soc hosts our first gig of the college year in the Róisín! Free entry to the first 10,000 people! Get in when doors open and you'll be in with the chance to win inner peace and a feeling of belonging on earth. Playing on the night are some of the finest bands Galway has to offer. **FEATURING:** French Ketamine ScRaM 60 Watt Girl Cillian Ryan Doors @ 8:30 - Free Admission

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th October 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 11th October 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 18th October 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 25th October 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Siege of Limerick Trip: Music Event » Limerick, Limerick City, Dolans » 27th October 2018

Annual trip to the Siege of Limerick metal festival

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st November 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th November 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th November 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd November 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th November 2018

Come join us for our weekly jam session. Drums, amps, and mics provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 17th January 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome.

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th January 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome.

Witless Heat 1: Music Event » Galway, Galway city, Róisín Dubh » 28th January 2019

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 31st January 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome.

Witless Heat 2: Music Event » Galway, Dominick Street, Róisín Dubh » 04th February 2019

The 2nd round of the Annual Rock Soc and Music Soc Battle of the Bands Competition, Witless, will be taking place in the Róisín Dubh at 9PM on February 4th (Doors open 8:30). The bands competing tonight are Winnie Blues, Sad Bathroom, and My Gazebo.



Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 07th February 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 14th February 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 21st February 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Witless Heat 3: Music Event » Galway, Galway city, Roisin dubh » 25th February 2019

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room » 28th February 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Witless Final: Music Event » Galway, Galway city, Roisin dubh » 04th March 2019

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Small Acoustic Room » 07th March 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th March 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

RockSoc Rollover: Music Event » Galway, Galway City, Róisín Dubh » 18th March 2019

Róisín Dubh, 18th of March 2019, Doors at 8PM. Jordan O'Connor, FIFA 06, Yellow Tinted Windows, Winnie Blues

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room » 21st March 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room » 28th March 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

French Ketamine EP Launch: Music Event » Galway, Galway City, Róisín Dubh » 01st April 2019

French Ketamine are releasing their debut EP on April 1st. It's in the Róisín Dubh and they've support from some of the best bands in Galway, My Gazebo and Undercover Martians. Best of all it's free!

Rock Soc Jam: Music Event » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 04th April 2019

Come along to our weekly jam session! Mics, amps, and drums provided. All skill levels welcome

Rock Soc AGM: Music Event » Band room » 25th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(5/7) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aim of the society is to provide a positive environment for both musicians and fans of rock music. We are dedicated to promoting and supporting student bands and performers, providing equipment and facilities for these bands to develop their skills and sound. We also have regular events for fans of rock music to get together and go to gigs, as well as special one-off events of varied themes pertaining to the wishes of our members.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Run Witless 2019 (Battle of the Bands competition) successfully.

Run weekly jam sessions.

Run one-off events such as screenings, gigs, etc.

Siege of Limerick trip

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Achieved most of our aims

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Witless 2019

Building a stronger relationship with the Roisin Dubh

Helping bands record material

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Despite some initial difficulties due to new college facilities, with the co-operation of the SocsBox, we were able to resolve these issues.

Rock Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Adrian Kelly **Position:** Auditor

Name: Darren Coppinger **Position:** Secretary

Name: Rebecca McGinley **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Jordan O'Connor **Position:** OCM

Name: Sean Donnelly **Position:** PRO

Name: Roger Bond **Position:** OCM

Name: Aaron Siddiqui **Position:** OCM

Rock Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Patrick Fleming **Position:** OCM

Name: Michael Dillon **Position:** Equipment Manager

Name: Daithi McGloin **Position:** Auditor

Name: Michael McGloin **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Darren Coppinger **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Jordan O'Connor **Position:** Jam Master

Rock Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€286.67	Bank charge	€23.35
USC Grant	€1,500.00	Dinner/Food	€224.20
		Prizes	€500
		Services Hired	€255
		Society accomm	€279.8
		Society transport	€12.2

		Expenditure Total	€1294.55
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€492.12
Total	€1786.67	Total	€1786.67

Alive Certificate Recipients

Patrick Fleming	0 hrs	OCM
Michael Dillon	28 hrs	Equipment Manager
Total Hours 28 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 12 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 594 members.

Rover Soc

Our society focus on outdoor based activities, mainly camping as we are a scouting society. We hope to get people who may not know anything about that field of activity interested in our events and teach them some things about the outdoors.

Rover Soc Events list (22 Individual Events)

EGM: Gatherings » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 19th September 2018

Bowling: Other » Galway, Galway City, Planet Bowling » 09th October 2018

Bowling night with RoverSoc!

Astro Soc Camping

Collaboration: Other » Galway, Renville, Renville Park » 19th October 2018



Collaboration Camp with Astro Soc where we will camp overnight and look at the stars with the use of AstroSoc's telescope.

Pumpkin Carving: Other » TBC » 24th October 2018

Our annual pumpkin carving evening!

Movie Night: Film » TBC See Email » 14th November 2018

Joint Christmas Party with Mountaineering Club: Social » Galway, Galway City, Busker Browne's » 27th November 2018

Joint Christmas party with NUIG Mountaineering Club!

England Trip Information Evening: Other » AC202 » 16th January 2019

Information evening to discuss upcoming camping trip to England.

Glow in the Dark Orienteering: Other » On Campus » 23rd January 2019

Glow in the dark orienteering across campus!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » TBC » 30th January 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

Paracord Craft Night: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 06th February 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 13th February 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

England Camping Trip: Trips » United Kingdom, Nottingham, Walesby Forest » 15th February 2019

We will be heading to England for the 'Nottingham Outlaw Camp', a weekend-long camp organised by Rovers in the UK. This camp includes loads of activities throughout the weekend and promises to be a great trip!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 20th February 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

Roversoc Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 27th February 2019

Our weekly event!

Bowling: Social » Galway, Headford Road, The Planet Entertainment Centre » 05th March 2019

Bowling night with RoverSoc!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 06th March 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 13th March 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 20th March 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

RoverSoc AGM: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 27th March 2019

AGM to elect our new committee for the incoming year!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 03rd April 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

RoverSoc Meeting/Event: Other » AC202, NUIG Concourse. » 17th April 2019

Our weekly RoverSoc events where we will have different activities each week!

End of Year BBQ with Mountaineering Club: Social » Galway, Galway, Off Campus » 10th May 2019

Our annual end of year BBQ party! Joint event with Mountaineering Club.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	13 Total society committee members	(7/13) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our aim is to give the students and staff of NUIG a chance to experience scouting and all the it involves. We want to organise events that will be enjoyable but also worthwhile, teaching people new skills, giving them opportunities for new experiences and fundraising. We aim to increase our membership and hold as many successful events as possible to make the most out of the year.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Wednesday Night events

Social Events

Fundraising events

Camping trips

Hammocking Trips

Possible trip abroad

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We carried out events that encompass all that scouting has to offer, such as skills nights, camping trips, hammocking, and interacting with other communities/societies. We had a lot of new members sign up at both society fairs. Some new members became part of our committee.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We successfully executed all of the events we had planned for the year, as well as others organised throughout. We collaborated with the Baking Society and AstroSoc, these joint events went very well and built bridges between our societies. Our hammocking and camping trips were enjoyable for all involved. We went to Nottingham in the England to participate in a national event hosted by SSAGO, the organisation that is responsible for student scouts and guides in the UK. Overall, I believe we carried out our mission statement to the best of our ability.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

In November we hosted a campfire in Fisheries Field with the Baking Society. At this event we prepared a campfire and cooking equipment and the Baking Society made hot chocolate, smores, sausages and other treats on the fire. This event was a massive success, organisation between both our societies was very cooperative and communicative. There was a large turnout for the event with members from both societies attending. The overall atmosphere at the event was very welcoming, with people from both societies getting to know one another, as well as curious passersby staying for a chat.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Retaining newer members is our greatest challenge. Currently our committee comprises mainly older members, who will either have to focus more on college work or will have graduated by next year. This year we had very few new members consistently showing up to meetings/events. This will make organizing events in the coming years more challenging, as we will be missing newer reliable members in the society.

Rover Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Nicola Murphy **Position:** Auditor

Name: Natalie Concannon **Position:** Secretary

Name: Hannah Dominguez McLaughlin **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Abaigh Donohue **Position:** Community Project Liaison Officer

Name: Kieran Kelly **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Luke Sheridan **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Kenneth Cooke **Position:** Quartermaster
Name: Agata Rzeznik **Position:** Trips Officer
Name: Eva Mannion **Position:** 1st Year Rep
Name: Rachel Trench **Position:** OCM
Name: Killian Delorme **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Ciara Burke **Position:** OCM
Name: Cormac Horan **Position:** OCM

Rover Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€934.01	Bank charge	€46.41
Ecommerce Sales	€805.00	Dinner/Food	€759.55
Members Contribution	€174	Entertainment	€74.97
USC Grant	€2,060.00	Entry fees	€210.00
		Equipment misc	€265.42
		Fundraising / Charity	€10.9
		Hoodies	€283.94
		Prizes	€35.5
		Society transport	€885.67
		Expenditure Total	€2,602.36
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€1,370.65

Total	€3,973.01	Total	€3,973.01
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Alive Certificate Recipients

Nicola Murphy	30 hrs	Auditor
Julia Ingles Cerrillo	20 hrs	Volunteer

Total Hours 50 Participants: 2

Other Information

We held 2 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 527 members.

Saudi Society

The Saudi Students' Society at NUI Galway is a non-political, non-religious and non-profit society, established to organise, sponsor, and support several of social, cultural, educational and sport activities for Saudi and other students in Galway. The society aimed to host a number of key events throughout the year, which includes short lectures, sport activities, regular social meetings and cultural festivals. It is run by Saudi students who are studying at NUI Galway. The Society give opportunity to bring together all Saudi Students to promote and represent the Saudi culture.



Saudi National Day

Saudi Society Events list (9 Individual Events)

Preparation for the Saudi National

day: Gatherings » Áras na Mac Leinn, Meeting Room 1 & 2 » 07th September 2018

Saudi National Day: Other » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

EGM: Other » The Cube » 08th October 2018

Global week fair trade: Charity » The Cube » 24th October 2018

Socs Day 2: Other » Bailey Allen » 22nd January 2019

Gathering: Gatherings » Áras na Mac Leinn, Meeting Room 1 & 2 » 25th January 2019

Gathering: Gatherings » the space » 08th February 2019

Families meeting: Gatherings » the space » 23rd February 2019

Families meeting: Gatherings » The View Aras Na Mac Leinn » 31st March 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
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4 society leadership questions answered

5 society committee members with questions answered

5 Total society committee members

(5/5) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To establish a strong connection between Saudi and Arabian students at NUI Galway, and to share their; experiences, traditional, culture and crafts of the kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the non-Saudi Community.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

To have an official link between Saudi students and non-Saudi Community at NUI Galway.

To display the Saudi culture to the non-Saudi Community

To help and support Saudi students at NUI Galway.

To connect and support Saudi student in any academic or social needs.

To arrange courses and lectures that interest its members.

To arrange occasional sports activities for the society members.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think we did just fine; we did not do as good as we were hoping, but i think we achieve some of the main goals that we set at the beginning of the year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

yes we did achieve some of the objectives and goals.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Starting the society was one of the greatest achievements this year, especially the attendance of the Saudi attache to the Saudi National day where we announced the opening of the society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Organizing more events for the society members and collaboration with other societies.

Saudi Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Majed Alharbi **Position:** Auditor

Name: Marwah Aljohani **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Badr Almutairi **Position:** Secretary

Name: Mohammed Alaswad **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Waleed Alghamdi **Position:** Treasurer

Saudi Society Incoming Committee

Name: Majed Alharbi **Position:** Auditor

Saudi Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.90

USC Grant	€450.00	Materials	€225.59
		Printing	€72.3
		Expenditure Total	€343.79
		Closing Bank Balance	€106.21
Total	€450	Total	€450

Other Information

We held 6 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 139 members.

Sinn Fein Soc

Coming from an Irish republican socialist perspective, Sinn Féin NUIG believe in the protection of workers rights, LGBT rights, immigrant rights, the reunification of Ireland, international solidarity (Palestine, Catalunya, Basque country etc.), a socialist economy, anti-racism, anti-fascism, environmentalism and feminism.

Indeed, throughout the years, we have campaigned for an end to the direct provision system, the boycott of Israel, the introduction of same sex marriage, and currently are campaigning for Irish women's reproductive rights to be respected through a complete repeal of the 8th amendment from the constitution. We feel Ireland, north and south, need radical socialist politics in order for Irish people to gain equality in all aspects of their lives. Moreover, we feel that the actions of Irish right-wing



governments have been overwhelmingly destructive to our nation both economically and socially.

For Sinn Féin, fairness to all people and quality of life for our citizens are demands that we will not capitulate on and are goals that we will work tirelessly towards in every aspect of our daily business. We **will** win and we **will** have our country's independence restored and our nation governed in a peaceful way,

protective to citizens vulnerable or otherwise with respect for the land we live on and true ownership of our historic resources. We will build the 32 county Irish socialist republic laid out in the 1916 proclamation.

Sinn Fein Soc Events list (63 Individual Events)

Welcome night for new members: Social » Aras na Gaeilge » 19th September 2018

Welcome night for new members. Free Pizza and refreshments. Bring your mates!

Egm: Other » Aras na Gaeilge » 26th September 2018

Come along to our EGM this Wednesday. All positions up for descision. Social night afterwards.

Micheal Breathnach Comm: Educational » Galway, Galway City, Bohermore » 20th October 2018

Commemoration for SF Cllr Mícheál breathnach

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 24th October 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 31st October 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 07th November 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 14th November 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 21st November 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 28th November 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 05th December 2018

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 16th January 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 23rd January 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 30th January 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 06th February 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 13th February 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 20th February 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 27th February 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Martina Anderson MEP: Beyond Brexit: Conference » AC202 » 28th February 2019

On the 28th February at 7pm Martina Anderson MEP will be coming to NUIG to give a talk on brexit; the impact it will have on the island of Ireland and the benefits of a United Ireland. There will be a short time allocated for questions afterwards so be sure to come along. Open invitation to all fellow activists and anyone who is interested in the topics of Brexit and Irish Unity. There will be tea, coffee, and pizza there on the night. Room AC202 in the arts concourse. Brexit affects all of us. Come along and have your say. This is a fantastic opportunity and we really hope to see you all there. Bígí linn!

Movie Night: "The Wind that Shakes the Barley": Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 06th March 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Gaelphobia: Conference » THB G011 Hardiman Building » 11th March 2019

We are delighted to announce that Dr. Caoimhín de Barra of Gonzaga University will be delivering his lecture Gaelophobia based on his new book of the same name here in NUIG this Monday at 6pm. Caoimhín's book focuses on the reasons why the Irish language is often disliked by people. This

promises to be a very interesting evening and coincides with Seachtain na Gaeilge. The lecture is delivered in English but questions will be taken as Gaeilge as well. All are welcome but early arrival is advised in order to secure a seat. This event is co-hosted with Cumann Gaelach and Sinn Fein -NUIG D'Arcy Mellows

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 13th March 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Election Canvass with Cllr Mark Lohan - westside: Social » Galway, Fairlands Park, Kingfisher gym » 18th March 2019

Canvassing with local council election candidate - Fairlands Park, Moyola Park and Ardilaun Rd. Meeting at kingfisher at 6pm.

#2 Election Canvass with Cllr Mark Lohan - Westside: Social » Galway, Greenfields Newcastle, Kingfisher NUIG » 19th March 2019

Election Canvassing on the doors of Tudor Lawn and Greenfields, Newcastle. Meeting at Kingfisher at 6.30pm.

Election Canvass for Louis Ohara Athenry Council Candidate: Social » Galway, Claregalway, Claregalway » 20th March 2019

Canvassing the doors of Claregalway to support Louis Ohara Sinn Fein council candidate for the Athenry-Oranmore area. Meeting outside James Hardiman Library at 5.00pm.

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 20th March 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Official EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras na Gaeilge » 20th March 2019

EGM to officially elect our cumann committee. There will be committee positions up for grabs so don't miss out. Free pizza/tea/coffee! Hope to see ye all there.

Election leafleting for Cllr Mark Lohan - Westside: Social » Galway, Corrach Buí, Newcastle » 21st March 2019

Leaflet drop around the houses of Corrach Buí, westside for Mark Lohan. Meeting there at 5pm. Pints afterwards!

Election Leaflet drop for Cllr Mark Lohan - Westside: Social » Galway, Innishannagh Park, Westside » 22nd March 2019

Meeting at innishannagh Park, westside at 3.30pm to leaflet for local Cllr election candidate Mark Lohan. Bígí linn.

Chieftain's walk in memory of Martin McGuinness: Charity » United Kingdom, Derry, Northern Ireland, Áras na Gaeilge » 23rd March 2019

Premiere Netflix Movie Screening: Miami Showband Massacre Documentary: Film » Aras na Gaeilge » 26th March 2019

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 27th March 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Election Canvass for TD Mairead Farrell: Social » Galway, Headford Road, Galway, Galway » 27th March 2019

Canvassing with current Galway city councillor and past student Mairead Farrell for her upcoming general election and local election campaigns. Covering headford road area. Hoping to maximise turnout and have a big team! Meeting there at 7pm. Pints afterwards

Youth Election Canvass for Cathal Ó Conchúir: Social » Galway, Galway Ragoon, Ragoon » 28th March 2019

Youth Canvass to show support and get the vote out for Galway City West Council candidate Cathal Ó Conchúir. Pints afterwards.

Athenry Table Quiz: Charity » Galway, Athenry, Dan's Bar, Athenry » 29th March 2019

Athenry Sinn Féin are holding a table quiz to help raise funds for the campaign to elect Louis O'Hara at the Local Elections on 24th May 2019. All are welcome to attend! Its €10 per person (€40 a table) and there's great prizes to be won.

Free Student Care Packages: Health & Lifestyle » Smokeys Cafe » 03rd April 2019

Sinn Fein soc will be outside Smokey's giving away free student care packages to anyone who may need them. They include free teabags, condoms, sanitary pads, tampons, and chocolate. (Student essentials!!) Drop by to say hello, everyone welcome to take one!

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 03rd April 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

ADR booking speech on Meditation: Educational » Aras na Gaeilge » 03rd April 2019

Talk/ presentation on Meditation.

Easter Sinn Fein Dinner Party: Social » Westmeath, Athlone, Shine's Restaurant, Baylough » 04th April 2019

Athlone Sinn Fein and Galway Sinn Fein are hosting a party dinner on the 4th april at 7pm. There will be a raffle at the event also, €30 a ticket or €50 for 2.3 course meal provided. There will be guest speakers there: Cllr Mairéad Farrell, Cllr Micheál Mac Donncha, Cllr Sorcha Clarke agus Pádraig Hegarty. Hope to see all all of you there, accomodation provided for!

Sinn Féin Easter Lilly Stall: Charity » Galway, Galway City, 1916 » 08th April 2019

Sinn Féin Galway will be holding a stall in eyre square on the 8th April selling Easter lillies in commemoration of the 1916 Easter Rising. This is a chance to pay your respects and honour our patriot dead, by wearing your Easter lily with pride. Raising funds for Bloody Sunday trust. We'll also be selling them once a week every week on campus in NUIG leading up to Easter, so plenty of opportunities to get yours in time. Hope to see as many of ye there as possible.

Housing Protest: Raise the Roof Rally: Gatherings » Galway, Erye Sqaure, Galway, Erye Sqaure » 08th April 2019

Raise the Roof: Homes for all. One Galway.

Women In Politics: Conference » THB G011 Hardiman Building » 09th April 2019

A discussion about women in politics from local candidates, counsellors and TD's.

Leaflet Drop for Mairead Farrell - Ballybane: Educational » Galway, Ballybane, Ballybane » 10th April 2019

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 10th April 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Poster Making Workshop: Social » Aras na Gaeilge » 10th April 2019

This weeks meeting we'll be designing posters to stick up around campus demanding reproductive rights for our sisters, mothers, daughters and friends in the north. Be as creative as you want! Join us for tea, coffee and poster making fun ☺ ☐ #TheNorthIsNext

Galway Ógra AGM: Conference » Galway, Galway City, Siptu Office » 11th April 2019

SF Galway Ógra AGM.

Canvass for Cathal Ó Conchúir: Educational » Galway, Gleann Dara, Gleann Dara » 12th April 2019

Canvass for Louis O'Hara: Educational » Galway, Claregalway, Claregalway » 12th April 2019

Tuam Race Night: Social » Galway, Tuam, Cellar Bar » 12th April 2019

Martin's Cellar Bar on what promises to be an evening of great craic at the races, and for the lucky amongst us - you might even pick a winner

Easter Commemoration 2019 - Rehearsal: Training » Aras na Gaeilge » 13th April 2019

Leaflet Drop for Mark Lohan: Gatherings » Galway, Circular Road, Circular Road » 14th April 2019

Leaflet drop.

Canvass For Cathar O connor: Gatherings » Galway, Cruchain Park, Ragoon., Estate » 15th April 2019

Leaflet Drop for Cathal O Connor: Gatherings » Galway, Friars Hill and Grangemore, Friars Hill and Grangemore » 16th April 2019

Leaflet Drop

Easter Commeration 2019 Rehersal: Entertainment » Aras na Gaeilge » 16th April 2019

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 17th April 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Legalising Cannabis for Medicinal use DEBATE!!!: Educational » Aras na Gaeilge » 17th April 2019

Nuig Sinn Fein will be collaborating with “Students for Sensible Drug Policy” society to present the debate “This House supports the Legalisation of Cannabis for Medicinal Use”. There will be 3 guest speakers opposing the motion and 3 guest speakers proposing the motion. The 3 proposing are Louise OReilly Sinn Fein TD & Health Spokesperson, Joe Loughnane People Before Profit Galway, and Luke “Ming” Flanagan MEP Green Party. The 3 opposing will be revealed next week. Its sure to be a great debate with both sides of the arguments being equally represented. Our aim is to raise awareness of the effects of medicinal cannabis and to educate young people on the topic. Everyone is more than welcome to raise a point from the floor after our speakers have spoke. We'll have tea, coffee and snacks too so don't miss that!See ye there :)

Table quiz: Social » Galway, Bohermore Galway City, Harrys Bar » 18th April 2019

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 24th April 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 01st May 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Talk with Matt Carthy MEP and Mary Lou McDonald TD: Educational » Sligo, Sligo, The Glass House, Swan Point » 03rd May 2019

Talk with SF MEP and Leader of SF.

