



# Global Pathway Programme

## M.Phil Music & Media Technologies



**Trinity College Dublin**  
Coláiste na Tríonóide, Baile Átha Cliath  
The University of Dublin





## 3 YEARS AT LASALLE COLLEGE OF THE ARTS + 1 YEAR AT TRINITY

Graduate with a Degree from Ireland's Leading University

[www.tcd.ie/study](http://www.tcd.ie/study)

# Why Choose Trinity?



**1<sup>st</sup>**

Ireland's leading university

*(QS World University Ranking 2025)*



**1<sup>st</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> in Ireland for employer reputation and alumni outcomes

*(QS World Rankings for Graduate Employability 2022)*



**1-2**

As a Trinity graduate you can remain in Ireland to work for 1 or 2 years, depending on your level of study



**4<sup>th</sup>**

Ireland is the world's 4<sup>th</sup> most competitive economy

*(IMD 2024)*



**7<sup>th</sup>**

Ireland has the 7<sup>th</sup> highest quality of life in the world

*(UN Human Development Index 2023/24)*



31<sup>st</sup> most international university in the world

*(Times Higher Education Ranking 2024)*



**87<sup>th</sup>**

Ranked 87<sup>th</sup> in the world

*(QS World University Rankings 2025)*



**91<sup>st</sup>**

91<sup>st</sup> in the world for graduate employability

*(QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2022)*



**TOP  
100  
UNIVERSITY**

Top 100 university in the world for 22 subjects

*(QS Subject Rankings 2024)*



2<sup>nd</sup>

Ireland is the 2<sup>nd</sup> safest country in the world

(Global Peace Index 2024)



35%

35% of our students are from outside Ireland, from 118 countries



500

Trinity has more than 500 industry partners, including Meta, Google, IBM, Pfizer and more

## Trinity Top 100 University in the world for 22 Subjects

Accounting & Finance

Archaeology

Biological Sciences

Chemistry

Classics & Ancient History

Dentistry

Education

English Language and Literature\* (21st in the world)

Geography

History

Law

Materials Science

Medicine

Modern Languages

Nursing\* (26th in the world)

Performing Arts\* (40th in the world)

Pharmacy and Pharmacology\* (26th in the world)

Philosophy

Psychology

Politics & International Studies

Social Policy & Administration

Theology, Divinity and Religious Studies\*

(49th in the world)



(QS World Rankings 2024)

\*Ranked Top 50 in the QS World Rankings 2024



# Trinity's Location

## Why Ireland?

As a Trinity graduate you can remain in Ireland to work for 1 or 2 years, depending on level of study.

Find out more:

[www.irishimmigration.ie/my-situation-has-changed-since-i-arrived-in-ireland/third-level-graduate-programme](http://www.irishimmigration.ie/my-situation-has-changed-since-i-arrived-in-ireland/third-level-graduate-programme)



**Ireland is the 2nd safest country in the world**  
(Global Peace Index 2024)



**Ireland is the world's 4<sup>th</sup> most competitive economy.**  
(IMD 2024)

**People in Ireland are happy, ranking 17th in the world**  
(World Happiness Report 2024)

**Dublin is multi-national. 1 in 5 people in the city are non-Irish nationals, according to the Council of Europe.**

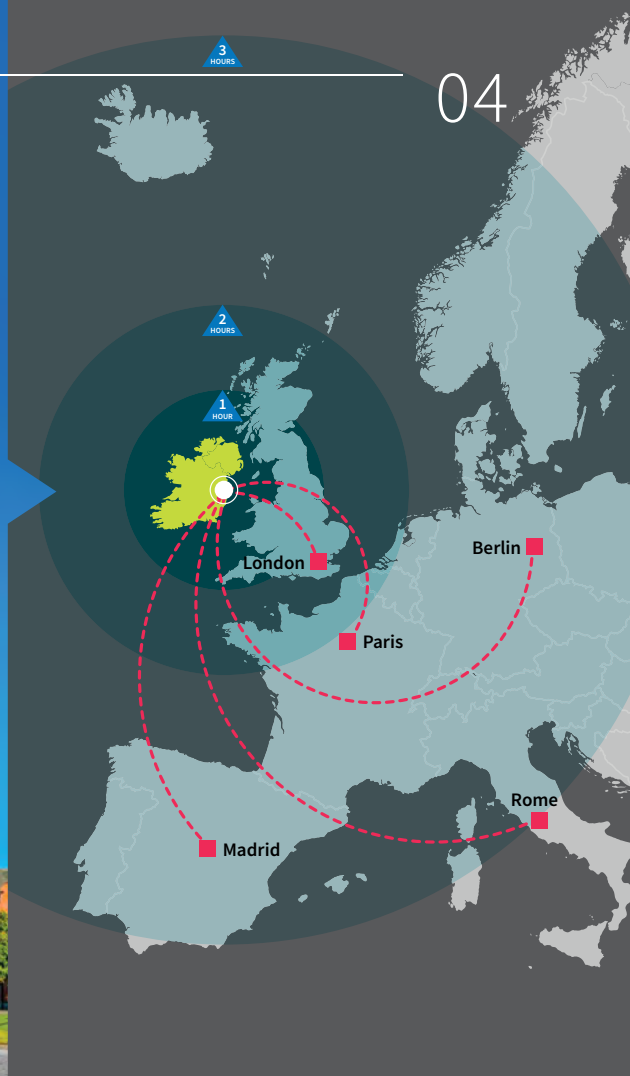
Trinity's central location makes it highly accessible for all forms of public transport: tram, rail and bus stops are right outside the University.  
[www.tcd.ie/maps](http://www.tcd.ie/maps)

