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The Bachelor of Arts (Mathematics and Education) is a four-year undergraduate programme that offers the perfect blend of mathematical training and teaching expertise. Whether your goal is to inspire students as a mathematics and applied mathematics teacher, or to work in Ireland or abroad as a mathematician in diverse industries, this unique programme equips you with the knowledge and skills to succeed globally.

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An education degree equips you with the skills to teach as well as a broad set of skills including critical thinking, communication, organisation, problem-solving, and empathy. These skills are valuable, not only in education, but in almost any career.

Launch your Teaching Career:

Teach mathematics and applied mathematics anywhere in the world, with a Teaching Council of Ireland accredited teaching degree.

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Launch a Career as a Mathematician:

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Graduate Profiles

Dean Kenny (BME Graduate and SU President 2023 - 2024)

“Coming from a small secondary school to such a large institution, at first I was a little apprehensive about starting out at University. The small class size of the BME really helped me to make friends and get to grips with starting out in college, we quickly became a really tight knit group, and I would not have succeeded at University if it were not for this sense of community I felt as a result of this. Having such regular face time with lecturers also really helped, as any issues or problems are sorted out straight away, which would not be the case in a larger course, where lecturers might not even know your name. The BME is a fantastic course, with a clear focus on producing top class educators, and the placement right throughout the degree really helps students put the lecture material into practice regularly. I can say for certain I would not be the person I am today, if it were not for the support and guidance I received during my studies in the BME programme.”

Ciara Quinlivan (Maths Teacher)

“I am a graduate of the BA Mathematics and Education programme in the University of Galway. I am very happy that I chose this course as I really enjoyed the programme and enjoyed the elements of maths, education and different placements. To have both the opportunity to work as a Mathematics and Applied Mathematics teacher as well as the opportunity to work in industry as a mathematician gives graduates of this programme wider opportunities.”

Matthew Tierney (CSM Graduate, Galway Footballer, Captain of 2022 University of Galway Sigerson Cup winning team)

This course has been excellent, with fun, interactive lectures which have a mix of both theory and practical work. During placement I got a first-hand experience about what it's like to be a fully qualified second level teacher. Studying at University of Galway has given me an excellent opportunity to balance my football training with my studies, all-in-all it has been a super experience.



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