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 08th May 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 15th May 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 22nd May 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Sinn Fein Weekly Meeting: Social » Áras na Gaeilge » 29th May 2019

Weekly to discuss current and historical affairs and socialise with other members.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(2/5) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The Sinn Féin society reflects what the party itself represents - working towards a 32 county socialist republic. Our aim is to promote Irish unity, equality, and respect.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Events we hope to achieve:

- 1) Crumlin Road Gaol visit, Belfast, Early Feb 2019
- 2) Keynote speakers event, notable members of the party/republican struggle, January 2019
- 3) Regular movie events
- 4) Easter Lily raffle, End of March/Early April 2019
- 5) General quizzes in aid of different things i.e medical aid for Palestinians (January 2019)
- 6) Regular meetings and social nights with the cumann

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The society saw a change of leadership in semester 2 and has thrived ever since. We've been the most active the cumann has been in years.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, Fair play to the society since semester two, it really picked itself up. We achieved the aim of having regular trips, weekly meetings and events. We also expanded our membership.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Electing Róisín as our Chairperson.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Sorting out our Finances.

Sinn Fein Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Declan Cuffe **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Niall Campbell **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Michael Dowling **Position:** Secretary

Name: Jason Sherlock **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Roisin Bowyer **Position:** Auditor

Sinn Fein Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Roisin Bowyer **Position:** Auditor

Name: Michael Dowling **Position:** Secretary

Sinn Fein Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€394.63	Bank charge	€38.25
USC Grant	€1,200.00	Costumes	€14.00
Fundraising	€200	Dinner/Food	€196.87
		Entertainment	€323.97

		Equipment misc	€154.37
		Fundraising / Charity	€583.25
		Hire Bus	€109.03
		Materials	€209.1
		Reception	€123.53
		Expenditure Total	€1,752.37
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€42.26
Total	€1,794.63	Total	€1,794.63

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 260 members.

Slainte Soc.

2018-2019 was an extremely successful year for Sláinte Soc. It began September 18th with our EGM committee meeting to fill the remaining committee places.

First semester saw a Yoga morning, Spinathon to raised funds for the great Galway charity ACT Meningitis, a Mindfulness class and also our talented committee members designed a wonderful 'Positivitree' to put up in Smokeys café where good-bags filled with biscuits and tea bags were given out- it was a very popular event. Students passing were delighted to read inspiration quotes and positive messages and they were encouraged to write their own up for another student to read.

Second semester had our annual Teddy Bear Hospital in January and it was a huge success- our co-auditors orchestrated an amazing event for all of the young primary school children. Both teachers and students were delighted with the event.

We also held a blood drive in March with the Irish Blood Transfusion Service and there was a great turn-out of students donating units of blood to our healthcare service.

Finally the year ended with the AGM on March 26th where we summarised the year in full, thanked our exiting committee and recruited new members for next year.



Teddy Bear Hospital 2019 Sláinte Soc. Events list (9 Individual Events)

EGM: Committee Meeting » McMunn Theatre » 18th September 2018

Yoga Morning: Health & Lifestyle » The Cube » 26th September 2018

As part of NUIG Get Active Week 2018, Sláinte Soc are running a yoga morning in The Cube on Wednesday September 26th from 7:30-8:30am. Get your day off to a healthy sláintiúl start, with a yoga class followed by a free superfood breakfast.

Sláinte Soc Spinathon: Health & Lifestyle » An Bhialann » 26th September 2018

Call down to An Bhialann, hop up on a spinning bike for a few minutes, donate a

little money if you can to ACT for Meningitis (they're a great Galway based charity!) & get a healthy snack - It couldn't be simpler. Burn a few extra calories and get your fitspo alongside your lunch with us in An Bhialann as part of NUIG Get Active Week.

Free Mindfulness Class: Health & Lifestyle » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 09th October 2018

As part of Mental Health Week, we are running a free mindfulness class for the students and staff of NUIG. We are all faced with daily struggles that can bring us down, so why not learn some techniques to help you accept and engage with the present moment? We love encouraging students to try something new, so don't be afraid if you've never practiced mindfulness before! Bring a friend along, or come alone to enjoy some time to yourself; it's completely up to you. The class is free and will be facilitated by a local mindfulness instructor, Keith, in a safe and welcoming environment. Join us in the Small Acoustic Room in Áras na Mac Léinn and learn how to mind your mental health!

Motivation Station: Health & Lifestyle » Smokeys Cafe » 11th October 2018

Here at Sláinte Soc, we want to spread some positivity during Mental Health Week. Come along to our 'Motivation Station' beside Smokey's and pick up a free 'positivity pack'; a home-made goody bag consisting of tea-bags, biscuits and all the ingredients for some 'tea n' talk' with a mate! Pop your favourite quote on one of our crafty leaves and hang it on our 'Positivitree'. Feel free to take a quote with you if it made you smile. Make someone's day and spread some happiness with us on Thursday!

Teddy Bear Hospital 2019: Health & Lifestyle » Bailey Allen Hall » 17th January 2019

The annual Sláinte Society "Teddy Bear Hospital" will be run on January 17th & 18th 2019.

Teddy Bear Hospital: Health & Lifestyle » Bailey Allen Hall » 17th January 2019

Annual Teddy Bear Hospital taking place in The Bailey Allen Hall January 17 & 18th 2019.

IBTS Blood Drive: Health & Lifestyle » Bailey Allen Hall » 05th March 2019

Blood donation clinic run by the Irish Blood Transfusion Service in association with NUIG Sláinte Society 12pm - 3:30pm

Sláinte Soc AGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 26th March 2019

Annual Sláinte Soc AGM to elect next years committee.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	13 society committee members with questions answered	13 Total society committee members	(13/13) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

NUIG's Sláinte Society is the Health Promotion Society, which focuses on all aspects of health, as well as running a full-scale Teddy Bear Hospital for the children of Galway.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Here at Sláinte Soc, our aim is to promote both physical and mental health through an array of events organised for the students of NUIG. We hope to run a Yoga Morning during Get Moving Week, aswell as a tag-rugby tournament. We strive to spread awareness of national campaigns and raise funds for local charities; with the hope of running fundraisers to support our friends at ACT for Meningitis and the renowned 'Movember' campaign. We have plans to provide students with the opportunity to develop new skill such as CPR and also provide opportunities such as donating blood at our Blood Drive. One of our main aspirations this year is to organise another successful Teddy Bear Hospital for the children of Galway.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society fulfilled its mission statement this year and achieved everything we set out to achieve and more.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, our co-auditors did an amazing job achieving above and beyond the aims, objectives and goals for this year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Teddy Bear Hospital this year was a huge success.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Committee members being away on placement was difficult at times but the remaining members came together to do the best job possible.

Slainte Soc. Outgoing Committee

Name: Sally Cahill **Position:** OCM

Name: David Nagle **Position:** Co Auditor

Name: Anna Lynam **Position:** Co Auditor

Name: Mary McNamee **Position:** Fundraising Officer 1

Name: Karen Garvey **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Sinead Burke **Position:** Secretary

Name: Clodagh Ryan **Position:** Fundraising Officer 2

Name: George Glynn **Position:** New Members Rep

Name: Liezel Ravenscroft **Position:** OCM

Name: Laura Cooke **Position:** Art Director

Name: Jaffar Abbas Syed **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Sarah Colleran **Position:** Arts Director 2

Name: Grace Meehan **Position:** PRO

Slainte Soc. Incoming Committee

Name: Clodagh Ryan **Position:** Auditor

Slainte Soc. Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€2,373.01	Apparel	€768.75
Fundraising	€487.08	Bank charge	€36.38
Sponsorship	€1,000.00	Dinner/Food	€204.49
Ticket Sales	€43.00	Equipment misc	€255.38
USC Grant	€500.00	Fundraising / Charity	€508.88
		Gifts	€8.49
		Makeup/Props	€13.99
		Postage	€20
		Services Hired	€900
		Stationary	€73.67
		Teacher fees	€70
		Expenditure Total	€2860.03
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€1543.06
Total	€4403.09	Total	€4403.09

Alive Certificate Recipients

Elise Byrne	0 hrs	Volunteer
Sabrina Cunnane	2 hrs	Volunteer
Michael Murphy	5 hrs	Volunteer
Shin Tien Seo	1 hrs	Volunteer
David Rofaiel	4 hrs	Volunteer
Ciara Lonergan	8 hrs	Volunteer
Veronica Fay-Watt	10 hrs	Volunteer
Michael Lane	2 hrs	Volunteer
Andrew Healy	6 hrs	Volunteer
Katie Carolan	4 hrs	Volunteer
Aine Ryan	3 hrs	Volunteer
Raza Abbas Syed	2 hrs	Volunteer
Hannah Donnelly	3 hrs	Volunteer
Aoife Dugdale	2 hrs	Volunteer
Laura Millett	10 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Feely	4 hrs	Volunteer
Ivana Pyne	3 hrs	Volunteer
Mark Fitzgerald	10 hrs	Volunteer
Clodagh Ryan	30 hrs	Fundraising Officer 2

Jaffar Abbas Syed	30 hrs	Safety Officer
Mairead Kilcoyne	2 hrs	Volunteer
Karen Garvey	70 hrs	Treasurer
Total Hours 211 Participants: 22		

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 1148 members.

Socialist Society

This year unfortunately was not a very active year for the society, but the groundwork was laid for next year's events and activities. We hope that through our organizing accomplished this year that we can make the society an active part of campus life

Socialist Society Events list (1 Individual Events)

What is Socialism? : Educational » Áras na mac Léinn - The Stage » 25th September 2018

Hey comrades! We will be having our first meeting next Tuesday the 25th of September in The Stage in Aras Mac leinn at 8pm. The topic will be "What Is Socialism?". Can't wait to see you all there! 🙌

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	4 Total society committee members	(2/4) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We did not get started until quite late into the year due to being a new society and having to set it all up. We had never been in charge of setting up a society before so we were unsure of how to go about it all and did not end up starting the society up properly with regular meeting until near the end of the year. However, the meetings we did have at the end of the semester went very well and we saw a lot of interest from members and prospect for the society. Although we did not get to do as well as we had hoped, we are happy with how the society grew and worked once we did start up.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We definitely succeeded in speaking, listening and learning about socialism in our meetings from all members. Everyone had contributions to make and we all enjoyed the meetings. We all shared ideas about activities that we could do and how the society could work better and grow next year

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Having successful, informative, and enjoyable meetings

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Raising awareness about the society

Socialist Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Blaithin Heffernan **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Lucy Byrne **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Jessica Kelly **Position:** P.R.O

Name: Liam McUbbin-Cramton **Position:** Auditor

No Financial Transactions

Other Information

We held 3 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 233 members.

Spanish Society

This year our society aimed to put on as many events as possible for our members to enjoy. We had a successful trip to Madrid, a table quiz to raise money for the oncology ward and many tandem nights for our members to practice their Spanish skills! We also had a tapas night where people could sample the delicious Spanish cuisine



Presenting the check to the oncology ward!

Spanish Society Events list
(12 Individual Events)

EGM: Committee Meeting »
Band Rehearsal Room Aras
na Mac Leinn » 01st October
2018

Spanish Society are holding an
EGM, Monday 1st Oct. Room
TBARoles up for grabs
include:> Treasurer>
Secretary> Events Manager>

Vice Events Manager> PRO> OCMsWe will also discuss aims and plans for the year.All welcome,
Tandem night in SULT after. PIZZA INCLUDED

Telenovela Night: Film » D'arcy Thompson » 09th October 2018

HolaFor our first event we are screening Netflix's LAS CHICAS DEL CABLEAre you interested in free
pizza, Netflix and chill?Date: Tuesday 9th of OctTime: 7pm - 8:30pm Venue: TBAHasta luego xx- The
Spanish Soc

Tandem Night: Gatherings » IT 204 » 15th October 2018

Hola, the Spanish Society are holding a Tandem Night on Monday the 15th of October from 7-8pm. 30
mins of Spanish conversation and 30 minutes of English conversation, with FREE PIZZA. Room TBA.
Social afterwards in Busker Brownes. All levels of Spanish/English welcome, hope to see you all there!

MOVIE NIGHT: Film » AM 200 Fottrell Theatre » 30th October 2018

¡Hola chic@s! The Spanish Soc are holding a movie night next TUESDAY 30TH OCTOBER 7-8PM
Venue TBA The film, 'RELATOS SALVAJES' is a 2014 Argentine-Spanish black comedy anthology film.
It's made up of six stories and is an entertaining and jaw-dropping film about people crossing the line into madness when faced with perceived injustice. There will of course be FREE PIZZA!! Social afterwards in town :) Hope to see you all there! Hasta luego, Spanish soc xx

Tandem - Spanish-English: Social » ac213 » 06th November 2018

Hola a todos! Our famous Spanish Soc Tandem event is making a comeback! Following the success of our previous event, we're holding another next week on the NUIG campus! Come along, practice your Spanish (and your English!), chat to like-minded people and enjoy some free pizza. We'll be having a social night afterwards where you can continue your chats, so it's definitely worth checking out! We hope to see you there! Lots of love, The Spanish Society

Tapas: Social » The Hub » 15th November 2018

A social event in the Hub to sample authentic Spanish Tapas, meet new people and maybe speak some Spanish. It's open, free event for anyone that is interested in Spanish food and culture.

Pre-Trip Meeting: Trips » ac213 » 26th November 2018

We'll be having a meeting for all students who are travelling with the Society to Madrid in January 2018. Keep an eye on your emails and texts for details of the location!

Spanish Soc EGM: Other » AMB G-036 » 30th January 2019

Spanish Tandem Night: Gatherings » AMB-G036 Seminar Room » 30th January 2019

We're hosting one of our famed Tandem nights this Wednesday 30th January at 7pm, directly after our EGM so come along and practice your Spanish and English! All levels of Spanish and English welcome to attend. It's taking place in AMB-G036 in the Psychology Building and there may or may not be a social night (and food!) afterwards.

Spanish Movie Night: Film » IT250 (IT Building) » 04th February 2019

Tandem Night: Other » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 14th March 2019

Come join us in the hub for español y irlandés y pizza!

Annual General Meeting: Other » ac213 » 04th April 2019

Spanish Society is holding an AGM to elect committee members for the coming year (2019/2020). All students are welcome to this event. Speaking Spanish is not necessary to join our committee, anyone who is enthusiastic and wants to join will have the opportunity there. People who cannot attend can also be nominated by their peers. There will be free food and a social after.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	12 society committee members with questions answered	16 Total society committee members	(12/16) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The society aims to promote Spanish language and culture and inspire people with all levels of Spanish to come to our events and practice, as well as make friends with common interests.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to hold weekly events and to encourage many Spanish and English speakers to attend. We also aim to organise the first Spanish Holiday in January!

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think that we did a great job this year. I feel with my knowledge and experience for next year i can be much more effective as auditor and hopefully do even more. Even our trip encourage some first years to join the society for the coming year.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Well first of all we didn't have events every week but the types of events we had surpassed by expectations. We had successful Tapas, Movie nights, Tandem nights etc. We traveled to Madrid in January which was my main objective and we also raise €720 for the Oncology Patient Comfort Fund UHG. I found that this year we had much more Spanish speaking people coming to events than in the previous year which reflects well on the society.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The table quiz we held in February. Many people are affected by cancer in college and even in the society, so it meant a lot to us to raise this money for them. Some are even going on to do the women's mini marathon in June. With all the help we received in town from local businesses and all the work put in by various members of the committee, it was the only way we could have raised €720. We rely all came together as a team to make this work, I think it was our greatest success.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our society was too big. We had over 16+ people at the start on the committee which i feel came from having too few on it last year. This made it hard to get people to help as they kind of kept their heads down. I found it was always the same five or so people actually helping with events. The only exception was the table quiz. Maybe next year a smaller committee would help.

Spanish Society Outgoing Committee

- Name:** Catherine Walsh **Position:** Vice Treasurer
- Name:** Niamh Feeney **Position:** Social Media Officer
- Name:** Alan McLoughlin **Position:** Equipment Manager
- Name:** David McHale **Position:** Auditor
- Name:** Helena Curbelo Mannion **Position:** Vice-Auditor
- Name:** John Armstrong **Position:** OCM
- Name:** Emma Gunning **Position:** Events Manager
- Name:** Colm Gill **Position:** Treasurer
- Name:** Brian O'Sullivan **Position:** First Year Rep
- Name:** Samantha Rogers **Position:** OCM
- Name:** Leanne Morley **Position:** Vice Safety Officer
- Name:** Sean O'Mahony **Position:** OCM
- Name:** Conor Tivnan **Position:** Vice Events Manager
- Name:** Saoirse Mannion **Position:** PRO
- Name:** Ciara Moloney **Position:** Safety Officer
- Name:** Shauna Cave **Position:** Secretary

Spanish Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,725.22	Bank charge	€32.22
Fundraising	€710.00	Dinner/Food	€583.39

Refund of Expenses	€0.00	Equipment misc	€53.15
Socs box Till	€2,025.00	Fundraising / Charity	€710.00
USC Grant	€500.00	Society accomm	€1,197.00
		Society transport	€1,260.00
		Socs Box Till Refund	€450
		Socs day expenses	€27.05
		Expenditure Total	€4,312.82
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
Total	€4,960.22	Closing Bank Balance	€647.40
		Total	€4,960.22

Alive Certificate Recipients

Emma Gunning	70 hrs	Events Manager
Catherine Walsh	110 hrs	Vice Treasurer
Caolan McManus	40 hrs	Volunteer
Brian O'Sullivan	0 hrs	First Year Rep
Helena Curbelo Mannion	100 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Niamh Feeney	120 hrs	Social Media Officer
Colm Gill	60 hrs	Treasurer

Alan McLoughlin	60 hrs	Equipment Manager
Pankaj Saini	10 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 570 Participants: 9		

Other Information

We held 23 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 809 members.

Speech and Language

The Speech and Language Therapy Society aimed to bring together all members of the NUIG community with an interest in Speech and Language Therapy. It was a forum to engage with Speech and Language Therapy students across 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th year. The society also welcomed members not studying Speech and Language Therapy who may be interested in finding out more about what it is we are studying. Overall, the year has been successful in terms of events run, friends made and making people aware of our society. Everyone has worked well together and it has been an enjoyable experience for all involved both on the committee and beyond!



Speech and Language Events list (10 Individual Events)

Oscar Night: Entertainment »
Lecture Room 3, Aras Moyola »
18th September 2018

Oscar Night to show off 4th year
video podcasts

Committee Meeting: Committee
Meeting » aras mayola » 16th
October 2018

DLD Awareness Day: Educational
» Aras Moyola » 19th October 2018

This is a day where we raise awareness of Developmental Language Disorder within the discipline of SLT

Meet and Greet: Gatherings » College Bar (SULT) » 24th October 2018

This is a meet up in college for all years, especially the first years, to get together and connect with people in different year groups.

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Moyola » 30th January 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Moyola » 05th February 2019

Bake sale for Irish Pilgrimage Trust: Charity » Aras Moyola Foyer » 21st February 2019

This event, in conjunction with OT soc, is to raise funds for the Irish Pilgrimage Trust. All money raised from this event goes towards paying for the flights and accommodation for persons with a disability on their trip to Lourdes.

Grad Night 2019: Guest Speakers » Áras Moyola Lecture Theatre » 11th March 2019

This is our annual Grad Night in which past graduates of SLT in NUIG come back and share their experiences of life after graduation in relation to jobs etc. After each speaker, we open up the floor to the students who can ask the speakers any questions they might have. Refreshments will be provided on the night.

Autism Awareness Day: Educational » Aras Moyola » 02nd April 2019

This will be a day where we talk to the students in the discipline and raise awareness of autism to help with autism awareness day.

AGM: Gatherings » Aras Moyola » 03rd April 2019

This is our AGM for 2018/19. Pizza for all members will be provided.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(9/9) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The Speech and Language Therapy Society aims to bring together all members of the NUIG community with an interest in Speech and Language Therapy. It is a forum to engage with Speech and Language Therapy students across 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th year. The society also welcomes members not studying Speech and Language Therapy who may be interested in finding out more about what it is we are studying.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year we really want to make the society a welcoming place for all. We would like to invite others to share ideas and thoughts about Speech and Language Therapy. It is important to provide a forum for the Speech and Language Therapists of the future to engage with each other as it is likely we will all meet again as professionals.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We as a society achieved all we set out to do. Our aim was to bring together all four years of SLT and create a sense of community and through our different events I feel we achieved this.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, through our different events, we achieved everything we set out. Our meet and greets were great at the start of the year to help set ourselves up for the year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our annual grad night was the greatest success. There was a great turnout and the stories told by the graduates were very interesting and informative, especially for the fourth years who will be entering the workforce soon.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Trying to find times where all the years were around to have events was a challenge due to the different timetables and different years being out on placement.

