TU443 Level 9, Online Course
Postgraduate Certificate in Leadership for Not for Profit
1 year, Springboard-funded online programme

Charities in Ireland play a crucial role in civil society, with over 11,500 registered charities contributing an annual income of €14.5 billion, employing over 189,000 people, and engaging 300,000 volunteers. Approximately 74,000 charity trustees lead and govern these organisations on a voluntary basis. The majority of these charities are small, with around 80% having an annual turnover of under €500,000 and 40% having less than €50,000 in turnover. A three-stage project involving Local Community Development Committees (LCDCs), Charitable Boards, and small community groups assessed training needs within the charity sector. The results identified areas requiring development, including Strategic Planning, Financial Planning, Performance Management, Stakeholder Engagement, Risk Management, Corporate Governance, and Organisational Behaviour. The not for profit sector which is estimated to consist of around 30,000 organisations includes many organisations that are not registered charities, including sports bodies, and training needs analyses of these organisations have identified similar needs to those of registered charities.

Programme Information

This Special Purpose Award covers the following four modules for 30 ECTS (Credits)

- Leadership and Strategy (10 ECTS)
  - runs year long (both semesters)
- Governance, Risk and Compliance (10 ECTS)
  - runs year long (both semesters)
- Finance for Non-Finance Managers in the Not-For-Profit Sector (5 ECTS)
  - runs in Spring Semester (January to May)
- Marketing and Communications in Not for Profits (5 ECTS)
  - runs in Winter Semester (September to December)

About the programme

Entry Requirements:
Applicants should have a minimum second-class honour Bachelor's degree (2.2 or higher) in any discipline or equivalent third level qualification. Applicants not meeting the normal entry requirements but with relevant prior experiential learning may submit relevant documentation for recognition of prior learning. The decision on non-standard applications is made by the Admissions Office and the Head of School on a case-by-case basis.

If English is not a first language, applicants will need to provide evidence of their English language proficiency as detailed on our website. Applicants for this course should have a minimum IELTS (Academic Version) English Proficiency of 6.5 overall (or equivalent) with nothing less than 6 in each component.

Fees: Springboard funded, see link

Schedule: 6 hours per week, online. Tuesdays 6-8pm (2 hrs); Wednesdays 6-10pm (4 hrs). Subject to change.

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