

UF Connections in Ireland



Ireland is situated in Wester Europe. Its capital city is Dublin. The US Department of State estimates its population at 4,952,473. Information about travelling to Ireland is on the Department of State website. The Center for Diesease Control and Prevention also has useful travel information.

The University of Florida (UF) has a wide array of collaborations with (the Republic of) Ireland. These include study abroad and exchange programs, internships, and research projects with a variety of institutions and partners. Ireland is a consistently popular destination and point of interest for UF students and faculty alike, and offers a diverse range of opportunities to those interested.

Visiting Students, Scholars & Researchers

The table below provides data on the number of students, scholars, and researchers from Ireland who came to work or study at UF during the 2014-2015 academic year.

Visiting Students, Scholars, and Researchers						
Undergraduate	Graduate	Non-degree	OPT	Exchange Visitors		
0	1	0	0	5		

UF Students in Ireland

During the Fall 2014–Summer 2015 academic year, 61 University of Florida students studied in Ireland. Below are all of the reciprocal agreements UF has in Ireland. Reciprocal agreements are the foundation for the exchange programs in which so many UF students are involved. In an exchange program, students pay UF tuition and are assigned UF course equivalencies for the work they do abroad. Reciprocal agreements provide for the equal exchange of students between the University of Florida and an international accredited institution. Agreements are typically valid for three years initially and can be renewed through a signed addendum, if both parties agree.

Reciprocal Agreements					
Academic Unit at UF	Destination Institution or Program	Type of program	Location		
	Name				
College of Journalism	Dublin Institute of Technology	Exchange	Dublin		
& Communication					

Internships

• Heavener School of Business – Study Abroad and Intern in Dublin

The Heavener School of Business offers a combined internship and study abroad program for students in Dublin in partnership with Griffith College and CAPA The Global Education Network. Students can gain course credit in classes such as management, marketing, and business law and through their internship and internship seminar.

Cooperative Agreements

Cooperative Agreements are broad declarations of intent for the promotion of exchanging faculty and students as well as the exchange of academic and research information. These agreements are generally valid for five years, with the possibility of renewal if both parties agree. The Cooperative Agreements UF has with Ireland's institutions can be found below, with the full list of agreements available at: http://ufic.ufl.edu/Agreements.html

Cooperative Agreements						
Academic Unit	Institution Name	Focus	Faculty manager			
College of the Arts	Limerick Institute of Technology	Exchange and Research Program	Sean Miller swarp@ufl.edu			

<u>Highlights</u>

Getting to Know the European Union: Peace + Sustainability – Our Shared Future
 This is a two-year grant program awarded to the Center for European Studies by the
 European Union (EU) in an effort to collaboratively promote the efforts of the EU,
 specifically related to peacekeeping and sustainability. As part of this program, UF hosts
 a series of talks given by faculty experts and special guests on a variety of European
 issues.

Key Contacts

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Department of State country information

For more information, visit this <u>country's page</u> on the US Department of State's website. The Department of State also issues travel advisories, posts information on visas and recommended immunizations on <u>their travel pages</u>.

Adding information to this brief

If you have or are aware of a project, program, or other activity that UF has in this country that has not been included in this brief, email ogre@ufic.ufl.edu.