Speech and Language Outgoing Committee

Name: Sarah Dunphy **Position:** Auditor
Name: Kate Griffin **Position:** Fourth year representative
Name: Saoirse Lally **Position:** Secretary

Speech and Language Incoming Committee

Name: Eadaoin Dolan **Position:** PRO
Name: Kate Faherty **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Ailbhe Randle **Position:** Vice Secretary
Name: Kathryn McKnight **Position:** Vice PRO

Name: Cairenn Keegan **Position:** Third Year Rep
Name: Treasa Ni Mhiochain **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Treasa Ni Mhiochain **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Lisa O'Neill **Position:** Vice Treasurer
Name: Eileen Vaughan **Position:** 3rd Year Rep
Name: Cairenn Keegan **Position:** 4th year Rep

Name: Rebecca Breslin **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Holly Martin **Position:** PRO
Name: Danni Hayes **Position:** Secretary
Name: Aisling Burke **Position:** Vice PRO
Name: Micaela Forde **Position:** Vice-Secretary

Speech and Language Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€490.11	Bank charge	€23.40
		Dinner/Food	€294.27
		Gifts	€19.96
		Reception	€29.26
		Speaker travel	€25
		Expenditure Total	€391.89
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€98.22
Total	€490.11	Total	€490.11

Alive Certificate Recipients

Saoirse Lally	200 hrs	Secretary
Kate Faherty	190 hrs	Volunteer
Sarah Dunphy	200 hrs	Auditor
Kathryn McKnight	60 hrs	Vice PRO

Eadaoin Dolan	100 hrs	PRO
Treasa Ni Mhiochain	120 hrs	Treasurer
Total Hours 870 Participants: 6		

Other Information

We held 7 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 264 members.

St. Vincent de Paul

We believe our society this year was well organised and successful. We achieved many of the goals we Set out to achieve such as raising money for other charities, helping others through homework club and also interacting with one another and working as a team. We also aimed to promote SVP across campus and we believed we achieved this as many new members joined throughout the year. Overall we all felt a sense of achievement and satisfaction from being part of this committee and doing good for others.



Our Annual SVP table quiz :)

St. Vincent de Paul Events list (24 Individual Events)

First meeting: Social » AM108 » 19th September 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 26th September 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 03rd October 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 10th October 2018
Pub Quiz: Charity » College Bar (SULT) » 16th October 2018

Pub quiz to raise funds for the Saint Vincent de Paul charity

Meeting: Social » AM108 » 17th October 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 24th October 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 31st October 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 07th November 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 14th November 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 21st November 2018
Meeting: Social » AM108 » 28th November 2018
Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 06th February 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 13th February 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Jailbreak bake sale: Charity » CONCOURSE » 19th February 2019

Bake sale to support Victory Ike's Jailbreak campaign, raising funds for Saint Vincent De Paul and Amnesty International

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 20th February 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 27th February 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 06th March 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Semester 2 Social Event: Social » Galway, Domnick Street, Taylors » 12th March 2019

Join us for a get together in Taylor's Pub, For a bit of craic and to find out what the society committee roles are and who is interested in getting involved on the committee for next year. What out for our AGM coming up. All our members and volunteers welcome.

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 13th March 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 20th March 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

AGM: Committee Meeting » Arts Millenium Building » 26th March 2019

The AGM to elect the new committee for next year. All welcome to run for positions. Pizza and chat after the meeting

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 27th March 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Weekly Meeting: Social » AM 109 » 03rd April 2019

Weekly meeting to socialise, discuss future plans and organise events

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	9 society committee members with questions answered	9 Total society committee members	(9/9) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The society hopes to promote social justice on campus through fundraising and raising awareness.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

promote SVP on campus and amongst the student population in general
fundraise in aid of SVP and other charities
social nights to promote interaction between committee members
volunteer on and off campus, homework club for example

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I believe we have done so, providing workshops about social justice and equality throughout the year, as well as offering volunteer opportunities to members

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes we achieved most of our goals, making new friends within the society, running the homework club with Scoil Chroi Iosa in Newcastle Road, had successful fundraiser events throughout the year and helped others to do their work such as organising Victory Ike's bake sale for the Jailbreak competition.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The pub quiz was our biggest success, raising €450 for the local SVP office in Galway

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Maintaining numbers at meetings throughout the year proved hard, as assignments and work increases in the later weeks of each semester.

St. Vincent de Paul Outgoing Committee

Name: Shane Molamphy **Position:** Auditor
Name: Kelsey Ahern **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Cian Mullen **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Ruairi McLoughlin **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Jason Reynolds **Position:** Trip Organizer
Name: Molly Denihan **Position:** Secretary
Name: Laura Walsh **Position:** Events Planner/ Room booker
Name: Lisa O'Neill **Position:** OCM
Name: Blathnaid Ni Oistin **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

St. Vincent de Paul Incoming Committee

Name: Emma Richardson **Position:** Auditor
Name: Jason Reynolds **Position:** Secretary
Name: David Flynn **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Laura Buggy **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Emma Flanagan **Position:** OCM
Name: Cliona England **Position:** OCM

St. Vincent de Paul Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€527.33	Bank charge	€31.05
USC Grant	€400.00	Dinner/Food	€517.92
		Fundraising / Charity	€49.08
		Materials	€25.31
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€150
		Prizes	€11.41
		Expenditure Total	€784.77
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0

		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€142.56
Total	€927.33	Total	€927.33

Alive Certificate Recipients

Lisa O'Neill	60 hrs	OCM
Michael Doolan	6 hrs	Volunteer
Kelsey Ahern	113 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Karen Hamilton	30 hrs	Volunteer
Carleen Flynn	6 hrs	Volunteer
Shane Molamphy	60 hrs	Auditor
Ruairi McLoughlin	60 hrs	Treasurer
Molly Denihan	0 hrs	Secretary
Total Hours 335 Participants: 8		

Other Information

We held 21 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 774 members.

Strength Soc

Strength Soc is about promoting mental health through exercise. It's open to anyone who is interested in exercise or personal development. Our events include workshops on training and nutrition, guest speaker events and social meetups.



StrengthSoc Logo

Strength Soc Events list (11 Individual Events)

StrengthSoc EGM + Q&A with Matty Costello: Guest Speakers » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th September 2018
Free Strength Training Workshop: Workshops » Galway, Ballybane Industrial Estate, Galway Strength & Performance » 17th October 2018

StrengthSoc NUIG will be holding a free strength training workshop for its members in Galway Strength & Performance on Wednesday the 17th of October @ 7pm Galway Strength & Performance on Google Maps <https://www.google.com/maps/place/Galway+Strength+and+Performance/@53.2938043,-9.0161574,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x485b914c8e6e875f:0x9497e38ae0ab6772!8m2!3d53.2938011!4d-9.0139687>

Becca Gillen: Strength in Balance. How to live a healthy and balanced lifestyle: Seminar » AC201, Arts Concourse » 24th October 2018

Online fitness/ nutrition coach Becca Gillen will be giving a talk on how to live a healthy and balanced lifestyle. The talk will cover a number of topics including nutrition, how to exercise based on your goals, how to maintain your social life while exercising regularly and how social media can mislead people.

StrengthSoc Workshop: Health & Lifestyle » IT202 » 12th November 2018

Physio and Strength & Conditioning Coach Kevin D'Arcy will be talking about topics such as correct form and mobility weight lifting, how to prevent injuries, and fixing muscle imbalances and bad posture

Barry O'Sullivan: Health & Lifestyle » AC204, The Concourse » 21st November 2018

Barry O'Sullivan, Personal Trainer and Online Coach, will be giving a talk on how to live a healthy and balanced lifestyle. This will include advice on training in the gym, nutrition, and how to maintain a social life while chasing your fitness goals.

StrengthSoc Meetup: Health & Lifestyle » Aras na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 2 » 31st January 2019

Strengthsoc meetup for members to meet each other, talk about training and enjoy some free pizza

Strength Training Workshop: Sport » Galway, Ballybane Industrial Estate, Galway Strength and Performance » 07th February 2019

Free strength training workshop on the basic powerlifting and strongman movements.

Circuit Training with CheerSoc: Health & Lifestyle » The Stage » 13th February 2019

Cheersoc and Strength Soc collab event, come along to the Stage on Wednesday for some high intensity circuit training. The Stage is in Aras na Mac Leinn, 3rd door down the corridor to the right of the Bailey Allen.

Powerlifting Seminar: Sport » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th March 2019

Free powerlifting seminar by Matty Costello and Ayshea Ullah, head coaches of Galway Powerlifting.

Strength Training Workshop: Sport » Galway, Ballybane Industrial Estate, Galway Strength and Performance » 21st March 2019

Free strength training workshop on the basic powerlifting and strongman movements.

Strength Soc AGM to elect a committee for next year.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	5 Total society committee members	(5/5) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The aims of the Society shall be:

- To encourage a healthy lifestyle and a positive mindset
- To help students in their physical (losing weight, improving athletic performance, etc.) and mental development (building confidence, developing a healthy relationship with food, etc.)
- To allow students with similar interests meet each other
- To provide access to qualified professionals and resources which may help them achieve their goals.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

- To help people who are interested in going to the gym to meet like-minded people
- To educate people about training, nutrition and living a balanced lifestyle
- Increase society membership throughout the year
- Collaborate with other societies that promote mental and physical health

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We believe our society achieved all of the aims laid out in our mission statement but there is room for improvement and we hope to have a bigger attendance at events in the future.

We ran four guest speaker talks that spanned from nutrition/ weight loss to strength training and injury prevention which members said they found very beneficial. After events, people were often eager to speak to other society members that they had not met before.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved some of our aims, objectives and goals.

As mentioned above, we were successful in running educational events and help members to meet like-minded people.

We did not increase the Societies membership as much as we had hoped.

We ran a free circuit training class in collaboration with CheerSoc. We would be eager to run events with them again and hope to collaborate with more societies next year.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

We consider the amount of events we ran and how smoothly they went to be our biggest achievement. Our committee had no previous experience running workshops and guest speaker lectures prior to this year which lead to some uncertainty and stress when organising the events but we managed to get through the year without any major complications.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Raising awareness of the society and getting members actively involved with the society. The attendance was lower than expected at our initial events and this made it difficult to know what exactly our members hoped to get out of the society.

Strength Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Conall Daly **Position:** Auditor

Name: Conor Nolan **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Jade Healy **Position:** Secretary

Name: Kilian Bobinger **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Jonah Faulkner **Position:** OCM

Strength Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Conor Nolan **Position:** Auditor

Strength Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.33
USC Grant	€200.00	Dinner/Food	€108.70
		Prizes	€20.06
		Expenditure Total	€174.09
		Closing Bank Balance	€25.91
Total	€200	Total	€200

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 198 members.

Students for Sensible Drug Policy SSDP



Students for Sensible Drug Policy SSDP Events list (12 Individual Events)

SSDP AGM & Welcome Meeting: Gatherings » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 20th September 2018

Come along this Thursday, 20th September at 6PM to our first SSDP meeting of the academic year! We'll be reviewing committee positions and having a chat about the year ahead, and as always there'll be pizza ;)

EGM: Committee Meeting » Ac203 » 04th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 11th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 18th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 25th October 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 01st November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 08th November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 15th November 2018

Tara Deacy talk: Guest Speakers » SC004 CHARLES MC MUNN THEATRE » 15th November 2018

SSDP is hosting a talk with Tara Deacy, Prevention Officer at the Clondalkin Drug and Alcohol Task Force this coming Thursday at 6PM. Come along and join us for an interesting evening :)

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 22nd November 2018

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » TBC » 29th November 2018

SSDP National Meet up: Conference » Dublin, Dublin, UCD » 09th February 2019

Meet up for Irish SSDP chapters. Some of SSDP NUIG will be going up.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	2 society committee members with questions answered	3 Total society committee members	(3/3) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The mission statement of the society is, in broad terms, to campaign for sensible changes to Irish drug policy, and the educate and inform students and others about the reality of the consequences of current drug policy, how drug use affects the individual and how widespread drug use and the handling thereof can affect society.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to be able to hold a number of public meeting in which we can discuss the realities of the current social realities with respect to drug use and it's effects, encourage thought about what direction we should move in, and perhaps some action to try and change things in that direction. We hope to be able to achieve this through fundraising, regular meetings and perhaps collaboration with other SSDP chapters in other universities.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

We held a number of internal meetings related to the direction of the society and our actions, and held one major event with a guest speaker - pursuing our aim of informing students about current drug policy and the work being done.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We engaged with a number of students who were not originally members of the society though meetings, members of the public and political activists through a number of small events during the year. We did not achieve all that we set out to do however.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Getting back up and running in the 2018/19 academic year, and hosting a guest speaker from the Social Democrats (Tara Deacy) and the Clondalkin Drug and Alcohol Task Force.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Co-ordinating meetups and previous conflict from previous members of the society which added an unnecessary burden to society activities.

Students for Sensible Drug Policy SSDP Outgoing Committee

Name: Shane Hastings **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Damien Kirby **Position:** Auditor

Name: Michelle Mitchell **Position:** OCM

Students for Sensible Drug Policy SSDP Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€92.87	Bank charge	€54.70
USC Grant	€700.00	Dinner/Food	€162.97
		Society transport	€33
		Socs day expenses	€33
		Speaker travel	€50
		Expenditure Total	€333.67
		Closing Bank Balance	€459.2
Total	€792.87	Total	€792.87

Alive Certificate Recipients

Grainne Hamill	12 hrs	Volunteer
Shane Hastings	25 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Michelle Mitchell	0 hrs	OCM
Total Hours 37 Participants: 3		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 449 members.

Style Society

Style Society Events list (5 Individual Events)**Style Soc EGM:** Other » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 31st January 2019

Stylee Soc EGM to elect an entirely new committee.

Self Care Evening: Health & Lifestyle » The Stage, Aras na Mac Leinn » 13th February 2019

Making face masks as a self care evening for the day before Valentines!

Film Screening of Phantom Thread: Film » Darcy Thompson Theatre, Arts & Science Concourse » 25th February 2019

To mark this years Oscars Season we are screening the 2018 Oscar winner for Best Costume Award, Phantom Thread. This stars Daniel Day-Lewis as a 1950s dressmaker in London. We will also have popcorn!

Make-Up Demonstration: Health & Lifestyle » D'Arcy Thompson Theatre, Arts Concourse » 21st March 2019

AN EVENING OF MAKE UP WITH Aisling KDate: Thursday the 21st of March. Location: Time and Duration: 7-9pm During the workshop Aisling will do a full demo of Make Up from Skin Prep to Foundation, EYES, LIPS, CONTOUR HIGHLIGHT. Throughout each feature of the face she will demonstrate tips and tricks to achieve a flawless, lasting and easy to follow look. She will provide details of brushes how they work, tools and products. All of the attendees should bring a pen an paper and she will be able to answer any questions during and after the demo. There will be a raffle on the night to win a hamper of all the products used in the demonstration.

Upcycling Workshop: Workshops » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 27th March 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	7 society committee members with questions answered	7 Total society committee members	(6/7) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think we have tried to achieve our mission statement to re-establish the society, and organise events that cultivate people's personal style and individuality.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We achieved our aims of relighting the passion of the society, but I do not think we have reached the height of success yet.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our greatest success has been the revival of the society as a whole, the commencement of events again and then the creation of the social media and our events so far.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge has been to re-establish the society in the public conscience of the student body. The society is not very well known or if it is, people think it is still dormant, so attracting people to the events is our hardest challenge.

Style Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Gemma Patterson **Position:** Auditor

Name: Ciara Griffin **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Pratham Vardhan **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Anna Doyle **Position:** Secretary

Name: Maura Duffy **Position:** PRO

Name: Sarah Sukhni **Position:** Events Manager

Name: Conor McLaughlin Borlace **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Style Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€583.89	Apparel	€43.63
Members Contributions	€1.69	Bank charge	€30.05
		Dinner/Food	€34.75
		Materials	€10.14
		Reception	€250
		Teacher fees	€100

		Expenditure Total	€468.57
		Closing Bank Balance	€117.01
Total	€585.58	Total	€585.58

Alive Certificate Recipients

Anna Doyle	12 hrs	Secretary
Maura Duffy	15 hrs	PRO
Total Hours 27 Participants: 2		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 656 members.

Surgical Society

The highlights of the Surgical Society of NUIG for the year are: Surgical Specialties Night (SSN), RCSI Surgical Competition (RSC) and an AMSI Surgical Workshop.

The SSN was organised to give medical students of all backgrounds to experience a taster of what a career in surgery would be like. Multiple guest speakers, surgeons from UHG, elaborated on their specialties how they got to the position they are today. The evening was concluded with a social wine and cheese event where attendees can ask further questions.

Training for the RSC occurred throughout the year. Prospective NUIG competitors were first given an internal competition to shortlist the best few students that will represent NUIG in Dublin. On competition day, NUIG students competed in surgical events such as suturing and laparoscopy in Dublin.

Working closely with AMSI committee members, the Surgical Society gave a surgical workshop to 12 visiting Slovenian medical students. They were taught basic knot tying, suturing and laparoscopic techniques.

Overall, it was a productive year for the Surgical Society of NUIG.



Surgical Society Events list (11 Individual Events)

Surgical Society

EGM: Committee Meeting » Comerford Room 105 » 11th October 2018

OCM positions are available on the night for people new to the society and looking to get involved. Members are welcome to attend and vote. There will also be pizza. See you there!

Surgical

Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 12th February 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 19th February 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 26th February 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Specialities Night: Guest Speakers » Clinical Science Institute Large Lecture Theatre » 28th February 2019

Attendees will be able to gain insight into the field of surgery from talks delivered by various surgeons of differing fields that currently practise at the hospital. Attendees will be able to ask questions and are encouraged to engage with the guest speakers.

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 05th March 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 12th March 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 19th March 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 26th March 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop: Workshops » Clinical Science Institute Rm 2010 » 02nd April 2019

Attendees will be able to learn the following:- Basic Knot Tying- Basic/Advance suturing- Laparoscopy training

Surgical Workshop for Visiting Slovenian Medical Students: Educational » CSI 2010 » 06th April 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	5 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(7/8) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our mission is to introduce NUIG students(with an emphasis on medical), to the basic surgical skills. We also endeavour give aspiring surgeons inspiration regarding their future careers/specialities.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to run 15 surgical workshops this year, along with a competition at the end of each semester and a surgical specialities night. This will all be completed by the end of the academic year.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

The surgical society took many large steps towards the surgical education of undergraduate students in the school of medicine. The weekly surgical workshops were focused on laparoscopic simulation, simple suturing and hand hygiene. We were successful in completing our goal of a total of 15 surgical workshops and a surgical specialties night. Additionally, three of our surgical society members represented NUIG by competing in the National Surgical Skills Competition at the Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

The surgical society completed all of its goals and aspirations on creating a new awareness of surgical training and the prospective future of the profession. In creating a calm and relaxing environment during the workshops, it opened the door for new faces from not only the school of medicine but biomedical sciences and nursing.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The highlight event for the surgical society would be the surgical specialty's night in January. During the talk, 7 of the top surgeons in the University Hospital Galway shared their pathway to success, pitfalls of the profession, examination tips and recommendations for the future of surgery. This was a great way for students to learn more about their future, guiding potential career choices while creating a new network of relationships.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The biggest pitfall would be the lack of interest due to the limited nature of the society, which only attracts mainly medical students. Also, our access to supplies limited the nature and potential of the surgical workshops.

Surgical Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Carson McFeetors **Position:** Auditor
Name: Ros McAdden **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Keegan Chua Vi Long **Position:** Secretary
Name: Armon Nasehi **Position:** Media Officer
Name: Ryan Biehn **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Jia Min Cheryl Chun **Position:** Surgical Education Officer
Name: Timothy Young **Position:** OCM
Name: Juan Oostenbrink **Position:** Surgical Education Officer

Surgical Society Incoming Committee

Name: Samantha Lyons **Position:** OCM

Surgical Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€89.55	Bank charge	€30.30
USC Grant	€500.00	Dinner/Food	€275.68
		Expenditure Total	€305.98
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€283.57
Total	€589.55	Total	€589.55

Alive Certificate Recipients

Ryan Biehn	30 hrs	Volunteer
Total Hours 30 Participants: 1		

Other Information

We held 4 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 606 members.

Time Lord Society

Time Lord Soc has had a year successful year. We start off by fixing our finance and went on to better and better things. We have meetings every week to discuss the pressing issues and plan our screenings. We made a plan for each week linking the screenings as best we could to that week's theme. As well as screenings, we also had a weekly games night. These two events formed the back bone of our society. We received a wonderful compliment on Socs Day 2 from a student who described us as one of the most active societies they were a member of. We also strove to be a welcoming place for all students and regular event was key to this.

As well as our regular event we held various special events. In each semester we had a table quiz and a big event. In semester 1 we had a murder mystery, and in semester 2 we had lock in. Both events were

very successful. We planned each event for weeks, making sure we had supplies and resources ready for each event. The first meeting after the event we discussed the event in detail. We explored the ups and downs, what could be improved and what went well.

Overall, all the committee felt positive about the year. As committee, we bonded together and this helped create the welcoming environment for our members. We look forward to another successful year.



Main Event for Semester 2 poster Time Lord Society Events list (48 Individual Events)

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 11th September 2018

EGM & Games Night: Social » Art Room Aras an Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 18th September 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th September 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 25th September 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 01st October 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 02nd October 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 08th October 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 09th October 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th October 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 16th October 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 22nd October 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 23rd October 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 29th October 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 30th October 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 05th November 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 06th November 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 12th November 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 13th November 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 19th November 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 20th November 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 26th November 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 27th November 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Small Acoustic Room - Aras na Mac Leinn » 03rd December 2018

A weekly Games Night featuring games related to Doctor Who

Screening: Social » Anderson Lecture Theatre » 04th December 2018

Weekly screenings of Doctor Who and related content

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 21st January 2019

EGM and Games Night: Gatherings » Large Acoustic Room » 28th January 2019

Join our committee! We are having an EGM where we are voting for committee roles! If you'd like to join, come on down. After the EGM, we'll be having our games night filled with pizza and Time Lord shenanigans

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 28th January 2019

Lock In: Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 31st January 2019

Join as we have a lock-in in the Hub. We'll be screening the latest Season of Doctor Who!