**Ireland is an English speaking country in the EU.**

**Ireland has the 4<sup>th</sup> highest quality of life in the EU and 7<sup>th</sup> in the world according to UN Human Development Index 2023/24.**



**European hub for innovation and industry is based in Dublin:** Google, Meta, Microsoft, Intel, Pfizer and HP based here.





# Global Pathway Programme

Study a master's programme in Trinity, Ireland's leading University. As part of the Global Pathway Programme, following completion of your undergraduate degree at LASALLE College of the Arts, you can transfer to Trinity to study M.Phil. in Music & Media Technologies.

## Why Study Music & Media Technologies at Trinity?

Trinity is Ireland's leading university, steeped in history with a reputation for excellence in education and research. While our campus dates back over four hundred years, our research facilities and institutes sit right in the twenty first century. Our M.Phil programme is designed to ignite your passion for music and media, providing you with the tools to innovate and create in a digital age. The University has produced generations of outstanding graduates. Some of the most famous people in Irish history have been educated here including the writers Oscar Wilde and Samuel Beckett.

The School of Engineering is one of the oldest engineering schools in the English-speaking world, established in 1841. Our MSc courses have received nominations for Postgrad Ireland Best New Course in 2013, Postgrad Ireland Best Engineering Course in 2015 and Education Award at Irish Logistics and Transport Awards in 2017.



## International Dimension

Trinity attracts a global community of academics dedicated to addressing challenges of vital importance to the world around us and has a diverse student body with students from 119 different countries. As Ireland's oldest and highest-ranking university, Trinity strives to educate global citizens who will shape the world's future.

## English Language Support

All modules on these programmes are taught in English but students can avail of Trinity's extensive language learning facilities. The Centre for English Language Learning and Teaching focuses specifically on the development of student's academic English skills to support their current and future university studies.

All students can enroll on the "English for Academic Purposes" course. [www.tcd.ie/sllcs/english/trinity\\_in-sessionnal\\_programme/index.php](http://www.tcd.ie/sllcs/english/trinity_in-sessionnal_programme/index.php)



# Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences



## 3 years at LASALLE College of the Arts + 1 year at Trinity

### Admission Requirements

Acceptance for the course is based on an overall assessment, which takes into account:

- Musical/compositional/artistic and/or technological ability as evidenced by a portfolio submission
- Academic and/or professional references
- A personal statement addressing why you would like to do the course and why you think you are suitable.
- English language certificate. For more information see: [www.tcd.ie/study/apply/admission-requirements/postgraduate](http://www.tcd.ie/study/apply/admission-requirements/postgraduate)

### About The Course

In recognition of a shared interest in Information Technology and a growing awareness of its relevance for music, Electronic and Electrical Engineering and Music initiated a Master programme in Music and Media Technologies in Trinity in 1996. A particular feature of this programme is a balanced approach to musical and technological topics. Musically, a strong emphasis is placed on the development of adaptable compositional skills, while technological topics are addressed from both a hands-on workstation/studio exposure and a fundamental mathematical and scientific basis, which focus on musically relevant issues.

The overall objective of the MMT programme is to provide a thorough grasp of the principles and applications of computer, audio and video technologies in combination with significant exposure to media related topics such as music, visual music, and interactive installations. Artistic creativity is stimulated and developed over the year of the programme through a combination of exam and assignment-based work and culminating in a final thesis which features a significant and original contribution of a technological and/or artistic nature.

### Course Structure

The MMT programme is a full-time, one-year course. Postgraduate Diploma, worth 60 ECTS, is divided into two 30-ECTS semesters. To be awarded an M.Phil. in Music and Media Technologies, students must complete a third semester worth 30 ECTS, which requires the completion of a research project and written thesis, for a total of 90 ECTS.

