



LIT

LIMERICK INSTITUTE
OF TECHNOLOGY

IRELAND

Guide for International Students

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Undergraduate Programmes

LIMERICK SCHOOL OF ART & DESIGN

FIRST YEAR ART & DESIGN (COMMON ENTRY) + One of the 8 courses below:

Painting BA (Honours) in Fine Art

Photography, Film, Video BA (Honours) in Fine Art

Print Contemporary Practice BA (Honours) in Fine Art

Sculpture & Combined Media BA (Honours) in Fine Art

Ceramics BA (Honours) in Design

Animation & Motion Design BA (Honours) in Design

Graphic Design Communication BA (Honours) in Design

Fashion BA (Honours) in Design

DEPARTMENT OF DESIGN

Fashion & Textiles for Product & Costume BA (Honours) in Design

Game Art & Design BSc (Honours)

Creative Media & Design BSc (Honours)

Digital Animation Production BSc (Honours)

Creative Broadcast & Film Production BSc (Honours)

Music Technology Production BSc (Honours)

Visual Effects for Film, TV & Animation BSc (Honours)

Art & Design Teacher Education BEd (Honours)

FACULTY OF BUSINESS & HUMANITIES

DEPARTMENT OF SPORT, LEISURE & TOURISM

Business Studies with Event Management BA (Honours)

Business Studies with Travel & Tourism Management BA (Honours)

Business Studies with Beauty & Spa Management BA (Honours)

Hospitality Supervision BA

Culinary Arts BA

Business Studies with Sports Management BA (Honours)

Sports Strength & Conditioning BSc (Honours)

Community Sports Development BA

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS & FINANCIAL SERVICE

Business BBs (Honours)

Accounting & Finance BBs (Honours)

Law & Taxation BBs (Honours)

Business with Computing BBs (Honours)

DEPARTMENT OF MARKETING, ENTERPRISE & DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS

Digital Marketing BBs (Honours)

Marketing & Management BBs (Honours)

Enterprise & Innovation BBs (Honours)

DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED SOCIAL SCIENCES

Community Development BA (Honours)

Social Care Work BA (Honours)

Early Childhood Education & Care BA (Honours)

FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE, ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED SCIENCES

Applied Biology BSc

Bioanalysis & Biotechnology BSc (Honours)

Biotechnology with Biopharmaceutical Science BSc (Honours)

Clinical Technology BSc (Honours)

Medical Technology BSc

Drug & Medicinal Product Analysis BSc (Honours)

Environmental & Geographical Sciences BSc (Honours)

Environmental Management in Agriculture BSc (Honours)

Environmental Science & Agriculture BSc (Honours)

Environmental Science & Climate BSc (Honours)

Forensic & Pharmaceutical Science BSc (Honours)

DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

Electrical Engineering BEng (Honours)

Electronic Engineering BEng (Honours)

Industrial Automation & Robotic Systems BEng (Honours)

Renewable & Electrical Energy Engineering BEng (Honours)

DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL & AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERING

Mechanical Engineering BEng (Honours)

Precision Engineering BEng (Honours)

Automotive Engineering & Transport Management BEng (Honours)

Aircraft Maintenance Engineering BSc*

BUILT ENVIRONMENT (COMMON ENTRY) + One of the 4 courses below:

Civil Engineering BEng

Civil Engineering Management BSc (Honours)

Construction Management BSc (Honours)

Quantity Surveying BSc (Honours)

Property Valuation & Management BSc (Honours)

Interior Design BA (Honours)

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Computing BSc

Computer Networks & Systems Management BSc (Honours)

Games Design & Development BSc (Honours) in Computing

Interactive Digital Media BSc (Honours)

Internet Systems Development BSc (Honours)

Software Development BSc (Honours)

Data Analytics & Cyber Security BSc (Honours)

CERTIFICATE IN FOUNDATION STUDIES

Postgraduate Programmes

Master of Arts in Social Practice and the Creative Environment

Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Design Practice

Professional Master of Education in Art and Design (with Digital Media)

Master of Science in Quantity Surveying

Master of Science in Strength & Conditioning

Master of Business in Marketing & Management Strategy

Master of Science in Digital Marketing

Higher Diploma in Business Management

Higher Diploma in Digital Marketing

Higher Diploma in International Business

Higher Diploma in Accounting

Higher Diploma in Computing with Software Development

ABOUT LIT

Limerick Institute of Technology (LIT) was founded in 1852 – making it one of the oldest Institutes of Technology in Ireland. LIT is a multi-campus, public government funded, higher education institution based in the Mid-West of Ireland, with an enrolment of around 7,000 students. LIT offers career focused programmes across a wide range of disciplines from Higher Certificate to PhD.

HOW TO APPLY?