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 04th February 2019

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 11th February 2019

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 18th February 2019

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 25th February 2019

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 04th March 2019

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 11th March 2019

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 18th March 2019

AGM and Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 25th March 2019

Join as we have our AGM to decide next year's committee. Open to all members of the society. Our usual games and pizza will follow.

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 19th June 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 26th June 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 03rd July 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 10th July 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 17th July 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 24th July 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 31st July 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 07th August 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 14th August 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 21st August 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Games Night: Social » Aras Na Mac Leinn large acoustic room » 28th August 2019

Enjoy a Doctor Who themed games night! Enjoy an evening of fun and games regardless of your level of interest in Doctor Who

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(8/8) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Although a comparatively small society, we exist to help bring like-minded people together through a shared love of Doctor Who, where we screen episodes on a weekly basis and play games with a Doctor Who theme. But having a deep knowledge about this show is not required. There's no entry level of nerd that you need to accomplish before joining us. This is simply a society that welcomes, listens, and enjoys the company of its members no matter their background or prior knowledge of the show.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to think of new activities, games and events, ideas that our society has either never done or should do more often, all of which are achievable and all of which we plan to do in the second semester such as;

- Purchasing and inventing new board games for our Games Nights
- Organising a trip to an escape room
- Placing a poll on our social media to see what our members would like to watch

These ideas, once completed, are achievements we can be proud of on their own, but the true achievement would be in the happiness of our members with our new approach.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think we succeeded in our mission statement. We've had a theme each week for the screenings and had games night every week. We've welcomed all new comers with open arms, and gladly introduced people who have no idea about Doctor Who into our fandom.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We've not completed all our goals, but this will strengthen us for next year. What we have achieved is listening to our members and creating new a different games.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Our major event for each semester, the Murder Mystery and the Lock In. Both events were well attended and well organised. As a small society, I feel proud seeing us pull together and help organised large events.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Being as niche a society as we are. We will not reach the heights of other larger societies but our members are just as passionate.

Time Lord Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Caroline Dix **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Grainne Sheehan **Position:** OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)

Name: Mark Laherty **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Megan McLoughlin **Position:** Auditor

Name: John Delany **Position:** Secretary

Name: Kevin Mc Loughlin **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Name: Caolan McManus **Position:** OCM

Name: Elisa Marzocchi **Position:** OCM

Time Lord Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€54.08	Bank charge	€23.40
Socs box Till	€30.00	Costumes	€40.00
USC Grant	€1,760.00	Dinner/Food	€1,377.80
		Entry fees	€60
		Materials	€50.64
		Non Alcoholic Refresh	€2.75
		Printing	€11.09
		Prizes	€158.95

		Expenditure Total	€1724.63
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€0
		Cash In Hand	€0
		Closing Bank Balance	€119.45
Total	€1844.08	Total	€1844.08

Alive Certificate Recipients

Kevin McLoughlin	21 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Caolan McManus	30 hrs	OCM
John Delany	48 hrs	Secretary
Grainne Sheehan	26 hrs	OCM (Ordinary Committee Member)
Caroline Dix	193 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Megan McLoughlin	200 hrs	Auditor
Elisa Marzocchi	30 hrs	OCM
Total Hours 548 Participants: 7		

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 339 members.

Trad Soc

We believe we promoted and continued the ethos of the Society and NUIG as a whole through the following events:

- Participation in the Inter-Societal "Music Quiz" - 5th September 2018
- Orientation Céilí in Áras na Mac Léinn - 6th September 2018
- Concert for International Students in the Cairnes Building - 7th September 2018
- Holding our weekly sessions every Tuesday in the Crane from 11th September 2018 until 2nd April 2019
- Promotion of Trad Soc at both Soc's Days - 12th September 2018 and 22nd January 2019
- Holding our EGM - 18th September 2018
- Holding our bi-weekly Teach a Tune Session from 10th October 2018 until 13th March 2019
- Participation in the "Global Fair" - 24th October 2018.
- Annual Trad Soc Christmas Party - 16th January 2019
- Annual Trad Soc Trip Abroad - Celtic Connections Festival, Glasgow - 1st-3rd February 2019
- Performance at Bál na Gaeilge - 6th March 2019
- Hosting of Masterclass with Liam O'Brien - 20th March 2019
- Holding our AGM - 26th March 2019
- Acquisition of new O'Neills Trad Soc jumpers - 3rd April 2019
- Annual Trad Soc Ceoil Faoi Cheilt Mystery Trip - Wesport - 13th-14th May 2019

Trad Soc Members at Cairnes Building Céilí



Trad Soc Events list (44 Individual Events)

Trad Soc EGM: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 18th September 2018

Trad Soc EGM to vote in new members of the Committee for the 2018/2019 academic year.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 09th October 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 10th October 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Léinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 16th October 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th October 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Léinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

General Information Meeting for Any Members of the Trad Soc Interested in Going on the Annual Trip Abroad: Other » Rehearsal Room One, Block R, Áras na Mac Léinn » 23rd October 2018

Those that attend will be given general information about the Trad Soc Annual Trip Abroad to the Celtic Connections Festival in Glasgow such as ticket prices, accommodation, what to expect, etc.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 23rd October 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 24th October 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Léinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 30th October 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Áras na Mac Leinn » 31st October 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Leinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 06th November 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Áras na Mac Leinn » 07th November 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Leinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 13th November 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Áras na Mac Leinn » 14th November 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Leinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 20th November 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Áras na Mac Leinn » 21st November 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Leinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Session: Entertainment » Galway, Galway, The Crane Bar, 2 Sea Road » 27th November 2018

Weekly Trad Soc session upstairs in the Crane Bar every Tuesday from 21:00 to 00:00.

Teach a Tune: Classes » Band Rehearsal Room Áras na Mac Leinn » 28th November 2018

Committee members come in every Wednesday at 19:00 in the Band Rehearsal Room of Áras na Mac Leinn and teach those in attendance a new tune.

Trad Soc Christmas Party: Social » Galway, Galway, Busker Browne's » 16th January 2019

Annual Trad Soc Christmas Party for Society members - all that attended went for a night out to Busker Browne's.

Meeting for Students Attending the Trad Soc Trip Abroad to Glasgow: Conference » Téatar Chearbhalláin, Áras na Gaeilge » 29th January 2019

Meeting for all students attending the Annual Trad Soc Trip Abroad to Glasgow for the Celtic Connections Festival in Glasgow to go through the itinerary.

Trad Soc Trip Abroad - Glasgow, Celtic Connections Festival: Trips » United Kingdom, Glasgow, Festival Club, The Art School » 01st February 2019

Annual Trad Soc Trip Abroad to Glasgow for the Celtic Connections Festival, namely the Festival Club on Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd February.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 05th February 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 06th February 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 12th February 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 13th February 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 19th February 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 20th February 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 26th February 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 27th February 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 05th March 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 06th March 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 12th March 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 13th March 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Bál na Gaeilge: Music Event » Galway, Galway, Galway Bay Hotel » 13th March 2019

Performance for those attendance of Cumann Gaelach's Bál na Gaeilge in the Galway Bay Hotel.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 19th March 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 20th March 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Trad Soc Masterclass with Liam O'Brien: Workshops » Ac203 » 20th March 2019

A Trad Soc Masterclass will be taught by Liam O'Brien in AC203 from 19:00-20:30 on 20th March 2019. The event is open to all NUIG students and is free of charge for all attending students/NUIG staff/personnel.

Trad Soc AGM: Committee Meeting » Meeting Room One, Áras na Mac Léinn » 26th March 2019

AGM for the election of a new committee for the 2019/2020 academic year and revision of the Trad Soc Constitution from 20:00-21:00 in Meeting Room One in Áras na Mac Léinn on 26th March

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 26th March 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 27th March 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

ALIVE Ceremony: Music Event » Bailey Allen Hall » 02nd April 2019

Performed for the recipients of the ALIVE Award during the Ceremony.

Trad Soc Session: Gatherings » Galway, Sea Road, Galway, Crane Bar » 02nd April 2019

Weekly sessions held in the Crane Bar by Trad Soc between 21:30 and 24:00 every Tuesday

Teach a Tune: Classes » Áras na Gaeilge » 03rd April 2019

Teach a Tune Programme whereby Trad Soc Committee members teach a tune to an attending class.

Ceoil Faoi Cheilt Mystery Trip to Westport: Trips » Mayo, Westport, An File » 13th May 2019

Annual Ceoil Faoi Cheilt Mystery Trip to Westport this year. Played a session in An File and visited several attractions such as Westport House.

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	16 society committee members with questions answered	16 Total society committee members	(16/16) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To promote the appreciation of Irish traditional music and its value within Irish traditional culture and heritage.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to: bring in more members to our society who wish to play, sing, dance, recite and simply show a keen interest in learning more about Irish traditional music; ensure that the weekly sessions in the Crane Bar maintain excellent attendance as was the case last year and in previous years; work closely with other Societies to promote Trad Soc and to possibly bring about stylistic fusion between the various musical societies where we'll learn to appreciate each other's respective genres; guarantee that all members and non-members in attendance of various Trad Soc related events enjoy themselves thoroughly at every event we're involved in.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Personally, I feel we accomplished the vast majority of our aims outlined in our mission statement. We've had consistently brilliant attendance at the Crane Bar session every week, we've collaborated with several societies and schools such as the J.E. Cairnes School of Business and Cumann Gaelach for the International Students Céilí and Bál na Gaeilge respectively, we had the largest group of interested members go on the Trad Soc Trip Abroad to Glasgow for the Celtic Connections Festival and anyone who has attended/ participated in our events seems to have enjoyed them thoroughly.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes, we've more members in the Society than we did last year, our sessions and events are attended and received well and we've had regular interactions and collaborations with other societies/groups for various events which have promoted Irish traditional music and culture, Trad Soc and NUIG.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I would say that the Annual Trad Soc Trip Abroad to Glasgow for the Celtic Connections Festival was the Society's greatest success this year in that we had the largest group of people in the Society's history go on the trip. Everyone seemed to have a brilliant time at it thanks to the hard work the Committee put in to organising it and making sure that everyone travelled over and back safely.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

I would say that the Annual Trip Abroad was also the Society's greatest challenge in terms of the amount of organisation required and the various amendments and problem-solving that accompanied it prior to the actual trip.

Trad Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Colm Kirke **Position:** Auditor
Name: John Devaney **Position:** Vice-Auditor/Treasurer
Name: Ciarde Sheerin **Position:** Secretary
Name: Donal O'Dalaigh **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Laoise Breathnach **Position:** Musical Director
Name: Maela Ni Choistealbha **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Niamh Fitzgerald **Position:** OCM
Name: Colin Roche **Position:** OCM
Name: Anna Smyth **Position:** First Year Rep
Name: Isaac Scanlan **Position:** OCM
Name: Killian Foxe **Position:** OCM
Name: Sarah Smyth **Position:** OCM
Name: Ruth Flynn **Position:** OCM
Name: Caoimhe Fanthorpe **Position:** Refreshments Coordinator
Name: Tama de Burca **Position:** OCM

Trad Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Leeanne Black **Position:** OCM
Name: Liam Orr **Position:** Auditor
Name: Isaac Scanlan **Position:** Secretary
Name: Chloe Dalton **Position:** OCM
Name: Ciaran McDermott **Position:** Musical Director
Name: Ciarde Sheerin **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Grace Dalton **Position:** OCM
Name: Eoghan O'Leary Fitzpatrick **Position:** PRO
Name: Colin Roche **Position:** OCM
Name: Niamh Grogan **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Caoimhe Cullen **Position:** Refreshments Coordinator
Name: Eoin Quirke **Position:** Singing Coordinator
Name: Anna Smyth **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Tama de Burca **Position:** Technical Director
Name: Sheila Casey **Position:** OCM

Trad Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€1,153.06	Bank charge	€74.13
Equipment Rental	€20.00	Dinner/Food	€120.50
Hoodies	€45.00	Entry fees	€809.37
Socs box Till	€3,010.00	Hoodies	€687.88
Sponsorship	€320.00	Performing rights	€100.00
USC Grant	€1,860.00	Society accomm	€1763.37
		Society transport	€2429.24
		Socs Box Till Refund	€10
		Socs day expenses	€10.74
		Teacher fees	€120

		Expenditure Total	€6202.23
		Unreconciled Cheque Total	€11.98
		Closing Bank Balance	€282.83
Total	€6408.06	Total	€6408.06

Alive Certificate Recipients

John Devaney	220 hrs	Vice-Auditor/Treasurer
Colm Kirke	270 hrs	Auditor
Maela Ni Choistealbha	250 hrs	Safety Officer
Leeanne Black	120 hrs	Volunteer
Dnal Dlaigh	164 hrs	Events Manager
Anna Smyth	130 hrs	First Year Rep
Laoise Breathnach	130 hrs	Musical Director
Sarah Smyth	72 hrs	OCM
Ciarde Sheerin	220 hrs	Secretary
Isaac Scanlan	0 hrs	OCM

Total Hours 1576 Participants: 10

Other Information

We held 13 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 825 members.

VegSoc

VegSoc organised events to introduce all to veganism. VegSoc, in its first year 2018/2019 proved to be popular among students and the public especially pertaining to topics such as ethics, diet and environmentalism.

VegSoc Social

VegSoc Events list (28 Individual Events)



EGM & Social: Committee Meeting » Charles McMunn Theatre » 25th September 2018

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 28th September 2018

Cooking demo! : Workshops » Kitchen » 01st October 2018

Potluck for Mental Health week! : Social » The Kitchen » 08th October 2018

We are holding a vegan potluck for mental health week. If you don't know what a potluck is, it's when people cook some food to share between a group. It is a lovely opportunity for people to get to know each other over a meal

and share recipes! Potlucks create a wonderful sense of community which is so important for maintaining good mental health!

Swim-rise: Mental Health Week 2018: Health & Lifestyle » Galway, Salthill, Blackrock » 10th October 2018

Hey people, we are collaborating with Lotus soc and Slainte soc for this morning swim for mental health week! So the plan is to take a dip in the sea first thing on Wednesday morning to wipe away those midweek cobwebs and emerge as new and better versions of ourselves wahoooo!!! We shall be meeting at the Quad at 8 in the am and strutting down to Salthill as an almighty crew; rain, wind or shine (so bring those dressing gowns, brollies, hats etc). ALTERNATIVELY you can meet us at the platform with orange railing, opposite coco cafe, at 8.30am. Following a swim (for those braver souls) or whopper dip, or dopper whip we shall be provided with free or subsidized coffee by the Barista Bus! yeOow. All you need is you, yourself and a towel! A smile would be a bonus but not essential as the sea will provide that to you!!

The NUIG Great Vegan Bake Off! : Health & Lifestyle » Smokies Table B » 15th October 2018

'Compete in the VegSoc Vegan Bake-Off Tuesday 9th October for a chance to win a range of prizes! Take home vouchers from TGO and bragging rights for days. To participate simply bring your best vegan cakes/baked goods to be taste tested by three celebrity judges. Winners will be announced on the day and will surely be fast-tracked to vegan baking fame and fortune. Exact details on how to submit your baked goods to be announced.

Dr Maureen O'Sullivan Talk: The history and development of veganism: Guest Speakers » Venue: TBC » 16th October 2018

Dr Maureen O'Sullivan, chairperson of the Irish vegetarian society and a lecturer of law at NUIG will be discussing the history and development of veganism and vegetarianism in Ireland. Between her own experience of being vegan for over 30 years and her knowledge obtained from her successful career, Dr Maureen O'Sullivan has invaluable insight into this area. We look forward to seeing you all there!

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Group Study Room 1 » 22nd October 2018

Dominion Film Screening: Film » Darcy Thompson » 30th October 2018

We will be screening the insightful film, Dominion: "Exposing the dark underbelly of modern animal agriculture through drones, hidden & handheld cameras, the feature-length film explores the morality and validity of our dominion over the animal kingdom."

Cooking demo: Vegan Thai-green curry: Workshops » The Kitchen » 07th November 2018

The wonderful Claire will be returning to host another cooking demo and this time she will be showing us how to make a vegan Thai-green curry! Like last time, there are limited places so please email us or contact us on facebook if you are interested (you get a delicious free dinner out of it!)

Potluck in collaboration with CCAFS and Organic Gardening Soc: Gatherings » Galway, Claddagh, Check facebook » 08th November 2018

Our second potluck will be held in our lovely auditor, John's house on Thursday! Check our facebook page for the address. This is our first big collaboration and we hope to see lots of you there for some lovely food and a chat! Vegan and/or veggie cooking is new to some of the members of CCAFS and Organic Gardening so for this potluck, we are compromising with allowing vegetarian food but as always, try for the vegan food if you can! If you or your guests are not vegan but would like to attend, please do - as long as what you bring is at least veggie. If you're not too confident with cooking or baking, some products you could bring include fresh fruit, Oreos (yeah, they're vegan!), some Pringles (it states on the back of the pack which are vegan) or chilli heatwave Doritos. Tesco has a huge range of vegan products in their "free from" section, and the list goes on! Check out the handbook below for lots of easy recipes and resources!

Vegan Makeup Master-class with Kake Me Up: Arts & Culture » Darcy Thompson Theatre, Arts & Science Concourse » 20th November 2018

Come and join Vegsoc for a 'Makeup Master-class with Instagram sensation Kake Me Up. All products used will be vegan. Come along & you could win a goodie bag filled with vegan-friendly makeup!

Committee meeting: Committee Meeting » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 14th January 2019
Socs Day 2: Other » Bailey Allen Hall » 22nd January 2019

Veg Soc at Socs Day 2

Social in the Secret Garden: Social » Galway, Dominick Street, Secret Garden café » 23rd January 2019

Animal Agriculture Virtual Reality Exhibition: Educational » Smokey's Cafe » 30th January 2019

We politely invite everyone to try on VR headsets which will allow one to witness the truth of animal agriculture through an immersive perspective. WARNING: Will, at time, include distressing images of animals being killed.

Film Screening: Okja: Film » Charles McMunn Theatre » 30th January 2019

Come join VegSoc for the Netflix sensation Okja! A film that is a entertaining and heartfelt metaphor on factory farming of animals. This movie is full of drama, comedy and thrills. It's a must-see, whether you're a vegan or not. All are welcome!

Swim-rise: Health & Lifestyle » Galway, Salthill, Galway, Blackrock » 06th February 2019

Swim-rise in collaboration with Lotus Society for mental health week.

VegSoc Social!: Social » Galway, Galway City, tba » 06th February 2019

Join VegSoc for a chilled time of fun. Everyone is welcome (vegan, vegetarians and meat eaters). Get to know each other while having fun and chatting about veganism. Precise location to be announced.

Talk with a plant based doctor and a plant based nutritionist: Guest Speakers » IT 125G » 18th February 2019

Social at the Secret Garden! : Social » Galway, 4 William St West, Galway, The Secret Garden » 27th February 2019

Join us for our social in the fun atmosphere of The Secret Garden cafe.

Veganism: History, Evolution & Advocacy: Seminar » IT125G » 06th March 2019

VEGAN PIONEERS ROCK! : Founding of a Revolutionary Social Movement- The pioneers of the vegan movement had a radical vision of a vegan world in which both other animals and humans would be liberated. They saw veganism as part of the peace movement, and integral to the moral evolution of humanity.

VegSoc Bake Sale: Other » Smokey's on the Concourse » 19th March 2019

Come join VegSoc for some tasty treats at the table near Smokey's Cafe from 11:00 until 15:00. Any help in providing vegan baked goods or custom would be greatly appreciated!

The Last Pig screening: Film » IT125 » 20th March 2019

THE LAST PIG is a lyrical meditation on what it means to be a sentient creature with the power to kill. Deeply immersive, the film follows a pig farmer through his final year of slaughtering pigs. Through

sparse, intimate musings, the farmer reveals the growing conflict of a life spent “peddling in death.”Through this personal journey, THE LAST PIG raises crucial questions about equality, the value of compassion and the sanctity of life. Comis’ soul-bearing narrative carries us through his final year of farming pigs, the struggle to reinvent his life, and the ghosts that will haunt him forever. The last pig has not previously been screened in Galway.

Loughrea Eco centre trip: Trips » Galway, Loughrea, Slievenaught » 23rd March 2019

In collaboration with Organic Gardening society we will visit Sleivenaught eco center for a tour of their organic garden, a meal made from their produce and a walk on the surrounding trails

The benefits of Organic Produce: Guest Speakers » AC202, The Concourse » 25th March 2019

Talk by Klaus Laitenberger, former head gardener at the Organic Centre Rossinver, he now lectures in UCC on organic hulticulture, food production and more. Tickets are €3 for the event.

VegSoc AGM: Committee Meeting » The Cube, Aras na Mac Leinn » 03rd April 2019

Join us for our AGM to elect a new committee and pass the torch into the next year. All positions will be up for election

VegSoc Potluck! :): Social » The Hub - Aras na Mac Leinn » 15th June 2019

Come join us for some vegan treats :) Come bring your best vegan food. We will have some light refreshments available.

Leadership

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4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	10 Total society committee members	(10/10) society committee questions answered

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Our mission is to create a vegan campus. This means a university free from animal testing and animal products. We strive to do this to encourage the development of compassion and connection and for the health of our students and for our planet.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to foster and support a vegan and plant-based community within NUIG.

We strive to provide weekly events to introduce people to a plant-based diet and share further resources for further learning to those who are already vegan.

We aim to lobby the Students Union to join national campaigns that support the vegan movement such as banning fur farming.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

NUIG VegSoc is a society that fulfilled their mission’s statement. The society fostered and supported a vegan and plant-based community at NUIG by introducing people to a plant-based diet and sharing resources.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Yes! We fulfilled all of our aims, objectives, and goals. We were able to provide frequent events, which were well attended and received positive feedback. As a new society, we gathered more than 400 members, and we have had guest speakers, cooking demonstrations, potlucks, free food giveaways and social evenings.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The greatest success by NUIG VegSoc is the opening of dialogues among people who have never thought about where their food comes from. By talking about veganism and giving away vegan food, we have started to support and "normalize" veganism to both current vegans and to people who had never thought about it.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

The greatest challenge is the lack of funds. As a new society, we group had 200 euros to work with, minus bank fees. Despite this challenge, the society managed to give away hundreds of euros in food and provide guest speakers, movie nights, and social events that exceeded the quality and quantity of some better-funded societies. This is thanks to the committee's and members' hard work and passion to foster a vegan-friendly environment.

