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Year	Event
Ongoing	TU Dublin is coordinating an international research project, SellSTEM (Spatially Enhanced Learning Linked to STEM), which was awarded €4.12M in funding and aims to enhance the spatial ability of young people and to help close the gender gap in STEM.
Ongoing	<p>Researchers from the School of Computer Science at TU Dublin received funding from the HEA's Gender Equality Enhancement Fund for two new research projects:</p> <p>TechMate: will create a new toolkit for best practice in gender equality in Higher Education</p> <p>- pSTEM Role Models: focusing on encouraging more young women into STEM by identifying contemporary female role models and sharing their stories.</p>
Ongoing	TU Dublin renewed its efforts to increase the participation of women in craft apprenticeships including 'Women in Apprenticeship Open Day', 'Women Building the Future' Lunches and 'Try a Trade' Day for young women'. Women make up less than 1% of registered craft apprentices nationally
Ongoing	TU Dublin Childcare Assistance Fund is available to support students who are parents with childcare expenses using the childcare services at our on- campus crèche while studying at TU Dublin.
Ongoing	The TU Dublin Paternity Leave policy was updated to allow each parent five weeks leave for children born or adopted on or after 1st November 2019 to be taken during the first two years of a child's life.
Ongoing	TU Dublin Carers' Leave policy entitles a staff member to take unpaid leave from the University to enable them to provide full-time care and attention for a relevant person in need of such care.
Ongoing	The TU Dublin Dignity & Respect at Work Policy was revised to a pan- University policy ensuring that staff could work and learn in a positive and safe environment free from bullying and harassment across all campuses.

Ongoing	Women in Technology United (WITU) - aims to retain women, trans, and gender non-conforming students in technology courses and increase gender diversity in technology courses - February 2024- Lunch and Learn organized as part of International Women's Day
January 2024	TU Dublin hosts Electoral Commission referendum campaign launch
January 2024	Launch of TrailblazHER -TrailblazHER™ Inspire supports young females at second level, TrailblazHER™ Develop supports and empowers females at third level and as they advance from TU Dublin and into the workforce and TrailblazHER™ Innovate supports females as they develop through their career, towards leadership or indeed self-employment.
March 2024	Empowering Innovation and Inclusion : Celebrating Women Driving Change at TU Dublin's Digital Futures Research Hub
March 2024	Opinion: Whichever way the vote goes, don't expect concrete change - Dr Deirdre McGowan, Head of Law, TU Dublin
March 2024	TU Dublin researcher discusses her new book and women's day on Nationwide
April 2024	Student Poster Exhibition supported by the TU Dublin Office of Equality, Diversity and Inclusion and the Faculty of Sciences and Health exploring the work of marginalized and underrepresented women in science and creative fields,
November 2024	TU Dublin unites for #16Days of activism – Against Gender- Based Violence- A range of campaigns and events were organised in the 16 days
October* 2024	TU Dublin Celebrates Record Support for Female Entrepreneurs on National Women's Enterprise Day 2024
October 2024	STEAM: Try Five + Project during Space Week - TU Dublin Access and Outreach collaborating with Workday with over 400 pupils from 11 primary schools .to celebrate and recognise Women in Space
December 2024	TU Dublin Gender Pay Gap Report 2024
December 2024	TrailblazHer Programme receives four- year donation from Jones Engineering