



### SDG Goal 8: Decent Work & Economic Growth

Year	Event
Ongoing	TU Dublin's <a href="#">Grievance Procedures</a> support the development and maintenance of a positive working environment for all staff members and encourage communication between unions and management on all issues of concern.
Ongoing	TU Dublin is proud to hold an <a href="#">Athena Swan Bronze Award</a> . The University is committed to measuring and tackling gender pay gap- this award is valid for 4 years
Ongoing	TU Dublin promotes and supports sustainable economic growth, through its <a href="#">Innovation and Enterprise Development</a> activities; these encompass the promotion of start-up companies, university spin-outs, the commercialization of new technologies, incubation services, and mentorship programs for companies seeking to develop innovative solutions to business challenges.
Ongoing	The TU Dublin <a href="#">Access to Apprenticeship</a> program is a twelve-week course for young men and women aged 16 to 24 living in Dublin who experience social and economic barriers and assists them in finding an apprenticeship.
Ongoing	TU Dublin's <a href="#">Research Centre on Inclusive and Equitable Cultures</a> (RINCE) was established in 2020 as a center of excellence in innovative research and practice on equality, diversity and inclusion. It provides a TU Dublin-wide focus for interdisciplinary research in the EDI field.
Ongoing	Partnership with <a href="#">Ibec Academy</a> since 2008 to design and accredit micro credential programs in areas such as coaching, human resource management, leadership, employment law, mediation, and industrial relations.
Ongoing	<a href="#">Teeling Whiskey Scholarship Programme</a>
February 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin Feature in Second Season of My Uni Life on RTE One /RTE Player</a>
February 2024	<a href="#">TU Rise secures 13.6 million euro</a> announced by Minister for Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science, Simon Harris TD. This project stretches from 2024- 2028 to engage with over 200 enterprises in the Eastern and Midlands region. They will create specialist enterprise engagement teams that will provide enterprises with access to a range of research expertise

February 2024	<a href="#">Love Your Career</a> - Involving lunchtime CV clinics in Bolton Street, Blanchardstown, Tallaght, LYC stands with companies such as GradIreland and GrowthHub, LinkedIn Photobooth, Love Your Career Webinars.
February 2024	Launch of TU Dublin's <a href="#">Certificate in Independent Living – Pathways Together Programme</a> - a two- year certificate course for students with intellectual disabilities. This also includes a 12-month supported work placement with industry.
March 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin online course partnered with Broadlake</a> ; Entrepreneurship for Refugees and Asylum Seekers
March 2024	<a href="#">Postgraduate Diploma in Sports Analytics, Technology and Innovation launched</a> - the country's first-ever postgraduate course designed for industry professionals seeking cutting-edge knowledge in the business of sports.
March 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin, Skillnet, and IDA Ireland Launch Micro-credential in Strategic Talent Development</a>
May 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin Blanchardstown hosts Annual Creative Digital Industry Graduate Showcase 2024</a>
May 2024	<a href="#">GradX</a> - TU Dublin's Schools of Art and Design, Media, and Mechanical Engineering come together to showcase graduate work to the public
May 2024	The <a href="#">Association of Higher Education Careers Services (AHECS)</a> gathered on the Grangegorman Campus of TU Dublin to discuss how career professionals in Higher Education can expand their professional practice to support Gen Z learners.
July 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin's Ann Masterson Appointed to National Skills Council</a> - council formed to provide Government with strategic foresight and expert advice in the area of skills development in Ireland.
September 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin Career Development Centre organises career events across all campuses</a> - Activities include: Class Workshops, Career Information Desks, CV Checks, LinkedIn Photobooths, and Six Career Fairs featuring over 100 employers.
October 2024	<a href="#">Five Year Deal with Deloitte announced with TU Dublin</a> - this deal includes backing the TrailblazHer programme, with its donation to the School of Accounting, Economics & Finance.
November 2024	<a href="#">"Try a Trade day"</a> - Apprenticeship Day for Traveller and Roma Communities. With information on apprenticeships, a tour of TU Dublin Workshops and opportunity to gain hands- on experience.
November 2024	<a href="#">Over 5,300 students graduate from TU Dublin over 22 ceremonies</a>
November 2024	<a href="#">Postgraduate Drop- In sessions</a> - for personalized guidance and special alumni discount advice
November 2024	<a href="#">Free E- learning resources developed for persons with disabilities who intend to start a business</a> - 12 e- learning sessions developed, along with a PowerPoint slide deck, workbook, teacher's guidebook, case studies and video interviews with entrepreneurs.
December 2024	<a href="#">TU Dublin confirmed as top choice for employability in Dublin</a> - Within nine months of graduating, 78% of undergraduate level 8 graduates are in full-time employment, while 82% of graduates of taught postgraduate programmes. have secured full-time roles, ranking TU Dublin as the highest in Dublin and the 2nd highest in Ireland for both categories.

