



OLLSCOIL NA
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UNIVERSITY
OF GALWAY

An tIonad Forbartha Gairmeacha
Career Development Centre

Guidance | Opportunities | Employability



Build Your Talent Pipeline
Engage, Insight & Recruit



At the University of Galway **Career Development Centre**, we connect employers with a diverse pool of students and recent graduates, helping you build a strategic talent pipeline that meets your recruitment needs, whether you're hiring locally, nationally, or internationally.

Our expert team offers **tailored services** to ensure your recruitment efforts are efficient and impactful:

- **Strategic Recruitment Advice** to align your hiring process with your organisational goals
- **Employer Engagement** through presentations, recruitment events, and networking opportunities
- **Graduate & Internship Advertising** to promote your vacancies to the right candidates
- **Exclusive Access to all students** and recent graduates (up to three years post-graduation)
- **Increased Brand Visibility** on campus, positioning your organisation as an employer of choice
- **Diversity, Equality & Inclusion support**, helping you attract & hire candidates from diverse backgrounds

Partner with us to access top talent and enhance your brand presence at the University of Galway.





4 Colleges



19 Schools



60+ Academic Disciplines

Colleges and Schools

College of Arts, Social Sciences and Celtic Studies

- School of Education
- School of Geography, Archaeology & Irish Studies
- School of English and Creative Arts
- School of History and Philosophy
- School of Languages, Literatures and Cultures
- School of Political Science and Sociology
- School of Psychology

College of Business, Public Policy and Law

- J.E. Cairnes School of Business and Economics
- School of Law
- Shannon College of Hotel Management

College of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences

- School of Health Sciences
- School of Medicine
- School of Nursing and Midwifery

College of Science and Engineering

- School of Chemistry
- School of Mathematics, Statistics and Applied Mathematics
- School of Natural Sciences
- School of Physics
- School of Engineering
- School of Computer Science

Acadamh na hOllscolaíochta Gaeilge Centre for Adult Learning and Professional Development



Click the icon above to search the courses on offer within the University.

Flagship Events & Career Fairs

Event	Date	Who will you meet?	Cost
Semester 1			
<u>Graduate Jobs Fair</u>	Tuesday, 23 September 2025	All Disciplines, Undergraduates and Postgraduates	€650
<u>Law Careers Fair</u>	Tuesday, 7 October 2025	All Disciplines, UG & PG , majority Law and Business	€650
Accountancy, Business & Finance Series - Jobs Market	Wednesday, 8 October 2025	UG & PG students of the J.E. Cairnes School of Business & Economics	€300
Accountancy, Business & Finance Series - Industry Insight events & Mock Interviews	Multiple dates September/ October 2025	UG & PG students of the J.E. Cairnes School of Business & Economics	FREE
Semester 2			
<u>Internship & Graduate Jobs Fair</u>	Tuesday, 27 January 2026	All Disciplines, Undergraduates and Postgraduates	€650
Global Jobs Market	Tuesday, 24 February 2026	All disciplines, meet with students interested in pursuing careers globally.	€150
Science & Engineering Series - Jobs Market	Tuesday, 3 March 2026	UG & PG students of the College of Science & Engineering.	€300
Science & Engineering Series - Industry Insight & Mock Interviews	Multiple dates February/ March 2026	UG & PG students of the College of Science & Engineering	FREE

Flagship Career Fairs

Each year, we host a series of high-impact careers fairs, offering employers the chance to connect directly with University of Galway students and graduates. These events are a great way to raise your organisation's profile on campus and engage with future talent across a wide range of disciplines.

Semester 1:

Graduate Jobs Fair - Tuesday, 23rd September 2025

Meet over 3,500 final-year students and recent graduates from all subject areas. This fair regularly features 100+ exhibitors from multinationals, SMEs, public and voluntary sectors. A key event for organisations recruiting for graduate roles. **Bookings now open.**

Law Careers Fair - Tuesday, 7th October 2025

Target over 4,000 students and graduates interested in careers in Law and Business. This is a valuable opportunity to engage with future legal professionals and business graduates as you build your recruitment pipeline for 2026. **Bookings now open.**

Semester 2:

Internship & Graduate Jobs Fair - Tuesday, 27th January 2026

Connect with motivated students seeking internships, placements, and graduate roles across all disciplines. Ideal for employers offering structured work experience or project-based opportunities.

Bookings open Autumn 2025.

BOOK NOW



Enquire now...

Get in touch with us on **091-492133** or **employers@universityofgalway.ie**

Industry Insights & Mock Interviews

....get your whole team involved!



We are excited to invite **employers (HR, Team Leaders, Subject Experts)** and **alumni** to participate in upcoming career events aimed at providing valuable career insights and information to students.



Your involvement can make a significant impact on their career development, you will see **a difference in their industry understanding, tailored job applications and interview skills.**

- **Mock Interviews**
- **Industry Insights/Presentations**
- **Panel Discussions**
- **Group Activities** - Case studies, competitions, Hackathons, etc



Your participation in these events will not only benefit our students, but also provides you with an opportunity to connect with emerging talent, contribute to the community, and enhance your organisation's visibility on campus.