VegSoc Outgoing Committee

Name: John Murphy **Position:** Auditor

Name: Roisin Murphy **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Oisin Keogh **Position:** Secretary

Name: Mitul Shah **Position:** Health and Safety Officer

Name: Sarah Creighton **Position:** Community Liaison Officer

Name: Ruair O'Hogartaigh **Position:** PRO

Name: Hector Belmonte **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Aoife Delany Reade **Position:** OCM

Name: Jo Anne Alison Hatfield **Position:** OCM

Name: Teresa Dunne **Position:** OCM

VegSoc Incoming Committee

Name: Sarah Murphy **Position:** OCM

Name: Emma Peters **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: John Murphy **Position:** Auditor

Name: Grayce Manyara **Position:** Secretary

Name: Jo Anne Alison Hatfield **Position:** OCM

Name: Rebecca Heery **Position:** PRO

Name: Catherine O'Donoghue **Position:** OCM

Name: Hector Belmonte **Position:** Treasurer

VegSoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€0.00	Bank charge	€45.54
Fundraising	€250.25	Dinner/Food	€372.78
Members Contributions	€105.00	Fundraising / Charity	€250.25
USC Grant	€550.00	Makeup/Props	€31.20
		Printing	€15

		Speaker travel	€57.2
		Expenditure Total	€794.17
		Closing Bank Balance	€133.28
		Total	€905.25
Total	€905.25		

Alive Certificate Recipients

Oisin Keogh	40 hrs	Secretary
Roisin Murphy	30 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Hector Belmonte	245 hrs	Treasurer
John Murphy	80 hrs	Auditor
Sarah Creighton	80 hrs	Community Liaison Officer

Total Hours 475 Participants: 5

Other Information

We held 9 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 596 members.

Video Game Society

We are the Videogame Society of NUIG. This year among numerous small events we hosted a VR Event in association with Sony PlayStation, as well as deepening our relations with GamerFest. Beyond this, the society was a good space for people to interact, meet up and make friends. As a special interest society, our love for our subject matter is naturally second only to our desire to provide an area for like-minded individuals to enjoy their favourite activity away from the bustle of college life.

We are proud this year that we have made good use of all resources made available to us, and indeed that we achieved all of the goals that we desired to. The society is forward-facing, and is anticipating the years ahead with excitement.

(Most of) Our Committee at the Socsball happy



Video Game Society Events list (21 Individual Events)

weekly event: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn »
19th September 2018

Weekly event

EGM: Committee Meeting » IT204 » 26th September 2018

The First EGM for Videogame society, lots of exciting positions up for grabs!

Video Game Fight

Night: Entertainment » IT204 » 03rd October 2018

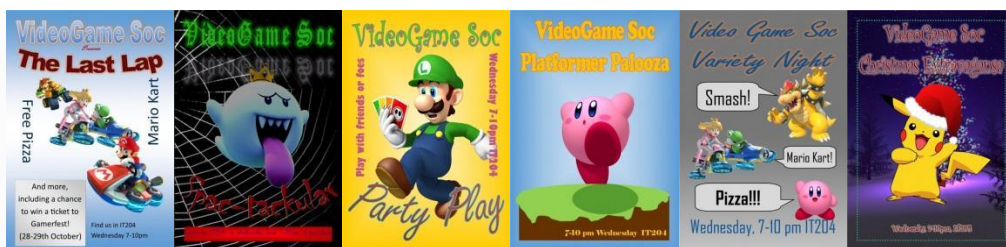
Come on down to IT204 and take part in our Video Game Fight Night! We'll have Smash, Nidhogg, Punch Out and more! We will also be hosting a tournament letting you win a ticket to GamerFest!



Video Game Gunners' Gauntlet: Entertainment » IT204 » 10th October 2018

Come on down to IT204 for the Gunners' Gauntlet, a medley of shooter games, including a tournament sure to get your blood pumping with a chance to win a ticket to Gamerfest!

Video Game Society "The Last Lap": Entertainment » IT204 » 17th October 2018



Speed on down to IT204 for one Last Lap with Video Game Soc, where we will be supplying you with Mario Kart, Rocket League, free pizza and more, including a tournament for a ticket to Gamerfest!

Video Game Spac-Tackular: Entertainment » IT204 » 24th October 2018

The ghosts are coming through the bleeding walls and the zombies are forming a horde... come down to IT204 this Wednesday if you seek a night of horror and entertainment.

Video Game Party Play: Entertainment » IT204 » 07th November 2018

Want to hang with friends or humiliate your foes with your superior button mashing skills? Video Game Soc has you covered with Party Play this Wednesday in IT204.

Video Game Platformer Palooza: Entertainment » IT204 » 14th November 2018

It's time to run, jump and squish your enemies at Platformer Palooza with Video Game Soc!

Video Game Variety Night: Entertainment » IT204 » 21st November 2018

It's that time of semester again, but don't worry, because Video Game Soc has your back with a classic variety night, perfect for de-stressing before you submit those last essays!

Video Game Christmas Extravagansa: Entertainment » IT204 » 28th November 2018

Bells are jingling, reindeer are prancing about with red noses, and a jolly old man is sitting on your roof, you say. Yup - looks like you have a textbook case of not-enough-gameosis. Well, we can fix that!

Weekly Event 11: Gatherings » Aras an Mac Leinn » 23rd January 2019

Weekly Event 11

Video Game Variety Night: Entertainment » IT203 » 30th January 2019

Video Game Variety Night: Entertainment » IT203 » 06th February 2019

Hop on down to play a variety of games in IT203

Video Game EGM: Entertainment » IT203 » 13th February 2019

Come on down to IT203 where we'll be electing new committee positions!

Video Game And Anime Soc Collab: Entertainment » IT203 » 20th February 2019

Come on down to IT203 to play some anime themed games along with the folks from Anime Soc

Video Game Co-op Night: Entertainment » IT203 » 27th February 2019

Come on down to IT203 to have some totally friendly games in some non-competitive games!

Video Game FPS Night: Entertainment » IT203 » 06th March 2019

Video Game Variety Night: Entertainment » IT203 » 13th March 2019

Video Game Fight Night 2 (Electric Boogaloo): Entertainment » IT203 » 20th March 2019

Playstation VR Gaming: Entertainment » The Cube » 03rd April 2019

Come join us on Wednesday in the Cube for a chance to try out some Virtual Reality gaming on the Playstation.

Video Game Society AGM: Entertainment » IT203 » 03rd April 2019

Come on down to IT203 for the video game AGM where we will have loads of events up for offer!

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

The society is a place for people to come together in shared enjoyment of a hobby, ie Videogames.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

This year we hope to continue our presence at the college, by providing the means for people to make friends in a safe environment via their shared hobby.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

This year the society did great. We had consistent nights every week and created a space for people to enjoy video games and also a comfortable environment to help people release the stress of assignments and exams.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

It did. We had a consistent attendance and saw friendships form over the course of our nights and we always offered the space to people who wanted to play video games. Seeing newcomers make themselves present and make an effort to interact with others as well as apply for society roles was a positive.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

The societies greatest success is staying consistent so people can always rely on the events being on. Also laying the foundations for a line of succession in roles once committee members leave and a new team is instated and ensuring they are aware of the responsibilities and expectations for their role and how to go about them to the best of their abilities.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was various circumstances that were beyond the society's scope but we didn't let them affect the society and grew as both individuals and a society.

Video Game Society Outgoing Committee

Name: Dara Joyce Seoighe **Position:** Auditor
Name: Jack Connolly **Position:** Secretary
Name: Diego Spranger
Torregrosa **Position:** Quartermaster
Name: Owen Kennedy **Position:** Web Master
Name: Daniel Stapleton **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Piaras Kyne **Position:** P.R.O
Name: Adam Flanagan **Position:** OCM
Name: Jacob Donlon **Position:** OCM
Name: Rachel Moran **Position:** OCM
Name: Adam Burke **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Caolan Kelly-Delaney **Position:** Esports
Manager
Name: Oisin Ganley **Position:** OCM
Name: Eoin McLoughlin **Position:** OCM

Video Game Society Incoming Committe

Name: Dara Joyce Seoighe **Position:** Auditor
Name: Eoin McLoughlin **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Jacob Donlon **Position:** Secretary
Name: Daniel Stapleton **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Adam Flanagan **Position:** Quartermaster
Name: Piaras Kyne **Position:** P.R.O
Name: Caolan Kelly-Delaney **Position:** Esports
Manager
Name: Darragh Murray **Position:** OCM
Name: Owen Kennedy **Position:** OCM
Name: Adam Burke **Position:** OCM

Video Game Society Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€242.33	Bank charge	€31.05
USC Grant	€1,210.00	Dinner/Food	€872.32
		Equipment misc	€219.96
		Expenditure Total	€1123.33

		Closing Bank Balance	€329
Total	€1452.33	Total	€1452.33

Alive Certificate Recipients

Dara Joyce Seoighe	76 hrs	Auditor
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Total Hours 76 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 25 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 950 members.

Voluntary Services Abroad Soc

Founded in 1977 by Galway doctor Dom Colbert, Voluntary Services Abroad is a non-profit voluntary society run by medical students in NUIG. Our aim is to raise funds for healthcare facilities in our partner hospital in Malawi, before sending some of our 4th med students there to volunteer & learn more about healthcare in the developing world.

We organise several events throughout the year, including Race Day in the Ballybrit Race Course; our traditional Table Quiz; Halloween Ball; the Christmas Concert; and Swingball. We also run a raffle at MedSoc's Masquerade Ball to raise even more funds. With each of our events, we strive to provide fun opportunities for all students to socialize whilst raising much needed funds for our cause.

In the meanwhile, as all the fundraising is being done, our 4th med students come together & organise their elective placement at Mzuzu. This year, 8 volunteers are travelling to Mzuzu Central Hospital in Malawi; they will be volunteering 4 weeks of their time and skills in the hope of improving the facilities of our partner hospital and gaining valuable, often inspiring experience working in challenging



environments. All the money raised during the academic year will be taken and spent according to the needs of the hospital & its clinics, where the health care volunteers will be undergoing their VSA experience. Our volunteers fund **ALL of their own expenses** (including accommodation & travel); this ensures all the money you donate goes directly towards providing essential medical equipment, supplies, and medicines to the community of Mzuzu.

VSA would like to thank everyone who

supported us this year; without you, hundreds of people would not be able to receive life-saving care.

We hope that you will continue to provide this same support next year & for years to come!

VSA Comittee Photo - Swingball 2019

Voluntary Services Abroad Soc Events list (11 Individual Events)

EGM: Charity » CSI SLT » 24th September 2018

EGM to enact updated constitution and reopen unfilled committee positions

Traveler's Tales: Guest Speakers » CSI SLT » 27th September 2018

Annual Traveler's Tales event. Two students discussing their experience overseas in Malawi over the summer, presentation on the EQUALS initiative, brief talk by auditor about the society. Free event, donations accepted.

Race Day Launch Party: Charity » Aras na Mac Leinn and The College Bar » 08th October 2018

The first Early Bird tickets were sold in College Bar at the launch party.

VSA Annual Table Quiz: Charity » Galway, 5-7 Bridge St, Galway, The Loft Venue » 19th October 2018

VSA Annual Table Quiz will take place in the Loft, above Seven bar, on Friday, the 19th of October. Doors open at 7:00pm. All are welcome.

Student Race Day: Charity » Galway, Galway City, ballybrit » 29th October 2018

Annual Student Race Day in aid of VSA and RFC at the Galway Race Course, Ballybrit.

VSA Halloween Ball: Social » Galway, ABBEYGATE STREET UPPER, GALWAY, IRELAND, Glasshouse Electric Garden » 31st October 2018

Annual VSA Halloween Ball in aid of VSA, being held in Electric Garden and biteclub, tickets 10 euro.

Masquerade Ball (collaboration with NUIG Medical Society): Charity » Mayo, Castlebar, Breaffy House Hotel » 10th November 2018

Masquerade ball 2018 is organised by Medsoc; VSA contributes raffle prizes to the event & all proceeds from this are donated to our charitable cause

VSA Annual Christmas Concert: Entertainment » O Flaherty Theatre » 15th November 2018

Annual VSA Christmas Concert

Swing Dance Classes: Health & Lifestyle » CSI 2011 and 2012 » 01st March 2019

Swing Dance Classes, with pizza afterwards. Electric wristbands.

Swing Ball: Charity » Galway, Galway City, Meyrick Hotel » 02nd March 2019

Drinks reception, followed by evening meal, then afters.

VSA AGM: Committee Meeting » Small Lecture Theatre CSI » 03rd April 2019

VSA will be holding their AGM on Wednesday 3rd April at 6pm in the Small Lecture Theatre CSI. Anyone is welcome to attend & apply for a position - free pizza included!! If you have any queries send us a message on Facebook. Hope to see you there!

Leadership

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

To do our part to help bridge the divide between the developed and developing world, especially in terms of health resources.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

Our aim is to raise as much money as possible for the global south and to raise awareness for the issues leading to global inequality; we will do this by holding a number of fundraising events throughout the year and donating the money, in its entirety, to hospitals in the global south. We will also offer advice and support to any volunteers going overseas.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think it went well as we had to build a new society.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We are sending 8 students to hospitals in the global south

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Held 5 different fundraising events and it turned out to be successful events.

- Masquerade Ball

- Halloween Ball

- Race Day

- Swing Ball

- Table quiz

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Communication between first semester committee members and second semester committee members

Voluntary Services Abroad Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Anthony Reddin **Position:** Auditor (First Semester)

Name: Aoibheann Houston **Position:** Auditor (Second Semester)

Name: Kate Finn **Position:** Safety Officer

Name: Oisin Gibbons **Position:** Student Liaison Officer

Name: Frank Beirne **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Sin McKenna **Position:** Secretary

Name: Kate Kim **Position:** Treasurer Semester 2

Name: Kevin O'Reilly **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Laoise Plunkett **Position:** Fundraising Officer

Name: Niamh McLoughlin **Position:** Secretary Semester 2

Name: Jennifer Hunt **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Jane O'Toole **Position:** Fundraising Officer 2

Name: Rosemary James **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member (OCM)

Voluntary Services Abroad Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Laoise Plunkett **Position:** Auditor

Name: Kate Kim **Position:** Treasurer

Voluntary Services Abroad Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€31,253.95	Bank charge	€55.22
		Fundraising / Charity	€1,146.00

		Expenditure Total	€1201.22
		Closing Bank Balance	€30052.73
Total	€31,253.95	Total	€31253.95

Alive Certificate Recipients

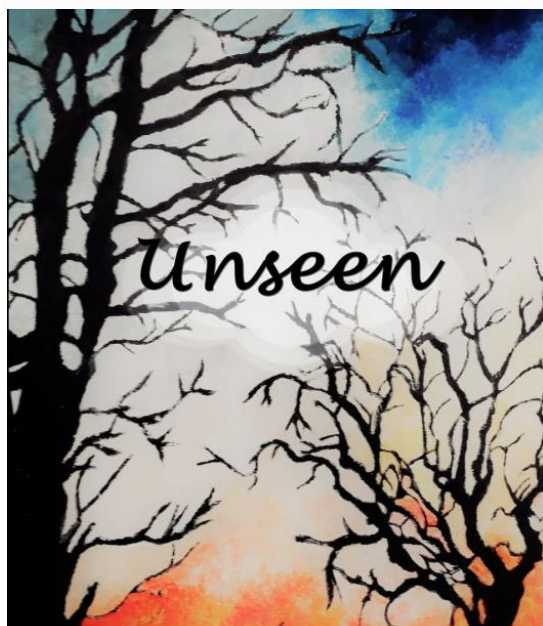
Niamh McLoughlin	123 hrs	Secretary Semester 2
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Total Hours 123 Participants: 1

Other Information

We held 8 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 1681 members.

Writers Group Soc



NUI Galway
Writers society Publication 2019

This year the writers society has continued to be a safe place for writers from all over Galway to come and write together. We have regular guest speakers and launch our yearly publication. This year the publication was called "Unseen". This is our proudest achievement of the year. The society hopes to continue to bring together people who have a love of writing.

Unseen, our publication for this year.

Writers Group Soc Events list (38 Individual Events)
Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » Aras Na Mac Leinn Meeting Room 1 » 13th September 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers society EGM: Other » AC215 » 18th September 2018

Our AGM to elect the final members of our committee.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 20th September 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Chad Norman talk: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 20th September 2018

The poet Chad Norman come to give a poetry reading and talk to the members of the society.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 27th September 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 04th October 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Consent culture night: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 04th October 2018

We explored the idea of consent through the medium of writing and thought about what a female character in literature could really be.

Games night: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 08th October 2018

A games night used for committee bonding that was open to other members of the society too.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 11th October 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Unwind through writing night: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 11th October 2018

We used writing to show people how to calm down when the world gets overwhelming. This was an event for mental health week.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 18th October 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Noel Monaghan Poetry workshop: Guest Speakers » AC215 » 25th October 2018

The poet Noel Monaghan will be hosting a workshop for our members in which he

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 25th October 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Microscope world building: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 30th October 2018

This will be a workshop on world building to prepare our members for the NaNoWriMo challenge, write 50,000 words in a month.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 01st November 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Novel planning workshop: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 01st November 2018

This was a night where we would teach our members how to plan a novel so that they would be ready for the challenge to write one in the month of November.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 08th November 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 15th November 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 22nd November 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writing for Games: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 22nd November 2018

This will be a workshop where we will examine the writing of the game world and learn a bit about what writing for games is all about. In collaboration with Gamer soc.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 29th November 2018

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 17th January 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 24th January 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 31st January 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Comedy Sketch Night: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 31st January 2019

Come along to the writers soc event that will get you laughing for mental health week. We will be writing about funny characters and imagining how they will meet. No acting required. It is just a good laugh.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 07th February 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Louis De Paor poetry reading and talk: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 07th February 2019

The poet Louis De Paor will be coming in to read us some of his poetry (With translations) and answer your questions. Please do come along and bring a friend.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 14th February 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 21st February 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 28th February 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

"Unseen" 2019 publication launch: Book Launch » AC214 » 28th February 2019

Come along to the writers society publication launch. There will be some of the publications on sale and free pizza.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 07th March 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 14th March 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 21st March 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Barakamon Screening with Anime and Manga soc: Arts & Culture » AC214 » 21st March 2019

There will be popcorn and treats there on the night. Come along and watch this writing themed anime with us.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 28th March 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

Writers Society weekly meetings: Arts & Culture » AC215 » 04th April 2019

Our weekly meetings when our members get together and write.

AGM and end of year party: Arts & Culture » AC214 » 04th April 2019

This will be our final event of the year. There will be games, food and a chance to join the committee for next year.

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Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

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We hope to create a welcoming atmosphere for people to share their love of writing in. Our members should want to come back and see us again and feel like we look forward to seeing them each week.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We aim to have a series of guest speakers come in, most likely one a month. We would also like to publish two publications this year.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think we did well this year. The same people continued to return to our events and there were plenty of laughs along the way.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

We published our 2019 publication and we got a variety of guest speakers to come in a talk to our members.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I think our publication is our greatest success. It is full of some of the members best work and looks beautiful. It shows what our society is capable of.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Our greatest challenge was keeping the crowds coming in during second semester. With essays and exams looming attendance did drop a bit. But we managed to bring people back with the launch of our publication.

Writers Group Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Amy Barrett **Position:** Auditor

Name: Madeline Richards **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Sean Donnelly **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Corragh-May White **Position:** Publisher

Name: Scott Green **Position:** P.R.O

Name: Evelyn Demian Moran **Position:** OCM

Name: Pdraig Murphy **Position:** OCM

Name: Timothy Burke **Position:** Secretary

Name: Elliot Gallogly **Position:** Vice Treasurer

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€421.46	Bank charge	€33.55
Ecommerce Sales	€60.00	Dinner/Food	€95.14
Refund of Expenses	€0.21	Equipment misc	€2.50
Socs box Till	€35.00	Materials	€6.00
USC Grant	€218.15	Printing	€248.77
		Prizes	€25.4
		Expenditure Total	€411.36
		Closing Bank Balance	€323.46
Total	€734.82	Total	€734.82

Other Information

We held 24 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 738 members.

Young Fine Gael Soc

Young Fine Gael Soc Events list (16 Individual Events)

Socs Day: Other » Bailey Allen Hall » 12th September 2018

Socs Day

Movie Night: Social » Kirwan Theatre » 19th September 2018

Young Fine Gael hosted a movie night and social event

General Meeting: Social » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 02nd October 2018

Please join us for our EGM on Tuesday, 2nd October in AM150 with our Guest Chair, Cllr. Niamh Byrne of the Conamara LEA. Positions available on the night:- PRO- Events & Campaigns Officer- Membership

& Equality Officer- First Year Rep- Ordinary Committee MembersAny amendments are to be submitted in writing to the Secretary, Michael Taylor, in advance of the meeting.Social & Light Refreshments afterward

General Meeting: Other » AM150 - O'Tnuthail Theatre » 09th October 2018

Procedural EGM: Other » Áras na Mac Léinn - The Art Room » 17th October 2018



Procedural EGM to ratify addition of members to Officer Board.

Brexit Discussion: Guest Speakers » AM150 » 23rd October 2018

Young Fine Gael will be hosting a brexit discussion with EU Law Lecturer Rosemary Keogan and Economics lecturer Stephen McNena

Brexit Discussion: Seminar » AM150 - O'Tnuthail Theatre » 23rd October 2018

Seminar and discussion on the future of Brexit and it's effect on Ireland.

