University Name : University College Cork (UCC), Ireland: Certificate in Social Citizenship

Short Description of University : UCC has 2 inclusive programmes: The Certificates in Social Citizenship (below) and Disability-Inclusive Practice (https://joinin.education/university/university-college-cork-ucc-2nd-programme/).

Established in 1845, UCC is set on 42 acres of wooded ground, 10 minutes' walk from Cork city centre. It is placed in the top 1.1% of universities globally by the QS World University Rankings. It is a vibrant and open campus with a student population of over 23,000. See https://www.ucc.ie/en/discover/

Themes of Interest : Creative Arts,Disability & Advocacy Studies,Health,Information Technologies (IT),Social & Citizenship Studies,Sports,Education,Science

Approx. Number of Students : 20

Required Minimum Age : 18

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Country : IE

University Type : public

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Name of IPSE Programme : Certificate in Social Citizenship

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Short Description of IPSE Programme : The Certificate in Social Citizenship is a one-year course. Classes take place 3 days per week from September to April, followed by a 3-month work placement. Students develop skills to promote self-reliance and independence.

The course is underpinned by a rights-based agenda, and provides opportunities for co-learning between students with and without disabilities, for mutual benefit. This promotes awareness raising and reciprocal learning.

Detailed Description of Programme : What Is The Certificate in Social Citizenship (CSC)?

The Certificate in Social Citizenship (CSC) is a two-year part-time programme. Students develop skills to promote increased self-reliance and independence. This allows them to become more involved in all aspects of life.

The programme is underpinned by the values of respect, recognition of diversity and inclusivity, and is informed by a rights-based agenda.

The course provides opportunities for interaction between CSC students and students on other university programmes. This creates spaces for awareness-raising and reciprocal learning, enriches the university as a whole, and enhances campus and community engagement.

What Will Students Be Studying?

1. Core Modules

These modules are taken only with other students from the Certificate in Social Citizenship only.

Subects include:

- Transition Into College
- Information and Communication Technology
- Social and Cultural Studies

- Personal, Social and Civic Engagement
- Identity, Expression and Rights
- Transition Onwards

2. Co-Learning Modules

These modules are taken with students from other courses around the university.

Students choose one of the following study areas:

- Performing Arts
- People and Diversity
- Health and Wellbeing
- Sustainable Living
- Including Children
- The World Around Us

3. Work Placement

Students spend 3 months on a paid placement doing work experience.

What Will Students Do On Campus?

College life is not just about studying! There are lots of interesting Clubs and Societies which CSC students are welcome to join. Students are encouraged to explore activities that interest them, and every effort is made to support them in participating in the clubs and societies they choose. Some of our students are very successful Special Olympians who balance their sporting lives with their studies.

Number of IPSE Students : 15 each year

Required Minimum Age : 18

Next Programme Start : 02/09/2024

Duration of Programme : 2 years

Workload : part-time

Summer Programme : ×

Summer Programme Description :

Deadline to apply to this programme : 07/05/2024

Tuition Fees per Year : 2000-2000

Types of Courses : hybrid

Who provides Funding for the Programme? :

Career Development Activities during the Programme :

Social Activities available : ✔

Housing is provided to Students : ×