We appreciate your willingness to support our students' career journeys and look forward to your involvement in these impactful events.

Please fill out your preference and details in [this form](#) and a member of the Careers Team will be in touch.

Employer of the Week

The Employer of the Week initiative offers a limited number of Graduate recruiters the opportunity to gain exclusive access to University of Galway students throughout the Academic year.

This exclusive package offers unprecedented reach and access to our student body. You will enjoy the following benefits:

- **Showcase Event** - showcase/ informational stand located in a prominent on-campus location with high student footfall (Wednesday from 12-2pm).
- **On-Campus Display Advertising** - including Career Development Centre digital screen; CDC jobs wall takeover and pop-up/ brochure display in the CDC.
- **Headline feature on our targeted emails** - to student groups of your choosing from our carefully selected target segments.
- **Branded social media posts** featuring key messaging of your choice (2 posts in total across LinkedIn or Instagram) and Instagram stories on the day of your showcase.
- **Preferential bookings & stand allocation** for our flagship fairs/ events throughout the 2025/26 academic year.

This package is competitively priced at €600 Ex VAT.

Available dates - Semester 1:

1. w/c 15th September 2025
2. w/c 29th September 2025
3. w/c 6th October 2025 (**Law Week**)
4. w/c 13th October 2025
5. w/c 20th October 2025
6. w/c 3rd November 2025

Available dates - Semester 2:

1. w/c 12th January 2026
2. w/c 19th January 2026
3. w/c 9th February 2026
4. w/c 16th February 2026
5. w/c 23rd February 2026
6. w/c 2nd March 2026 (**Eng Week**)
7. w/c 9th March 2026

Book now...

Get in touch with us on 091-492133 or employers@universityofgalway.ie



Work Placements

Partner with the University of Galway for Top Talent

At the University of Galway, we are dedicated to enhancing our students employability through **accredited work placements**. Over **2,000 students** across 91% of our undergraduate and postgraduate programmes gain real-world experience, with placements contributing to their Degree or Masters qualification.

By partnering with us, you **access a pipeline of talented graduates** ready to make an impact. Our students are flexible, offering both remote and on-site options, while our experienced placement officers provide full support to meet your recruitment needs.

Interns bring fresh perspectives, cost-effective solutions, and **promote your brand within our vibrant community of 19,000 students**.

Scan for our guide, showcasing over 60 programmes and details on our placement process.



Find out more...

Get in touch with us on **091-493646** or **placement@universityofgalway.ie**

Advertise & Interview for Your Vacancies

The Career Development Centre offers employers the opportunity to promote job vacancies and connect with motivated students eager to explore career options.

Careers Connect

Advertise your vacancies on the University of Galway's careers portal, Careers Connect—free for positions targeting students and recent graduates (less than 3 years' experience). You can post internships, graduate roles, part-time, seasonal, and contract positions. Simply log in or **create an employer profile** to get started on [Careers Connect](#)

University of Galway Jobs Wall

We offer free space in the CDC reception to display job posters (A4, single-sided PDF). Reach high foot traffic and engage students directly. Email your poster to Employers@universityofgalway.ie

Interview Facilities

Host interviews on campus at no charge. We can arrange one-on-one or panel interviews, subject to availability.

Targeted Email Campaigns

We send targeted emails to specific student groups for two employers per week. This service is limited, with terms and conditions applying.

Social Media

Tag us in LinkedIn or X posts about your vacancies for a share or retweet.



Find out more...

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Sponsorship Packages

At the University of Galway, we highly value all forms of employer engagement, industry insights, and the sharing of career readiness and employability skills. While most employer engagement opportunities are free, choosing to sponsor an event is entirely at the discretion of the company. Our flexible sponsorship packages are designed to connect you with top talent, while ensuring your investment aligns with your recruitment goals. All funds raised are reinvested into enhancing employability programmes and employer networking opportunities for our 20,000+ students.

Sponsorship Opportunities:

University of Galway Careers Fair

- Prime stand location for maximum student engagement
- Co-branding across all promotional materials, digital ads, and the University Careers Portal
- Targeted pre-event email promotion
- Opportunity to host a skills-based workshop in Semester 1

Employer Networking Events

- Exclusive branding across event materials and digital platforms
- Engage with students while we manage event logistics
- Social media exposure across LinkedIn, Instagram, and Twitter

Innovative Sponsorship Ideas

- Networking Refreshments: Sponsor tea, coffee, and pastries for students after Industry Insights events
- Employability Skills Booklets: Sponsor a year's supply of CV, Interview Skills, and Job Search guides, with your branding featured

Maximised ROI

Our tailored packages align with your recruitment goals, ensuring your investment enhances both your brand visibility and students' employability skills. All funds are reinvested into developing career programmes, benefiting both your company and our student community.

Pricing

Customised pricing and sponsorship packages tailored to align with employer budgets and specific needs.

Find out more...

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