Casual Monday: Social » Darcy Thompson Theatre, Arts & Science Concourse » 05th November 2018

Talking current affairs and politics. Planning future events with input from members.

Dáil Trip: Trips » Dublin, Kildare Street, Leinster House » 06th November 2018

Annual Trip to Leinster House to see Leaders Questions in action in the Dáil and to meet and engage with members of the Fine Gael parliamentary party. Leaving Galway from Ceannt Station on the 9:30am train to Dublin Heuston.

Women in Politics: Guest Speakers » AS203 River Room » 12th November 2018

Discussion on Women in Politics with guest speakers

Evening with an MEP: Social » Galway, Galway City, Busker Browne's » 27th November 2018

Evening at Kirby's with an MEP candidate.

What Europe Means to You: Guest Speakers » AM150 » 12th February 2019

Join us on Tuesday February 12th at 7pm for a panel discussion with EU Law Lecturer Rosemary Keogan, Professor Niamh Reilly and This Time I'm Voting rep Saul Balesteros and guest chair former Rose of Tralee Maria Walsh. As Europeans we face many challenges, from migration to climate change, from youth unemployment to data privacy. We live in an ever more globalized, competitive world . At the same time, the Brexit referendum has demonstrated that the EU is not an irrevocable project. And while most of us take democracy for granted, it also seems under increasing threat, both in principle and practice. That's why we have started building a community of supporters to help encourage a higher voter turnout at the European elections. Our goal is not to tell people who they should vote for: it is to promote the act of voting itself, the act of engaging in the democratic process; and the act of doing so in a conscious and fully informed way. We want to harness the power of human interaction and build a community of supporters across Europe to rally behind the cause of voting and to stand up for the very idea of democracy. Together decide what kind of Europe we want to live in. Because this time it's not enough to hope for a better future: this time each and every one of us must take responsibility for it too.

North-West Regional Debating Competition: Other » AM150 - O'Tnuthail Theatre » 19th February 2019

Join us for our North-West Regional debating competition. All are welcome, teams of three only. Please email sinead.bolger@yfg.ie for more info.

Social Night: Social » TBC » 04th March 2019

Social night for society members. Discussion on party events, policies and campaigns

Climate Action Panel: Guest Speakers » AM250 » 11th March 2019

Young Fine Gael Society discusses Climate Action with a panel of speakers.

AGM: Other » Ac203 » 03rd April 2019

NUIG YFG will be hosting their AGM to elect a new committee for the coming year

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	8 society committee members with questions answered	8 Total society committee members	(7/8) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

Young Fine Gael (YFG) is the autonomous youth wing of the major Irish political party Fine Gael. Our core values are equality of opportunity, enterprise and reward, security, integrity, and hope. Our society's aim is promote and grow our party in NUI Galway and to give students a voice in national politics.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

We hope to hold a number of talks with guest speakers on topics such as Brexit, Women in Politics, Climate Action and more. We hope to visit other University YFG branch's events and debates. We aim to assist our local Fine Gael party local representatives in their campaigns for election. Our goal is to grow the membership of the branch and get more young people interested in politics.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

I think the society performed very well this year. We started off the year with a mission statement of what we wanted to achieve and think we've hit most of our goals.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

I feel we did, we held talks on Brexit, Women in politics and climate action as we outlined in our statement at the beginning of the year. We've helped local politicians canvass for elections.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

I'd say our 3 main talks for the year. Women in politics was attended by a TD and Senator, Brexit gave a clear explanation of the political situation in an interesting fashion while our climate change talk really made us think about how climate can be approached from a political standpoint.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

setting up events is busy work and time consuming and some of the events came down to the wire in terms of time management.

Young Fine Gael Soc Outgoing Committee

Name: Callum Baldrick **Position:** Treasurer

Name: Owen Hennelly **Position:** Auditor

Name: Sinead Ni Bholguir **Position:** OCM

Name: James O'Mahony **Position:** Vice-Auditor

Name: Michael Taylor **Position:** Secretary

Name: Sarah Canavan **Position:** Public Relations Officer

Name: Mars Duignan **Position:** Membership Officer

Name: Kailan Mitchell **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member

Young Fine Gael Soc Incoming Committee

Name: Owen Hennelly **Position:** Interim Auditor

Young Fine Gael Soc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€517.96	Bank charge	€32.24
USC Grant	€300.00	Dinner/Food	€612.50
		Expenditure Total	€644.74
		Closing Bank Balance	€173.22
Total	€817.96	Total	€817.96

Alive Certificate Recipients

Sarah Canavan	0 hrs	Public Relations Officer
Total Hours 0 Participants: 1		

Other Information

We held 1 committee meetings during the year and we have not held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 318 members.

ZooSoc

ZooSoc ran educational and animal based events for our members. We collaborated with students and staff in the college to provide fun and informative events along with other college societies and clubs. We ran many events for all of our members and some for the public to attend.



A few of our events from this year
ZooSoc Events list (16 Individual Events)

ZooSoc Social Night: Social » Large Acoustic Room Aras na Mac Leinn » 17th September 2018

A social night for all current and new ZooSoc members to get to know each other and learn a bit about the society

AGM: Other » AC203, Arts Science Concourse » 20th September 2018

Annual General Meeting to elect a committee for the coming year and to discuss ideas for future events

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Library study room 1 » 08th October 2018

Snake Talk with John Dunbar: Seminar » Venue: TBC » 08th October 2018

Talk on snakes given by John Dunbar of the Venom Systems and Proteomics Lab in the Ryan Institute of NUIG's Zoology Department

Bat Identifying Walk with Galway Bat Group (Weather Permitting): Educational » Outside Orbsen » 09th October 2018

Workshop with Galway Bat Group on campus, this will consist of a walk on campus where we will be taught how to identify different bat species as we see them. WEATHER DEPENDENT

'Face your Fears' (Animal Workshop): Workshops » IT204 » 22nd October 2018

Join Zoo Soc to 'Face Your Fears' for an evening featuring special scaly guests!

Documentary Night: Film » Joseph Larmor Theatre » 22nd January 2019

Documentary screening with pizza!

'Minutes to Die' Documentary Screening: Film » IT125G » 28th January 2019

We are screening 'Minutes to Die' a documentary about the harsh realities faced by victims of snakebites and their families

Zoology Final Year Projects Talk: Educational » MRA201 » 04th February 2019

Final year zoology students will be giving talks about their Final Year Projects. They'll tell us about their research or field work and give insight into the rewards and obstacles of doing final year research projects. This will be a very helpful event for students considering doing final year zoology!

Documentary night: Film » Tyndall Theatre » 11th February 2019

Screening of David Attenborough's 'Dynasties'!

Documentary night: Film » Tyndall Theatre » 21st February 2019

Documentary night: Film » Darcy Thompson » 28th February 2019

Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Group Study Room 1 » 04th March 2019

Zoo Soc Pub Quiz: Guest Speakers » Galway, Galway City, The Sliding Rock » 06th March 2019

Documentary night: Film » Tyndall Theatre » 11th March 2019

AGM Committee Meeting: Committee Meeting » Charles McMunn Theatre » 21st March 2019

Leadership

Number Of Society Leadership Questions Answered	Number Of Society Committee Members With Leadership Questions Answered	Total Number Of Society Committee Members	Total Number Of Society Committee Members Completed Survey
4 society leadership questions answered	10 society committee members with questions answered	11 Total society committee members	(10/11) society committee members completed survey

Society Leadership Questions

Mission Statement

This is the general aim of the society and its broad aspirations, it should be general and encompass the essence of what the society is about.

NUIG's Zoological Society is aimed at anyone with an interest in the world of zoology, be it animals, conservation, or ecology.

We strive to educate ourselves and our members on the importance of wildlife as well as the environment, and we hope to inspire people to appreciate the faunal world.

Aims Objectives & Goals

This should be a list of actual things you hope to achieve this year, discuss with the committee, what is realistically achievable, when would you hope to achieve it by and how will you know you have achieved it.

At ZooSoc we want to educate our members and ourselves on all things zoological. We want to give people the opportunity to learn about ongoing research in zoology, as well as conservation matters and the handling of live animals. ZooSoc wants to create a fun learning space where people with similar interests can meet, discuss, and learn about animals and their environment.

Reflecting on your mission statement how did your society do this year?

Our society has met all the requirements that we set out to do.

Did your society achieve any of its aims, objectives and goals?

Our society has met all our aims, objectives and goals we set out to do.

What would you regard as your societies greatest success?

Yes, as we have resurrected the society from nothing.

What would you regard as your societies greatest challenge?

Timing and working around the committee timetables.

ZooSoc Outgoing Committee

Name: Hannah Dominguez McLaughlin **Position:** Auditor
Name: Anne Rieger **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Storm Mc Donald **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Jason Hunt **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Cora Lambert **Position:** Events Manager
Name: Raymond Fox **Position:** Ordinary Committee Member
Name: Holly Clements **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Briana Casserly **Position:** Secretary
Name: Alison Levy **Position:** OCM
Name: Colin Guilfoyle **Position:** OCM
Name: Emma King **Position:** Vice-Treasurer

ZooSoc Incoming Committee

Name: Ashleigh Harte **Position:** Treasurer
Name: Hugh Boyle **Position:** Secretary
Name: Sarah McHugh **Position:** Public Relations Officer
Name: Hannah Dominguez McLaughlin **Position:** Safety Officer
Name: Amy Duclaux **Position:** Vice-Auditor
Name: Raymond Fox **Position:** Auditor

ZooSoc Finance Summary Report

Income		Expenditure	
Category	Amount	Category	Amount
Opening Bank Balance	€532.04	Bank charge	€30.50
USC Grant	€450.00	Dinner/Food	€450.00
		Prizes	€50

		Returned Socs Money	€300
		Expenditure Total	€830.5
		Closing Bank Balance	€151.54
Total	€982.04	Total	€982.04

Alive Certificate Recipients

Cora Lambert	40 hrs	Events Manager
Storm McDonald	72 hrs	Vice-Auditor
Raymond Fox	40 hrs	Ordinary Committee Member
Alison Levy	0 hrs	OCM
Jason Hunt	100 hrs	Treasurer

Other Information

We held 10 committee meetings during the year and we have held our AGM. Our total membership stands at 1107 members.

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Appendix 1: USCG

(University Societies Coordination Group)

Chairperson: Saoirse NicGabhainn (Academic Rep)

Societies Chairperson (SU): Brandon Walsh

Elected by the Students Union Executive process in Semester 2

Staff Reps

John Hannon (Student Services)

Administration Rep: Thomas McArdle

Padraic MacNeela (School of Arts)

Mary Dempsey (School of Engineering)

Thomas McArdle (ISS)

Fr. Ben Hughes (Chaplaincy)

The USCG Student Reps:

Academic Rep : Owen Higgins

Artistic and Performing Rep : Felipe Loughran Ponce

Social and Cultural Rep : Morgan Sweeney

Special Interest Rep : Chris Kelly

Social Action and Political Rep: Hayley Little

Lifestyle and Wellbeing Rep: Kate Wylie

Volunteering and Religious Rep : Paige Donnelly

Administrator & Secretary: Riona Hughes (Societies Officer)

BICS Awards Rep: Cameron Keighron

Societies Office Staff:

Full Time:

Cameron Keighron

Doireann NicDhonncha

Emily Griffin

Part Time:

Morgan Sweeney

Brandon Walsh

Mary O'Toole

Jennifer McHugh

Appendix 2: Socs Awards

The NUI Galway Societies Awards 2019 took place in the Ardilaun Hotel on 28th March with music from Transmitter, performances from Dansoc and GUMS

The Winners on the Night Were:

Best Society (Cultural/Academic/Social)
Gig Soc

Best Society (Charity/Civic)
Friends of MSF

Most Successful Society
Film Soc

Best Event
Healthy Heroes - Paediatric Society and AMSI

Best Individual
Mark Fitzgerald

Most Improved Society
Potter Soc

Best New Society
AMSI

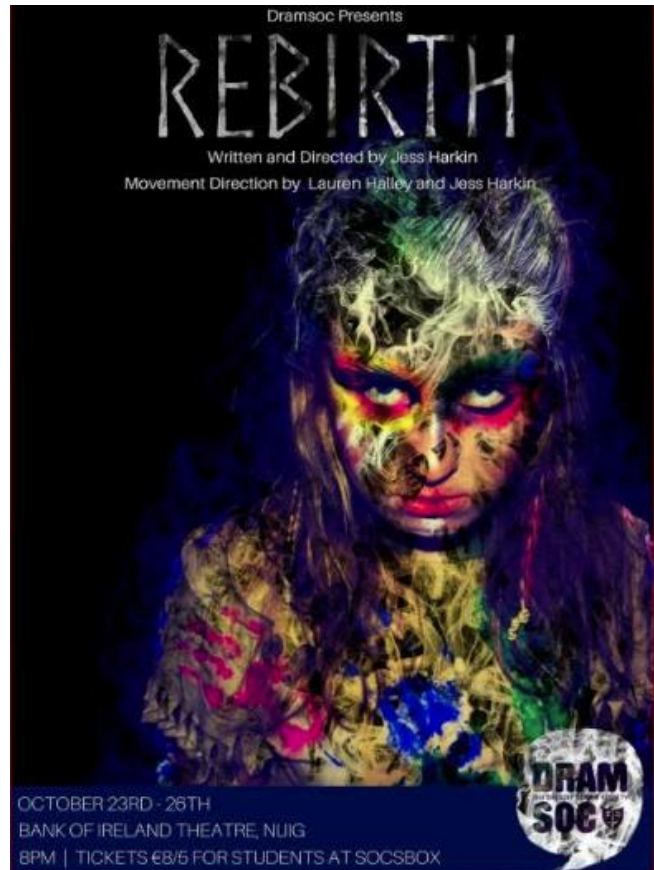
Best Fresher
Kevin McLoughlin - Potter Soc

Best Publicity Campaign
GUMS-Pippin

Best Poster
Dramsoc - Rebirth

Best Promotional Video
African Caribbean Society - Hollywood Ball

Best Departmental
Biomedical Society
Best Photo
Circus Society



Best Cultural Contribution
Dramsoc

The Phoenix Award
Journalism

Best Small Publication
Gigsoc - Queer Book

Most Alive
GUMS

SPECIAL AWARDS

The 'Lifetime Achievement' Award
Cameron Keighron

Akumakon

The Community Impact Award
Slainte Society - Teddy Bear Hospital

Best Themed Week
Gigsoc - Rainbow Week

The Community Spirit Award
Pakistani Society - Cultural Night

Best Overnight Event
Film Soc - Oscars Night

The Activism Award
Femsoc and Astronomy

Best International Competitors
Cheerleading Society

The Helping Hand Award
Felipe Loughran Ponce

Best Intervarsity Win
Dansoc - Irish Dancing

Best PR Award
Baking Society

Volunteer Award
Best Buddies Society

The Learning for Lifetime Award
Psychological

Best International Society
Spanish Society

Best Fundraiser
Islamic Charity Dinner in Aid of
Yemen

Collaboration Award
Astro Society

Best Treasurer
Cian O'Seachnasaigh
Best Student Service
Mature Students

**Best Educational Programme
Award**
IMPACTE - Tech Skills

Brightest Future Award
Marine

The "Lifeline" Award
John Hannon

Best Online Store
India Soc

The Big Failte Award
Failte Refugees

The Hot Ticket Award

The Best New Idea Award
DRUMS - Family Fortune

Appendix 3: BICS Awards

The BICS Awards took place on 11th April 2019 in the Sheraton Hotel, Athlone. NUI Galway took home two awards on the night, maintaining our place on the top of the Leadership Board.



Best Society Cultural/Academic/Social - Large
GiGSoc - NUI Galway



Best Event Large College
Healthy Heroes - Paediatric and AMSI, NUI Galway

Best Society CAS (small)

MIDAS, Mary Immaculate

Best Society CC (large)

Surgeon Noonan, UCC

Best Society CC (small)

LGBT* society, CIT

Best Event (large)

Healthy Heroes, Paediatric and AMSI,
NUI Galway

Best Event (small)

Suessical the Musical, MIDAS, Mary
Immaculate

Best Individual (large)

David Synnott, UCC

Best Individual (small)

Zack Nutchanat, CIT

Most Improved (large)

Art & Design, TU Dublin City Campus

Most Improved (small)

Rainbow Society, TU Tallaght

Best New (large)

Wistern, UCC

Best New (small)

Spark Society, IT Tralee

Best Fresher (Large)

Dylan McClorey, DCU

Best Fresher (Small)

James Curry, TU Tallaght

Best Green Initiative

UL Environment Society, Plastic
Campaign

Best Mental Health Event

Voices of UL, Drama Society

Best Intervarsity

TU Dublin City Campus, Dance
Society, Dance Inters

Best Publicity campaign

TU Dublin City campus, Japanimation
Society

Best Video

UCC, Surgeon Noonan Society

Best Poster

UL Drama Society

Best Photo

DCU Rag society

Appendix 4: Fáilte Fest Orientation

The Societies Office coordinates the social programme of the Orientation programme in partnership with a variety of campus and community partners.

Fáilte Fest

Monday 3rd - Friday 7th
Sept 2018

Monday 3rd

12pm-3pm **My First Day at NUIG**
SU Photo Booth in foyer of Áras na Mac Léinn

4 pm - 7 pm **SU  Night:** Join the Students' Union in an interactive themed Quiz hosted by **Karl Spain** followed by DJ Paul Belton
VENUE: SULT

7 pm **Chaplains BBQ**
VENUE: An Gairdín Sos, Chapel of Columbanus

7 pm **Variety Show:** Join Dramsoc & Musical Society, check out the talent and maybe win a prize for your performance. Free pizza!
VENUE: The Cube, Áras na Mac Léinn

8 pm **Electric Picnic Party**
with DJ Paul Belton. VENUE: Sult includes Filthy Food Menu Sampling.

Electric Picnic

IMPORTANT DATES

Clubs Day Tuesday
Tuesday 11th. Ringfisher

SU Freshers Fair
Tuesday 18th. Áras na Mac Léinn

Socs Day
Wednesday 12th. Áras na Mac Léinn

Volunteer Fair
Wednesday 19th. Áras na Mac Léinn

Synapse, Tech Carnival
Thursday 20th. Áras na Mac Léinn

Tuesday 4th

4 pm - 6pm **SU Takeover** Get to know your Students' Union officer for this year. VENUE: SULT

7pm ** Loco** - Enjoy Bingo? Then this is the ultimate bingo event for you! Fabulous prizes.
VENUE: SULT (18+ ID required)

7pm - 9pm **Rover Society Campfire** - Come enjoy some food and games around the campfire!
VENUE: Fisheries Field

7pm ** The Big Fat Failte Quiz** - join the Societies for the table quiz, test your smarts, come with friends or make new ones, win fab prizes and free food.
VENUE: An Bialann

★ ALL WEEK!

★ **Orientation Information Desk** - Black Desk in Áras na Mac Léinn. TIME: 9am - 5pm.

★ **Societies Office/SocsBox** - Call in for a chat about Societies.
VENUE: Áras na Mac Léinn TIME: 10am - 5pm.

★ **Students' Union Office** - Your SU Card, Student Leap Card, Locker, Second hand Books, play our Giant Games and maybe win a prize!
VENUE: Áras na Mac Léinn TIME: 10am - 5pm.

★ **Sports Hall Kingfisher** - Open each day, 7am - 10pm. Tours available on request

★ **ALIVE in the Hub** - Visit us in our new office, call in for a chat and refreshments!
VENUE: Áras na Mac Léinn TIME: 10am - 3pm.

★ **Flirt FM** - Your campus radio station will be broadcasting live from the front of Áras na Mac Léinn - call by to say hi, sign up to volunteer with the station and enter the draw to win a multimedia goodie bag.
VENUE: Áras na Mac Léinn TIME: 12pm - 3pm.

★ **The WELL Crew** - Visit your student common room in the Hub, meet the crew, check out your kitchen, play board games, grab a cup of tea and a bikkie and have a go on the massage chair!
VENUE: The HUB TIME: 1pm - 5pm.

Wednesday 5th

1pm - 6pm

Freshers Fun Fair:

Entertainment, free food, prizes, games, stalls, music, inflatables, competitions, scavenger hunt, meet the Societies & much more. Get to know us and each other!
VENUE: Áras na Mac Léinn



4pm - 7pm

Graham Doherty

There will be FREE pizza and finger food with electric wristband giveaway.
VENUE: SULT



6pm - 8pm

Musical Mayhem

With the Music Societies, it's all going to be fun and games with prizes and free food
VENUE: Smokies, The Concourse



6pm - 8pm

Societies Drop-in Games Rooms, Meet

Anime and Manga, Fansci, Time Lord and Video Game Societies
VENUE: AC202, AC203 & AC204, The Concourse.



7pm

Big Fáilte Party:

Featuring internationally renowned electronic music star Bongo Steve!
VENUE: SULT (18s ID required)



7pm & 8pm

Two Blockbusters:

Film Screenings with Film Soc
VENUE: 7:00 The Anderson Theatre, 8pm The O'Flaherty Theatre, The Concourse



8:30pm

Anime Screening with

Anime & Manga Society
VENUE: Darcy Thompson Theatre, The Concourse



8:30pm

Disney Sing-a-Long

with the Societies
VENUE: Kirwan Theatre, The Concourse

GLOW-IN-THE-DARK DODGEBALL

Tuesday - Thursday 2pm - 4pm, NUI Galway Sports Centre Ringfisher Join the Sports Clubs for an active, fun afternoon of sports with glow-in-the-dark face paint, tape and decorations. You will be ready to shine during the game!



