

**University College Dublin** 

Ireland's Global University



## ME ENGINEERING WITH BUSINESS (TWO YEARS FULL TIME)

Engineering is viewed by many as an ideal preparation for a career in business or management. The ME in Engineering with Business offers a unique opportunity for engineering students to complement their technical expertise with a deep understanding of the business and management aspects of engineering practice such as operations, human resources, marketing and strategy. As a result, graduates will develop a distinctively crossdisciplinary perspective, which is essential to a successful career in business. If you have a mechanical, civil, electrical or electronics background and you plan to practise engineering in a business context, then the ME (Engineering with Business) is an excellent choice for you.



### IN COLLABORATION WITH IRELAND'S LEADING BUSINESS SCHOOL, UCD MICHAEL SMURFIT **BUSINESS GRADUATE SCHOOL**

This programme is delivered in conjunction with the UCD Michael Smurfit Graduate Business School, Ireland's leading business school, which is ranked 29th in Europe by the Financial Times. The programme was voted Gradireland Engineering Postgraduate Course of the Year 2015, and is the only business-oriented master's programme accredited by Engineers Ireland for Chartered Engineering status.

### WHY STUDY AT UCD?



### **Professional Work Experience**

6-8 month Professional Work Experience internship opportunity



### **Tradition**

Established 1854, with 160 years of teaching and research excellence



### Global profile

UCD is ranked in the top 1% of higher education institutions worldwide



### Global community

Over 8,000 international students from over 139 countries study at UCD



### Global careers

Degrees with high employability; dedicated careers support; two-year stay-back visa (for non-EU students)



Modern parkland campus with 24-hour security, minutes from Dublin city centre

### **COURSE CONTENT AND STRUCTURE**

120 credits taught master's 30 credits

50 credits

40 credits

Technical modules from within your chosen discipline selected from the range of current engineering master's programmes. **Business and Technology Management modules:** 

- Operations Management
- Organisational Behavior

**Live Learning:** 

**Engineering Decision Support Systems** 

This programme offers students the opportunity students' technical and business knowledge can be applied and developed in a dynamic real-world setting. This is then followed by an industry-focused research project which combines academic and practice-based learning.

In the last year, more than 72% of the programme graduates found a job before they graduated.



Please see online for a full list of modules.



The ME in Engineering with Business is designed to produce fully qualified engineers who have a particular interest in and understanding of the business context within which engineers usually operate. It was conceived to address the perceived lack of industry-ready engineers coming out of third-level education. Career opportunities are very broad as the ME degree positions the student not as a narrow technical specialist but as a multi-skilled engineer, combining specialist skills with a broad understanding of the business environment. In addition to careers within their technical specialisations, graduates can consider careers in commercial roles, management consulting, the financial sector or IT. Previous employers of alumni include: Accenture, Abbvie, Boston Scientific, Deloitte, Intel, Jaguar UK, MSD Carlow, PJ Walls, PM Group, RPS Consulting, and SAP.



This programme receives significant interest so please apply early online at www.ucd.ie/apply

### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

- A bachelors' degree with a first class honours (NFQ level 8) or international equivalent in Mechanical, Civil, Electrical or Electronic Engineering.
- Applicants whose first language is not English must also demonstrate English language proficiency of IELTS 7.0 (no band less than 6.5 in each element), or equivalent.
- Students who do not meet the IELTS requirement may wish to consider taking the Pre-Sessional or Pre-Masters Pathway. Full details https://www.ucd.ie/alc/ programmes/pathways/

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

- Option to stay in Ireland to seek employment and/or work for 2 years after graduating
- Approved by US Dept of Education for federally supported loans
- Apply for University non-EU Scholarships: www.ucd.ie/global/study-at-ucd/ scholarshipsfinances/scholarships/
- Apply for College of Engineering & Architecture non-EU scholarship: www.ucd.ie/ eacollege/study/noneuscholarships

# RELATED MASTER'S PROGRAMMES OF INTEREST

- · MEngSc Engineering Management
- MSc Management
- MSc Project Management
- · MSc Supply Chain Management

### **FEES**

Fee information is available at www.ucd.ie/fees



### **GRADUATE PROFILE**

### Rachel Ward GSK

I discovered my love for both engineering and business during my undergraduate mechanical engineering degree here in UCD, as I was encouraged to take business classes to complement my engineering knowledge.

This master's programme is quite unique and allowed me the opportunity to interview for roles both in Ireland and overseas, eventually allowing me to secure a job in a pharmaceutical company in the UK which I could never have imagined before beginning this programme. This master's has provided me with the tools to confidently pursue my goals.

UCD has offered me everything I could have hoped for in terms of a memorable college experience; from industry exposure and challenging classes to pushing me to think as both an engineer and a businesswoman. I encourage anyone interested in broadening their knowledge and getting noticed on an international stage to strongly consider this programme.