3.1. Entry requirements

Students wishing to enrol on the CPD Diploma in Data Analysis for Professionals programme should meet the minimum entry requirements. Satisfying the minimum entry requirements does not guarantee entry to the programme. In exceptional cases, candidates who do not meet the minimum entry requirements may be considered for exceptional entry where they have demonstrated sufficient additional learning or circumstances that demonstrate their ability to succeed on the programme. Exceptional entry applications will be considered in accordance with the exceptional entry procedures of the Faculty and University. The programme also makes use of Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) in assessing applicants, particularly for non-standard applicants where equivalent experience or learning can be demonstrated. In such cases a portfolio outlining a candidate's equivalent certified or experiential learning may be required. Additional information about RPL can be found via the TU Dublin website.

Applications with qualifications in business, accounting and finance should have a minimum of a Level 8 qualification. Applicants are expected to be able to demonstrate analytic and numerate ability either through the discipline of their previous qualification or through their work or life experience. Applications with qualifications in science, engineering or computing backgrounds should have a minimum of a Level 7 qualification.