Thursday 6th

2 pm - 6.30 pm

Global Fun Fest - Fun

with the societies, games, stalls, free food, music and lots of prizes! Celebrating our diversity and feeling the welcome.
VENUE: Áras na Mac Léinn



4 pm - 7 pm

Speed Friending with Steve Bennett - an easy way to get to know new people.
VENUE: SULT



6 pm

- 10:30 pm

Movie Screenings

Featuring the best of Irish cinema screenings starts at 6pm and the next 8pm. VENUE: Lecture Hall, Human Biology Building



7 pm

DramSoc Production

Chatroom, a play about 6 teenagers who only communicate through the internet. VENUE: Bank of Ireland Theatre, The Concourse



8 pm

Daithi - top Irish fiddle player using electronics to boost traditional Irish music into something unique and different.
VENUE: SULT (18s ID required)



Friday 7th

8 pm

Postgradoke - Sing some of your favourite songs and get to know some new people!
VENUE: SULT (18s ID required)



Themed Weeks

Sept 10th Get on Track Week
Sept 17th Wellbeing Week
Sept 24th Get Moving Week
Oct 1st Skills Week
Oct 8th Mental Health Week
Oct 15th Get Involved Week
Oct 22nd Global Week

Check out events online:
www.nuigstudents.ie

Great prizes and free food from our Fáilte partners

An Bialann, Apache Pizza, Caifé na Gaeilge, Centra Newcastle, Cloud Café, CSI Café, DNA, Dominos Pizza, Electric, Friars Restaurant, GamerFest, Kingfisher, Matt O'Flaherty, Smokies, Stem Café, Supermacs, The Wall Café, 37 West, Wholly Cow Burgers, Zinc Café.



FULL DETAILS:

www.nuigalway.ie/startinguniversity

Appendix 5: Themed Weeks

The Societies Office with various campus support services coordinated the 7 first weeks programme.



NUI Galway
OÉ Gaillimh

Your first 7 weeks

Get on Track Week

Sept 10th

Make friends and find your feet

www.nuigstudents.ie



NUI GALWAY UNIVERSITY SPORTS CLUBS

Tuesday 11th September Venue
NUI Galway Kinfisher
Time 10am - 6pm

Here is Where
I will join a
Sports Club

www.nuigalway.ie/sports



Wednesday 12th 10AM - 5PM

SOCS DAY

HERE IS WHERE
... I BEGIN

120 societies to choose from

Bailey Allen Hall Áras na Mac Léinn

www.socs.nuigalway.ie



your
space

Your personal extracurricular account, the gateway to your student life, build your personal event calendar, manage your personal details, apply for awards.
Log on at yourspace.nuigalway.ie with your student ID and password.



NUI Galway
OÉ Gaillimh

Success Quiz



Kickstart your college life, support your success, and map your journey!

www.nuigalway.ie/successquiz

JOIN CLUBS AND SOCIETIES - EXPLORE THE CAMPUS - MAKE A FRIEND OF TWO - GO TO YOUR LECTURES - VISIT THE LIBRARY - CHECK OUT THE SERVICES YOU MAY NEED - LOG INTO BLACKBOARD - CHECK YOUR STUDENT EMAIL - CHECK OUT GALWAY - SEE WHAT'S AVAILABLE IN ÁRAS NA MAC LÉINN - GET INVOLVED



NUI Galway
OÉ Gaillimh

Your first 7 weeks

Get Moving Week

Get active, feel great

www.nuigstudents.ie

Sept
24th

HERE IS
WHERE

YOU START
YOUR JOURNEY
WITH US



'Reboot Your Commute'

From Monday 1st October to Sunday 11th November we are challenging staff and students to

Get Active & Win

Special prizes each week for clocking up steps or KMs cycled

Get Moving

with the Socs!

Bike Gang

Helping you get on your bike with regular repair workshops

Cheerleading

No better way to get fit and maybe go to Disney!

Circus

From juggling to unicycling have fun, get a skill and get fit

Dansoc

Up to 20 weekly classes: Hip-Hop, Zumba Strength & Conditioning, Irish, Salsa, Jazz,

Healthy Hearts

Get fit and tips on keeping your heart healthy

Lotus

Yoga Classes & Meditation

Musical (GUMS)

It's all singing, all dancing and getting fit without even knowing it

Organic Gardening

Potter in the garden and get healthy on the outside and the inside.

Rover

Scouting Society bring you out into the open air for adventure

Strength Soc

Here to encourage a healthy lifestyle, help losing weight, improving athletic performance etc...

www.socs.nuigalway.ie

NUI GALWAY Sport #IWILL PARTICIPATE

A Fabulous week of demonstrations of recreational activity in the NUI Galway Sports Centre

Monday 24th

8-10pm Futsal Blitz

Tuesday 25th

10am -12pm Sports Hall Athletics

12.15 -1.15pm Fun N Run GAA

2pm Launch Fit Towns

2.15 -3.15pm GAASOC

Wednesday 26th

11am – 1pm 3v3 Basketball

1pm Karate seminar "insights" to this Martial Arts

Thursday 27th

National Fitness Day

Get moving, get active & win

Sign up now
activetravellogge

www.nuigalway.ie/sports

All events are open to all students and staff



NUI Galway
OÉ Gaillimh

Your first 7 weeks

Skills Week

Build your skills for learning, life & work

www.nuigstudents.ie

Oct
1st

HERE IS
WHERE
YOU START
YOUR JOURNEY
WITH US

Mindfulness Based Living Course

Booking: www.nuigstudents.ie/smartlife

Duration: 6 weeks

Date: Tuesday 02/10/18

Time: 1st Group 4:30 – 6:00pm or 2nd Group 6:00pm–7:30pm

Venue: Áras Moyola (Nursing & Health Sciences Building) Room MY127

- Learn skills to address anxiety and stress
- Have better focus and concentration for study
- Promotes a better relationship with yourself and others

Post Grad Support Group

Duration: 6 weeks (Booking essential at www.nuigstudents.ie/smartlife)

Date: Wednesday 03/10/18

Time: 1:00 – 2:30pm

Venue: Small Acoustic Room, Ground floor, Áras na Mac Léinn (Inside Post 10)

- Facilitated peer led, confidential support group
- Provides mutual support, in practical and personal areas of your PhD journey

PhD Support Group

Duration: 6 weeks (Booking essential at www.nuigstudents.ie/smartlife)

Date: Tuesday 02/10/18

Time: 1:00 – 2:30pm

Venue: Small Acoustic Room, Ground floor, Áras na Mac Léinn (Inside Post 10)

- Facilitated peer led, confidential support group
- Provides mutual support, in practical and personal areas of your PhD journey

Note Taking & Study Skills

Date: Thursday 04/10/18 or Monday 12/11/18

Time: 5:30 – 7:00pm

Venue: Thursday - Library Lobby, Bridge Room 1001
Monday - Library Lobby, Room G011

- Learn practical study skills
- Effective note-taking for lectures and study
- Organise your study and limit distractions

ACADEMIC SKILLS HUB

Check out the online hub for handy tips and information on:

- Writing in English
- Presenting your work
- Using the library
- Using the internet
- Using the library
- Using the internet

nuigalway.ie/academic-skills

"I'm not sure how to create a presentation?"

"The maths is harder than I anticipated"

"Would you like some help with your Academic Skills?"

"I don't know how to get started with my assignments?"

Come to our drop-in session:

Date: Wednesday October 3rd

Venue: Arts Midway (Room 101)

Time: 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm



Confidence with people can be an issue

public speaking ...
coping with placement ...
being self-conscious with people in general

Participate is

- an online programme
- free
- proven to be effective
- (where possible) includes one-to-one online support



<https://nuig.participateonline.net>



Promoting Health and Wellbeing in NUI Galway Service name: Chaplaincy

Seas Suas is a student programme promoting the health & well-being of students by students.

The objective of the Seas Suas programme is to:

- Increase awareness of what's happening - Mindfulness
 - Encourage students to help fellow students - Citizenship
 - Develop skills to respond safely - Skilled Intervention
 - Expand a culture of support in University - Community Spirit
- The training takes place on Tuesday 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th October 2018. The Benefits of Being Involved in Seas Suas include:
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Duration: 4 Weeks

Bookings: www.nuigstudents.ie/smartlife

Date: 10/10/18

Time: 5:30-7:30pm

Venue: Psychology Building, 1st Floor, Room AMB 1064

Free

- Develop a personal set of 'wellness tools'
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- Learn practical and fun stress management strategies

Post Grad Support Group

Duration: 6 weeks (Booking essential at www.nuigstudents.ie/smartlife)

Date: Wednesday 03/10/18

Time: 1:00 – 2:30pm

Venue: Small Acoustic Room, Ground floor, Áras na Mac Léinn (Beside H10 PA)

- Facilitated peer led, confidential support group
- Provides mutual support, in practical and personal areas of your PhD journey

Mindfulness Based Living Course

Booking: www.nuigstudents.ie/smartlife

Duration: 6 weeks

Date: Tuesday 02/10/18

Time: 1st Group 4:30 – 6:00pm or 2nd Group 6:00pm-7:30pm

Venue: Áras Moyola (Nursing & Health Sciences Building) Room MY127

- Learn skills to address anxiety and stress
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Join The Well Crew Thursday 11th October for a screening in The Hub of a mental health related film. Cast your vote through social media!



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Monday 8th October
5-6:16pm

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- Tools to manage depression, anxiety and stress
- It's accessible on your computer, tablet or mobile phone

PARTICIPATE <https://nuig.participateonline.net>

- is a FREE confidential online CBT-based programme for social anxiety
- includes optional one-to-one tutor support
- proven to be effective



"What's the Tea?"
Baking Society invites you to have a cuppa and chat
Monday 8th October 7-8:30pm
IT 202

Overcoming Worry and Anxiety
PENSA Society
Wednesday 10th 7pm
Concourse



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Mental Health Week with the Societies

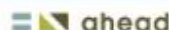
Sports Carnival
Join Malaysian Society and enhance your mental health with sports!
13th October 9am-3pm
Kingfisher

GiGSoc Film Night
Short Film Screenings
LGBT+ Mental Health Support and Services
Wednesday 10th October
7pm-9pm
IT 202

Coming Out Day Coffee
Morning GiGSoc
Fundraising Charity Event
Thursday 11th October
11am-12:30pm
The Art Room
Áras na Mac Léinn

"Add a Buddy to Your Tea"
Join Best Buddies for a cup of tea with Service Users from Ability West and music from Orchestra Soc.
"Take what you need, leave what you can!"
Monday 8th October 12-2pm
The View – Áras na Mac Léinn

Wed 10 Oct



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Special Interest Societies
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What's Happening Guide

Weekly e-mail newsletter and or tune into Flirt FM 4pm Mondays

Societies Calendar

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At the Chaplaincy Centre, the College Chapel provides a quiet space offering tranquility and peace. The College Chapel is open to all denominations.

The Chaplaincy Team are available to listen and to help if you have any troubles or difficulties. We offer an **Open-Door Policy** and are available to support all students in the University. We offer a range of support to help you successfully manage whatever difficulties you experience.

We can be contacted at the Chaplaincy Office, **No. 8 Clifden Road**, located between the AIS bank on Newcastle Rd and the NUI Galway Security Office. For further information email ben.bryden@nuigalway.ie or phone 091 49 5055.



Thu 11 & Wed 17 Oct Career Development Centre

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- ✓ Understand the skills employers are looking for
- ✓ Identify how you can develop them
- ✓ Increase your chances of getting a job.

Book your place on Connect.

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Thu 11 Oct: 12 – 1.30pm, Career Seminar Room

Wed 17 Oct: 12 – 1.30pm, Launchpad (on concourse)



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MONDAY 22ND OCTOBER

DE LUAIN, AN 22 DEIREADH FOMHAIR

6.30pm-8.30pm Screening of "Through our Eyes" with Pádraic McGuinness Society in Kimer Theatre
7.30pm-9.30pm "A Starman" in the G. F. O'Connell Theatre. Two of Galway's favourite local comedians, Dave Bennett & David Sheehan, bring a funny, musical, sometimes scary story to life.

TUESDAY 23RD OCTOBER

DE MAIRT, AN 23 DEIREADH FOMHAIR

4pm-5pm Poetry Slam/Flash Fiction with Writers Soc in the O'Connell Theatre

WEDNESDAY 24TH OCTOBER

DE CEADAIG, AN 24 DEIREADH FOMHAIR

10.15am-1.30pm 30 Anti-Racist Games with Galway One World Centre in The Venue, United Spouse. €5 Register in the 30 in advance.
12pm-4pm Culture Trade Fair in The Cube
4pm-5pm Panel Discussion on Direct Provision in Ireland in RSCA

THURSDAY 25TH OCTOBER

DEARDAIG, AN 25 DEIREADH FOMHAIR

7pm-9pm Screening of "Free CoCo" with Eagles in the Large Lecture Theatre Human Biology Building

ALL WEEK

STAND 368 Festival Garden Phase 2 children outside the Library

More information from "Global Week" online at www.nuigstudents.ie



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Join Societies With Global Interests
Make International Friends
Learn About the Environment
Make a World of a Difference

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NIGHT



BEFORE THE FLOOD

IF YOU COULD KNOW THE TRUTH
ABOUT THE THREAT OF CLIMATE
CHANGE - WOULD YOU WANT TO
KNOW?

OCTOBER 25TH AT 6PM.



Don't forget your student ID in order to use
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Friday!

5-8pm every week

Jump start your weekend with
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tunes.

The Global
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12-3pm every Saturday

Staying in Galway at the weekend?
Join us for food, fun and
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Appendix 5: Society Themed Weeks



The poster features a background image of a crowd at a pride event, with many people holding rainbow flags. At the top, there are three logos: the FEM SOC NUIG logo (a grid of letters with red roses), the GIGSOCIETY logo (stylized pink and blue text), and the Bank of Ireland logo (a blue square with a white harp). The main title 'RAINBOW WEEK' is in large, bold, black letters, with a rainbow arching over the word 'RAINBOW'. Below the title, the events for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday are listed in a typewriter-style font. Each day's event is preceded by a small rainbow heart icon. At the bottom, there is a contact information section in a smaller, all-caps typewriter font.

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NUI GALWAY LGBTQ+ SOCIETY

Bank of Ireland

RAINBOW WEEK

Monday 11th March:
'The Queer Book'
Book Launch
Teach Solais 7-9 PM

♥

Tuesday 12th March:
Poster Making
With FemSoc
Art Room 6-9 PM

♥

Wednesday 13th March:
Pride Parade!
Gathering at Engineering
Building 1:30 PM
Free Food and Speeches in
The Cube until 6 PM

Pride Party
IT202 7-9 PM
Refreshments Provided!

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ONE OF OUR EVENTS BUT ARE WARY, EMAIL US AT
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COMMITTEE WILL BE HAPPY TO MEET YOU BEFOREHAND.



GALWAY

SUMMER DRAMA FESTIVAL

July 19th - 27th 2019

Theatre in the Cube @ NUI Galway



war/war/war Theatre:
From There We Saw The Stars
Friday 19th July @ 1:00pm.
Friday 19th July @ 9:30pm.



Beluga Theatre:
Marty Moncrieff
the Teddy Bear Thief
Saturday 20th July @ 12:30pm.
Sunday 21st July @ 11:00am & @ 1:30pm.



By Eibhleann Caffrey:
Recognition
Saturday 20th July @ 9:30pm.
Monday 22nd July @ 1:00pm.



Little John Nee:
Small Halls & Potholes
Sunday July 21st @ 9:30pm.



Visionation:
Behind Closed Doors
Monday 22nd July @ 6:00pm.
Tuesday 23rd July @ 1:00pm.



Espresso Productions:
The Fashion Show & Shakespeare in Connemara
Monday 22nd Tuesday 23rd & Friday 25th @ 9:30pm.



A Gerry Conneely Production:
The Great Push
Wednesday 24th July @ 1:00pm.
Thursday 25th July @ 4:00pm.



NUI Galway Dramsoc:
Alone It Stands
Wednesday 24th July @ 9:30pm.
Thursday 25th July @ 9:30pm.



Hot Potato Productions:
Just Guff
Saturday 27th July @ 1:00pm.
Saturday 27th July @ 9:00pm.

Cube Theatre, Áras na Mac Léinn, NUI Galway

www.galwaydrama.com for tickets & info,

Box Office: SocsBox, Áras na Mac Léinn NUI Galway

12pm - 5pm & 45 min before each show.

E-mail: galwaydrama@gmail.com

Phone Number: (091) 492 088 or (091) 492 852



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Appendix 6: Press Coverage



PLAYS BY Tom Murphy, Julia Cho, and George Sheils will be performed and seen at Theatre Week, hosted by NUI Galway's Dramsoc, and running on campus from February 18 to 22.

This year's headliners are *The Language Archive* by Julia Cho, directed by Cristina Scobee; *Conversations on a Homecoming* by Tom Murphy, directed by Muireann Kavanagh; and the Jerome Hynes One Act Play Series. Plays will be performed at the Cube Theatre, Áras na Mac Léinn.

Other plays to be performed are *Pigeon Face* by George Sheils, directed by Fiona Weidmann, about a student suffering from an undiagnosed mental health issue causing him to hallucinate; in *Power Play* by Seán Donnelly, directed by Patrick Sweeney, a psychotherapist and his patient find themselves in an unravelling reality as they come to terms with the fact they are fictional; in *Ladies Night* by Nicole Mullan, directed by Cadhla Boyle, a group of young women assemble in the bathroom to discuss their interlinked crises; *Catraz Park*, by Sinead Ryan, directed by Alisha Finnerty, is about an encounter between two statues; *People Are Happy On Trains* by Anna Doyle, directed by Aoife Delaney Reade, is about a young woman struggling with loss through inner thoughts and monologues.

For more information see Dramsoc's Facebook and Instagram.

GUMS to stage classic seventies musical *Pippin*

BY KERNAN ANDREWS

PIPPIN, THE 1972 musical by Stephen Schwartz, best known for the musical *Wicked*, for writing lyrics for the films *Pocahontas* and *Enchanted*, as well as composing the music and lyrics for *The Prince of Egypt*, will be performed in Galway.

Galway University Musical Society will stage

Pippin, its 19th annual show, in the Black Box Theatre from Tuesday February 5 to Saturday 9 at 8pm. "Pippin is an amazing theatrical experience, from the moment the audience sits down to the finale," says GUMS auditor Cian Elwood. "Be prepared to be blown away by the one of the best GUMS' shows to hit the BlackBox stage!"

Pippin, with music and lyrics by Stephen Schwartz, and a book by Roger O Hirson, uses the premise of a mysterious performance troupe, led by a 'leading player', to tell the story of its titular character, a young prince searching for meaning and significance.

Galway University Musical Society is an amateur student society. Its productions have been

nominated for numerous AIMS awards. "GUMS has been rehearsing tirelessly for *Pippin*," says societies officer Riona Hughes. "We are all very excited to see what they have in store for all in the BlackBox."

Tickets are €15/12 from the Town Hall Theatre (091 - 569777, www.tht.ie) or from the Socs Box in NUI Galway.



Galway Advertiser

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July 11 2019

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Festival

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a **Brendan Bowyer**
connection

Joan As Policewoman

set to play Galway International Arts Festival 2019

Photo credit: Aileen Michael O'neill

www.hashtaggalway.ie



Get ready for NUIG's Summer Drama Festival

Galway theatre company's to present shows in The Cube from July 19 to 27

BY KERNAN ANDREWS

Galway Advertiser, Thu, Jul 11, 2019



Members of Visionation, who present *Behind Closed Doors* at the NUI Galway Summer Drama Festival.

LEADING GALWAY theatre practitioners, such as Little John Nee, Gerry Conneely, and Hot Potato Productions, have shows at the new Summer Drama Festival in The Cube, NUI Galway, from July 19 to 27.

The festival is hosted by the NUI Galway Societies Office and the Drama Society. Riona Hughes, NUI Galway Societies Officer and festival director is promising the event will "celebrate a wealth of great Galway drama from students, alumni, and established local theatre practitioners".



Little John Nee will perform *Small Halls and Potholes*, an evening of eccentric songs and strange stories, celebrating all that is "weird and wonderful about the Irish summer" (July 21, 9.30pm). Gerry Conneely [pictured above] will present two one act plays - *Shakespeare in Connemara* and *Fashion Show* (July 22, 23, 26, at 9.30pm), and the one man show, *The Great Push*, based on the experiences of Irish journalist Patrick McGills in WWI (July 24, 1pm and 25, 4pm).

Hot Potato Productions reprise the award-winning *Just Guff*, by Jim Ward, about a dedicated member of a political party who sees his certainty in that party shattered (July 27, 1pm and 9pm); The direct provision system will be explored in Visionation's *Behind Closed Doors*, which was devised with actors who are living in direct provision in Galway (July 22, 6pm, and 23, 1pm).

NUIG Dramsoc will stage John Breen's much loved *Alone It Stands*, exploring Munster's legendary defeat of New Zealand in 1978 (July 24, 25, 9.30pm); Eibhleann Caffrey will stage *Recognition*, focussing on the trials and tribulations of two college students (July 20, 9.30pm; and 22, 1pm); War/war/war student theatre company will stage *From There We Saw The Stars*, inspired by Dante's *Inferno* and exploring ideas of spirituality (July 19, 1pm and 9.30pm). For children there is *Marty Moncrieff the Teddy Bear Thieff* from Beluga Theatre, which is like a cross between *Toy Story* and *Father Ted* (July 20, 12.30pm; July 21, 11am and 1.30pm).

Tickets are €15/€12/€10/€8 and €30 (family ticket) from the box office in the SocsBox, Áras na Mac Léinn, NUI Galway. See www.galwaydrama.com

NUI Galway's Teddy Bear Hospital aims to ease children's fears of doctor visits

Over 1,200 sick teddy bears are expected to be admitted to NUI Galway's Teddy Bear Hospital next week.

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OVER 1,200 SICK teddy bears are expected to be admitted to NUI Galway's Teddy Bear Hospital next week, which is now in its fourteenth year.

Next Thursday and Friday, teddy bears that are under the weather can check in to the hospital accompanied by their minders, 1,200 children from 29 local primary schools.