LIT APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Decide on your course: A full list of the available courses can be found at www.lit.ie/en-IE/courses
2. Complete your application form: The LIT International Application Form can be downloaded from www.lit.ie/international-study/how-to-apply
3. Submit Application Form: Send your completed application, along with copies of your academic results and English qualifications by email to international@lit.ie
4. Applications for a September start should be made before June 1st. Late applications may be considered.

VISAS:

Students from Visa Required countries should allow sufficient time for visa processing – in some cases up to 12 weeks.

LIT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

FIRST YEAR UNDERGRADUATE:

Applicants must achieve suitable grades in a recognised Secondary Education Examination, (equivalent to A-Levels or IB), in order to satisfy LIT entry requirements. A Portfolio is required for all Art & Design programmes.

ADVANCED ENTRY (ENTRY TO YEAR 2, 3 OR 4 OF AN UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME) & POSTGRADUATE ENTRY:

Applicants must provide:

- Academic Transcripts for all prior education.
- Document showing English Language proficiency.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

IELTS Qualifications	Minimum Level Required
Certificate in Foundation Studies	IELTS 4.5
First Year Undergraduate	IELTS 5.5
Advanced Entry Undergraduate (Year 2, 3 or 4)	IELTS 6.0
Postgraduate	IELTS 6.0

NB Proof of English language capacity other than IELTS (such as TOEFL, Cambridge, etc.) will be considered. Please provide documentary evidence of your scores.

LIT SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of Merit based President's Scholarships of €1000 each are available to international students each year.

Required for consideration in addition to Academic Transcripts:

- Letter of Recommendation (e.g. Academic supervisor, Voluntary Work).
- Personal Statement Letter.

Closing date for entry is June 30th.

ANNUAL LIT INTERNATIONAL STUDENT FEES

Certificate in Foundation Studies	€7,500
Undergraduate Bachelor's Degree (Honours)	€10,250
Postgraduate Higher Diploma	€10,750
Taught Master's Degree	€11,250
*Aircraft Maintenance Engineering BSc	€12,000

FEES INCLUDE

Airport Collection



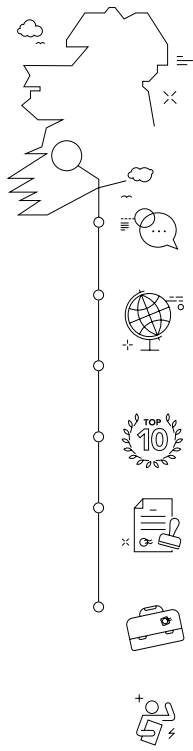
International Orientation



LIT BURSARIES

International Students who receive an offer from LIT and who pay all fees up-front by May 1st are eligible for a €1000 bursary on selected courses.





WHY IRELAND?

English Speaking country world-recognised for excellence in education.

Ireland is a member of the European Union and home to many of the world's most successful globally-traded companies. It offers excellent graduate employment and longer-term career opportunities.

Among Top-10 safest countries on earth.

Minimum 12-month post-study work permit for International Students who graduate with an Irish Honours Degree qualification, 24-month for Masters graduates.

Students can work part-time (20 hours per week) during term time and full-time (40 hours) during breaks. Irish minimum wage is €10.10 per hour.

Recent studies show that Ireland offers best international student experience and quality of life.

FOR MORE VISIT: www.EducationIreland.ie, www.thea.ie, www.DiscoverIreland.ie, www.IrishJobs.ie.



STUDYING & LIVING AT LIT

Limerick is Ireland's third largest city and the commercial capital of the mid-west region, located 15 minutes from Shannon International Airport.

YOUNG CITY

Nearly 50% of population under 35; Students in higher education make-up 20% of city population.

TOP 10

Limerick is within Europe's Top-10 cities in attracting investment, growth and opportunity.

LOWER LIVING COSTS

Up to 50% more affordable than Dublin.

PAID PLACEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

On many undergraduate programmes.

GLOBALLY RECOGNISED FOR LEARNING EXCELLENCE

UNESCO Learning City Award-holder.



"The best thing about studying at LIT is that the lecturers are very knowledgeable and helpful, and the course itself is incredibly interesting. LIT offers a fantastic academic environment and I have access to lots of online resources which I found very useful for my research. I believe my decision to come to LIT was the right one and that I will reap the rewards in the long term."

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Master of Science in Quantity Surveying

OUR CAMPUSES

MOYLISH

Home to Faculty of Applied Science, Engineering & Technology and Faculty of Business & Humanities

CLARE STREET

World Renowned Limerick School of Art & Design

THURLES

State-of-the-art Sports Facilities

CLONMEL

Hub of Creative Technology

NEW €14 MILLION COONAGH CAMPUS



INDUSTRY ENGAGEMENT AT LIT

Our programmes are designed by industry consortia to ensure that graduates have the skills that industry needs.

Almost all of our programmes include a relevant industry placement as a compulsory, graded element of the programme.

LIT is home to industry-led research projects and small businesses that have spun-out from learning, research and innovation at LIT.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: international@lit.ie