The aim of the hospital is to help children, ranging in age from 3 to 8-years-old, feel more comfortable around doctors and hospitals.

The event is run every year by NUIG's Sláinte Society with the help of 200 medical, healthcare and science students who diagnose and treat the teddy bears in their care. In previous years, ailments presented have ranged from sore ears to upset tummies.

According to NUI Galway's Societies Officer, Róna Hughes, the Teddy Bear Hospital is a learning experience for both the primary school kids and the NUIG students involved.

"The teddy bear hospital is a magical opportunity for the society to invite the children and their teddies to campus and provide a valuable learning experience for all. It is one of the NUI Galway societies' most colourful and endearing community outreach programme."



Mia from Scoil Mhuire National School, Oranmore, Co. Galway, with teddy bear, mini Mia who is suffering with a sore ear and brown paw.

Image: NUI Galway



Pictured at last year's Teddy Bear Hospital at NUI Galway were (l-r) Ryan, William and Oisín from Kilcroan National School, Ballyglass South, Williamstown, Co. Galway.

Source: NUIG

When the kids arrive with their stuffed animals they will each have a consultation with one of the teddy doctors on call, who will examine the patients and write them a “pawscription”.

The student doctors will have specially designed X-ray and MRI machines on hand, should the teddy bears need them. Bears that are recuperating can avail of the of medical supplies from the Teddy Bear Pharmacy, stocked with healthy fruit.

Second-year Occupational Therapy student, Anna Lynam says that despite the growing demand every year for the teddy bear hospital, the Sláinte Society tries to include as many schools as possible.

“We are conscious that each and every teddy bear in Galway deserves the best care and are eagerly awaiting the arrival of our first patients and hope to present an atmosphere of fun, enthusiasm and encouragement for all.”

NUI Galway medical students celebrate fourteen years of Teddy Bear Hospital next week

Galway Advertiser, Thu, Jan 10, 2019



The 14th annual Teddy Bear Hospital at NUI Galway will take place Thursday January 17 and Friday 18.

The event will see more than 1,200 sick teddy bears admitted to the hospital, accompanied by their minders, 1,200 primary school children.

The event is organised by the Sláinte Society, NUI Galway's health promotion society that focuses on promoting all aspects of physical and mental health. Up to 200 medical, healthcare and science students will diagnose and treat the teddy bears.

In the process, they hope to help children, ranging in age from three to eight years, feel more comfortable around doctors and hospitals.

Over the years, children have come along with teddy bears suffering from an imaginative range of sore ears, sick tummies, and all kinds of other weird and wonderful ailments.

Anna Lynam, a second year occupational therapy student at NUI Galway and co-auditor of Sláinte Society, said: "We are so excited to welcome the 14th annual Teddy Bear Hospital this year. Despite the ever-growing demand from schools to attend the event, we strive to include as many schools as possible; conscious that each and every teddy bear in Galway deserves the best care. We are eagerly awaiting the arrival of our first 'patients' and hope to present an atmosphere of fun, enthusiasm and encouragement for all."

This year, 29 local primary schools are participating in the event. On arrival at the Teddy Bear Hospital on campus, the children each have an individual consultation with one of the teddy doctors on call. The patients will be examined by the doctors and will receive a 'pawscription' and referral to surgery or x-ray.

The students will have specially designed X-ray and MRI machines on hand, should the teddy bears need them. Recuperating teddy bears can avail of medical supplies from the Teddy Bear Pharmacy, stocked with healthy fruit from Total Produce and Fyffes, along with medical supplies sponsored by Matt O'Flaherty Chemist.

After all this excitement the children can enjoy a bouncy castle and entertainment from NUI Galway's Circus Society. Sponsorship for the event comes from Bank of Ireland, Medical Protection Society, and Dunnes Stores.

Róna Hughes, NUI Galway's societies officer, said: "The Teddy Bear Hospital is a magical opportunity for the society to invite the children and their teddies to campus and provide a valuable learning experience for all. It is one of the NUI Galway societies' most colourful and endearing community outreach programme and we are thrilled with its success. Congratulations to Sláinte Society who engage such a large number of our students in this event for such a positive purpose and we look forward to a rewarding few days for all involved."

Ireland's first Traveller student society launches at NUIG

[25 April, 2019](#) 0 Briain Kelly

Members of the Travelling community officially launched the first Traveller student society in Ireland at NUIG this week.

The Minceir Whiden Society was co-founded this year by Traveller students at NUI Galway and the Galway Traveller Movement.

'Minceir Whiden' means 'Travellers Talking' in the Cant language, which is spoken by the Irish Travelling community.

Riona Hughes, Societies Officer at [NUI Galway](#) said the university was delighted to make this addition to its roll of societies.

"We look forward to many collaborations and to support inclusion in third level and look forward to a productive year for the society. Congratulations to all the students involved in the initiative," she added.

The society's goals include increasing the number of people from the travelling community participating in higher education and making campus a welcoming space.

At present, just 1% of the travelling community hold a third-level qualification, with just 9% of Traveller children completing the Leaving Certificate compared to 86% of the settled population.

NUIG student Owen Ward said it is of "paramount importance" to build positive alliances and relationships between Traveller students and other students and staff at the university, and with the wider community.

Appendix 7: Society Training

Society Training September 2018

Tuesday 18th

6pm – 7pm **Societies 101**: how to use the dashboard, the SocsBox and the USCG (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

7pm – 9pm **Secretary**: The role of the secretary, managing meetings and taking minutes. (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

7pm – 9pm **Leadership Skills**: How to be an Auditor/Vice Auditor, Leadership and creating an effective team, leadership styles, setting aims and goals. Chairing skills and effective meetings. (Large Lecture Theatre, Human Biology Building)

Wednesday 19th

All training cancelled in the interest of safety. Rescheduled for Thursday as below.

Thursday 20th

6pm – 8pm **Event Organising & Health & Safety**: How to organise events, create safety statements and adhere to best practice in health and safety. (Large Lecture Theatre, Human Biology Building)

6pm - 7:30pm **Conflict Resolution** how to deal with conflict. (Aras Ui Chathail, Lecture Hall)

6pm – 8pm **Treasurer**: Managing your money, using the finance website and balancing your books. (There will be one to one sessions later) (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

7 30pm - 9pm **PRO: Effective Marketing**, promoting your society on and off campus, creating digital content. (Large Lecture Theatre, Human Biology Building)

7 30pm - 9pm **Societies 101**: how to use the dashboard, the SocsBox and the USCG (repeat) (Large Lecture Theatre, Human Biology Building)

8pm-9pm **Fundraising**: How to fund your great ideas, the schedule of allowances (society grant), getting sponsorship and fundraising ideas the do's and don'ts. (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

Friday 21st

*Friday sessions are all repeats of the sessions earlier in the week)

12 pm – 1.30pm

Employability Award, how prepared are you, what is your leadership style, how can you add this award to your portfolio. (This is one of the requirements for the Employability Award, your additional society training is also and your work with societies, so you will have 3/5 of the award completed. Apply for the award through yourspace.nuigalway.ie.) (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

2pm – 4pm

***Secretary**: The role of the secretary, managing meetings and taking minutes. (Bailey Allen A)

***Leadership Skills**: How to be an Auditor/Vice Auditor, Leadership and creating an effective team, leadership styles, setting aims and goals. Chairing skills and effective meetings. (Bailey Allen B)

***Event Organising & Health & Safety**: How to organise events, create safety statements and adhere to best practice in health and safety. (Bailey Allen C)

***Treasurer**: Managing your money, using the finance website and balancing your books. (There will be one to one sessions later) (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

4pm – 5.30pm

Employability Award, how prepared are you, what is your leadership style, how can you add this award to your portfolio. (repeat)
(Bailey Allen A)

***Fundraising:** How to fund your great ideas, the schedule of allowances (society grant), getting sponsorship and fundraising ideas the do's and don't's. (Bailey Allen B)

***PRO: Effective Marketing**, promoting your society on and off campus, creating digital content. (Bailey Allen C)

5.30pm – 6.30pm

***Societies 101:** how to use the dashboard, the SocsBox and the
USCG (Bailey Allen A)

***Conflict Resolution** how to deal with conflict. (Bailey Allen B) **Smart**

Consent: This workshop will help you explore all the different
dimensions of consent. (Aras Ui Cathail, Lecture Hall)

The Hub and the WELL Crew society opportunities and how to make your society an inclusive and supportive space. (Bailey Allen C)

Friday Attendees who register will get a food voucher for SULT. Pizza will be served at the mid-week training please register.

Appendix 8: Bank of Ireland Bursary

The bursary, worth €10,000, promotes the valuable work of student societies, enhancing the student experience and enriching the wider community. The aim of the award is to support the societies in organising events of social, cultural, humanitarian and educational importance. €5000 goes to direct grants to the society and €5000 towards the Society End of Year Awards. Thanks to both the Bank of Ireland and to Galway University Foundation for supporting the work of societies.

Congrats!

*Bank of Ireland
Bursary
2018-2019
Winners*

Slainte €1000

Cumann	GUMS €650
Gaelach €550	Best Buddies €600
Orchestra €300	Dramsoc €300
Impacte €300	Pakistani €300
Journalism €250	Islamic €250
Comedy €250	GiGSoc €250

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Bursary Winners

Appendix 9: Alive Report

Alive is NUI Galway's dedicated programme to connect students with volunteering opportunities. ALIVE harness, support and reward students' voluntary activity across the university campus, Galway city and wider communities to develop their own practical skills and civic awareness.

This year 387 society members completed their President's Award (ALIVE Cert), which amounted to 54% of the overall number of students who completed the cert. Between those students they contributed 54,067 hours. This is equivalent to approximately 56 full time workers during term time.

We have 117 active societies with 1069 committee members. On average societies have an average of 2500.

71 committee members who completed their ALIVE application also received the addition of the Society Leadership Award. To receive a leadership award the society and the person must meet certain eligibility requirements in addition to completing their ALIVE cert. The Leadership Programme requires societies to set goals, attend training, achieve a certain level of activity and membership and fulfill set criterion.

61 society members from 34 societies completed the Employability Award. The Employability award is in its second year running, the programme leverages existing supports with new initiatives, providing a framework to help students develop and articulate their employability.

Appendix 10: Society Digital Badges

Society Digital Badges



Digital badges are an online method of recognising, accrediting and displaying achievements, skills or participation. The Society badges received by our members acts as a verifiable record of their participation as a society committee member.

The badge can be claimed via a link that gives access to the Open Badges Passport, a mini e-portfolio system where one can store and display badges online. In practice, one can collect badges from multiple organisations, store the badges online and display them as one choose, eg. on website, social network or blog.

How to Earn Your Badge

Each individual elected committee member must:

Complete the end of year reflection and committee member survey
Leadership badge requirements:

- Hold one of the core committee positions: Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer
- Have or be entitled to 2 team badge one must be for a named committee position with specific duties (not OCM) and you must have attended training. (does not have to be the same society)
- Hold 3 team badge as OCM for at least 2 consecutive years, you must have attended training in one of the years (does not have to be the same society)

Team badge requirements:

- Hold any non core position on a society committee

Each badge contains the year it was issued, more details of the societies level of activity can be found in the specific year book at this link <https://socs.nuigalway.ie/page.php?id=NA==>

Appendix 11: Spring Launch

The Spring Launch was held on 22nd January 2019 in the Cube. It featured a performance from the Musical Society's upcoming production of *Pippin*. The Bank of Ireland bursary winners were announced and their pictures were taken. NUI Galway President Ciarán Ó hÓgartaigh, Head of Student Services John Hanon and Societies Officer Riona Hughes helped launch the spring semester.

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SOCIETIES FAIR

22.01.19
10AM - 5PM
BAILEY ALLEN HALL

Meet our 125 student societies!



SPRING LAUNCH

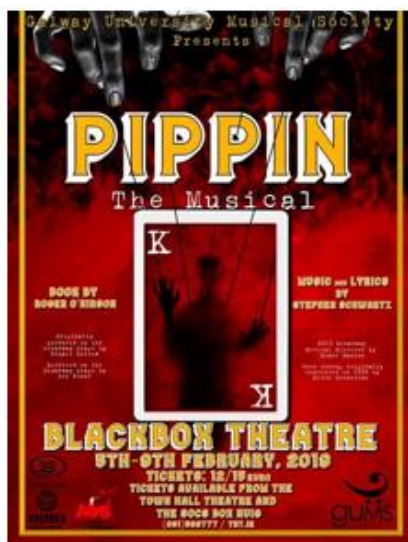
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THE CUBE

Our societies will showcase their upcoming events, featuring performances from the Musical Society. Refreshments provided.



SOCS NEWS

What's happening in societies this Spring get all the news.



Pippin the Musical

This Year's Musical Society production is Pippin runs in The Black Box Theatre from February 5th to 6th!!!! This fantastical, and hypnotically mysterious show is a must see event. Tickets are on sale now from The Socs Box NUI Galway and The Town Hall Theatre and on line at tht.ie. Join us. We've got Magic to Do. Pippin is a 1972 musical with music and lyrics by Stephen Schwartz and a book by Roger O. Hirson. The musical uses the premise of a mysterious performance troupe, led by a Leading Player, to tell the story of Pippin, a young prince on his search for meaning and significance.

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SocsBox Open Monday – Friday
The Hub open seven days



Societies Day Sept 2018, remember you can also join societies in yourspace.nuigalway.ie any time.

Bank of Ireland Bursary Awards

The Bank of Ireland Bursary promotes the valuable work of Student Societies, enhancing the student experience and enriching the wider community. The aim of the award is to support the societies in organising events of social, cultural, humanitarian and educational importance which enhance the community and enrich the society experience. Events with creativity and originality are particularly encouraged.

This year the bursary funded ten societies' events. In first semester, IMPACTE Society hosted an exhibition entitled "Explaining The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) Through the Lens of a Camera". This aimed to help highlight the lives of those with disabilities and advocate on their behalf. Just before Christmas, Orchestra Society played their annual winter concert to a packed audience in St Nicholas' Collegiate Church. The event was in aid of our Draiocht Society.

Early in Semester Two, Slainte Society hosted their annual Teddy Bear Hospital with over 1000 children participating and learning about what happens in a hospital if they get sick. Comedy Soc launched their 'January Laughs' comedy series showcasing a number of local Galway comedians.

Still to come are several more exciting events throughout the rest of Semester 2. These include Dramsoc's Theatre Week 18th – 22nd Feb. and GUMS' main musical production of 'Pippin'. Cumann Gaelach are organising their largest Seachtain na Gaeilge yet, which aims to encourage more people to speak the Irish language at their own pace. Our Pakistani Soc will be sharing their culture with campus during their cultural night and Islamic Society

are hosting a charity dinner. The last event to take place will be the Best Buddies Ball which celebrates the work of their volunteers and their buddy's throughout the year.

The Bursary also provides funding for the Society Annual Awards on March 28th.

The Bursaries are:

Slainte (€1000) - Teddy Bear Hospital
GUMS (€650) - Pippin The Musical
Best Buddies (€600) - Best Buddies Ball
Cumann Gaelach (€550) - Seachtain na Gaeilge
Orchestra (€300) - NUIG Orchestra Society's Winter Concert
Dramsoc (€300) - Theatre Week
IMPACTE (€250) - Explaining The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) through the lens of a camera
Pakistani (€300) - Pakistani Cultural Night
Islamic (€250) - Charity Dinner
Comedy (250) - January Laughs

Cheersoc Win Gold



The NUI Galway Cheerleading Society team "Tribes Ireland" with 13 NUI Galway and 4 GMT students, won 1st place in the International elite small co ed division at the UCA College Cheerleading World Championships in Disney Orlando this week, and they ranked 5th in the Nations Cup, against teams from all over the globe.

Arts Office Exhibition



James Fleming: *Swans in the Quad*

To celebrate the coming of Spring the Arts Office is hosting a one day exhibition as part of the Societies Spring Fair in the foyer of Áras na Mac Léinn. Featuring work by Sue Mills and James Fleming. Sue mainly draws her inspiration from the bog lands environment in which she lives in the West of Ireland. Irish language / Art / Dance / Music seem to be the direct manifestation of the effects of the mountains and the North Atlantic coast. James uses reclaimed materials to create fantastic creatures who will inhabit the inside and the outside of the building.

Music Engineering Course Starting

For anyone interested in music the Societies Office is running a course join us at an info session on Thursday 24th January in the new band Room to find out more. It will be an 8 week intensive, but fun course in Audio Engineering, covering all styles of music. You will learn to set up, record, mix, edit and master your or a band's music. We have top of the range professional equipment. The course facilitator is Ray Diamond.

UNIVERSITY SOCIETY COORDINATION GROUP

Brandon Walsh this year's Societies Chairperson and Ruth Sweeney, last year's Societies Chairperson hanging out with some other chairs (photo below). The USCG is the University Societies Co-Ordination Group, which meets throughout the semester to give student and staff representatives a chance to discuss how best to assist the Societies in fulfilling their aims and, in doing so, to develop and facilitate social and community life in the University. They review constitutional amendments, consider new societies for recognition, oversee funding and promote societies interests on campus. The Student Reps are: Artistic & Performance: Felipe Loughran Ponce, Social and Cultural: Ruth Sweeney, Academic: Owen Higgins, Special Interest: Chris Kelly, Lifestyle and Wellbeing: Kate Wylie, Religious and Volunteering: Paige Donnelly. If you would like to be Social Action and Political Rep let the SocsBox know. Reps for 2019/20 will be elected this Semester.



Its Ball Season in NUI Galway

It is that time of year when the students put on their finery and attend the three largest society balls. The Commerce ball organized by Biz Soc has a carnival theme this year and takes place in the Galmont Hotel on January 23rd. The Engineering and Nursing Ball hosted by Eng Soc will take place on January 30th also in The Galmont Hotel and this year's theme is 'That 70's Ball'. The Arts Ball will take place on February 6th in the Galway Bay Hotel.



Theatre Week '19

Dramsoc host Theatre Week 18th - 22nd of February which will include the popular Jerome Hynes One Act Play Series which sees new writers bring their work to the stage on 21st and 22nd Feb. Dramsoc will also present 'Conversations on a Home Coming' by Tom Murphy directed by Muireann Doherty from 19th - 21st Feb and 'The Language Archive' by Julia Cho directed by Christina Scobee. Theatre Week is one of the recipients of the Bank of Ireland Bursary Award.

WRITERS SOC 'UNSEEN'

On Tuesday February 12th in AC215 In this publication they are asking people to explore their inner emotions and thoughts that the world does not often see. So get your submissions in for their latest publication. They are hosting a Comedy sketch night on the 31st January in AC215 from 7pm-9pm for mental health week. This will be a night of fun. They also have a guest talk from the poet Louis De Paor. This will take place in AC215 on 7th February from 7pm - 9pm.

CLASSIC SOC PRESENT AGAMEMNON TODAY

Classics Society host actor and director William Mann who will perform the ancient play Agamemnon. It is considered to be one of the best works of the play writer Aeschylus and has lost nothing of its significance in the modern world. It will be performed as a one-man-show in the Cube at 3pm on Tuesday the 22nd of January. The entry fee is 7€ for students and staff and 10€ for everyone else.

How many Socs can you fit into a mini?



We have it from reliable source that 28 people fit in a mini so if everyone was wearing socs it would be 56 socs. Here in NUI Galway we have 1 societies so that would take four and a half Minis for the chairperson from each society. But if you decided to fit all of the committee members in Minis (not sure why you would want to do this) you would need 36 Minis as we have over 10 committee members in our societies. The Societies in NUI Galway aim to bring an array of events to you each semester. Last Year Societies Organised 28 events the majority were on campus with Wednesday being the busiest day. Check out the full list of societies below that we have divided into inter groups. Join as many as you like on either of the societies days or by logging into your personal dashboard with your ID and password on yourspace.nuigalway.ie

Academic Societies

Archaeology, Astronomy, Bio-Med, Botany, Business, Business Analytics, Chemistry, Classics, Cumann Staire, Emergency Medicine, Energy, Engineering, Finance, French, Gaeil, German, Health Care Society, Italian, Journalism, Law, Marine, Maths, Medicine, Microbiology, Neuro, Nursing, Occupational Therapy, Paediatric, Philosophy, Physics, Psychiatry, Psychological, Spanish, Speech & Language, Surgical, Zoological.

Artistic and Performing Societies

Art, Choral, Circus, Comedy, Cumann Dramaíocht, Dramsoc, DJ, Dramsoc, Film, Music, Musical (GUM), Orchestra, Photography, Radio, Rock, Trad Soc, Writers.

Lifestyle and Wellbeing

Baking, Bike Gang, Cheerleading, Environmental Society, Healthy Hearts, Lotus, Niteline, Organic Gardening, Rover, Sewing Soc, Slainte, Strength Soc, Style, Veg Soc.

Social and Cultural

African Caribbean, Chinese, Cumann Gaelach, GIG (Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender +), IMPACTE, India Society, International Student Society, Literary and Debating, Malaysian Society, Mature Students, Mincéirí Whidén, Pakistani Society, Russian, Saudi Soc.

Social Action and Political Societies

Amnesty, AMSI, Choice, Cumann de Barra (Fianna Fail), Entrepreneurship, Faillte Refugees, Feminist, Labour Party, Life, Sinn Féin, Social Democrats, Students for Sensible Drug Policy (SSDP), Young Fine Gael.

Special Interest Societies

American Football, Anime & Manga, Chess, Computer, Drone Soc, Fantasy & Science Fiction, Irish Sign Language, Karting, Poker, Quiz Soc, Time Lord, Video Games

Volunteering and Religious Societies

Anaphora Orthodox Christian Fellowship, Best Buddies, Cancer Society, Cath Society, Dochas Christian Society, Draíocht, Enactus, FLAC, Friends of MSF, Islamic Society, PÉNSA, St Vincent de Paul, Voluntary Services Abroad