#### Our comprehensive curriculum includes:

- Sound design and synthesis
- Interactive audiovisual systems
- Music production and composition
- Digital signal processing
- Multimedia technology and innovation
- Music and media research

Students on this partnership may be eligible for a €1000 – 5000 scholarship.

For more information e-mail [internationaleng@tcd.ie](mailto:internationaleng@tcd.ie) or visit the website: [www.tcd.ie/eleceng/mmt](http://www.tcd.ie/eleceng/mmt)

### Application Deadline

Closing date for applications is end of July 2025 however, applications are assessed on a rolling basis. Early applications are encouraged.

### Fees

The fees for the current academic year are available [here](#). Students on this programme may be eligible for a scholarship.



# Accommodation

Trinity is committed to ensuring that all international students have a positive experience while preparing to make the move to Dublin.

Partnerships students will be prioritised for Trinity approved accommodation provided they apply by May 1<sup>st</sup>. More information on accommodation options while at Trinity can be found here: [www.tcd.ie/accommodation](http://www.tcd.ie/accommodation)



# Student Life at Trinity

Immerse yourself in a broad range of sports clubs and student societies and get a real sense of the 'Trinity Experience'.

## Your first days at Trinity

### Freshers' Week

Trinity offers orientation to all new postgraduate and undergraduate students prior to the start of the academic year during a week known as Freshers' Week. It is a chance for you to meet your classmates, attend information sessions and sign up to one of many clubs and societies at Trinity. Find out more at: [www.tcd.ie/students/orientation](http://www.tcd.ie/students/orientation)

A specific International Postgraduate Student Orientation takes place before teaching commences. Details are available at: [www.tcd.ie/students/orientation/postgraduates](http://www.tcd.ie/students/orientation/postgraduates)

### Trinity Education

After the excitement of Freshers' Week, teaching term starts, and you will be settling into your course. Most of your classes at Trinity will be a mixture of lecturers, tutorials and some practicals. Tutorials are less formal and usually take place in smaller groups, giving you a chance to delve deeper into the studied topics with your classmates and teaching assistants.

### Trinity in Twelve Weeks

The "Trinity in Twelve Weeks" virtual programme aims to continue your orientation during your first semester and help your transition to university life. The programme has a new theme every week, from study and exam skills to how to look after yourself while at university. Your mentors will be in touch with you every week to let you know what the week's theme is and to arrange events and activities. Find out more at: [www.tcd.ie/students/orientation/twelve-weeks](http://www.tcd.ie/students/orientation/twelve-weeks)

### Pathway to Belonging

"Pathway to Belonging" is an 8-week pre-departure orientation programme for international students. This webinar series is an invaluable resource that will provide insider tips, important information and a sneak peek into campus life.

### Trinity Clubs & Societies

As a student at Trinity, you will be able to choose from over 49 sports clubs including aikido, basketball, Gaelic football, surfing, hockey, rugby, soccer, table tennis, badminton and many more. You will also automatically be a member of our Sports Centre. The Sports Centre is where the majority of our fitness classes and programmes take place, 7 days a week. Facilities include a 25-metre swimming pool, climbing wall and a fully equipped gym. [www.tcd.ie/sport](http://www.tcd.ie/sport)

At Trinity, we have over 120 student societies which constitute some of the most dynamic and active university student societies in Ireland, allowing you to develop new skills or put your existing ones into action with everything from the International Student Society to the Zoological Society. Find out more at: [www.trinitysocieties.ie](http://www.trinitysocieties.ie)





# Career Opportunities

Your Career Journey at Trinity

Our graduates are highly sought after by employers across all sectors and many have gone on to successful careers around the globe. See below for just a few examples of the diverse organisations that have recruited Trinity graduates in recent years. The Trinity Careers Service supports students in exploring their career ambitions for the future and planning how to achieve them. Find out more about the Careers Service at: [www.tcd.ie/careers](http://www.tcd.ie/careers)

## Did you know?

Trinity is a Top 100 University for Graduate Employability

QS GRADUATE EMPLOYABILITY RANKING 2022

Trinity has over 500 industry partners including Microsoft, Google, IBM, Pfizer, Roche, AIB and many more.



## Where some of our Trinity graduates are now employed













# International Student Supports

Trinity is an exciting place, full of opportunities to learn, make friends, and experience new things.

While Trinity delivers world class courses, it is not just about your academic development: we also want Trinity to be a place where you can develop socially, responsibly, culturally and personally.

Full list of services available to view at: [www.tcd.ie/study/international/student-experience/supports-services](http://www.tcd.ie/study/international/student-experience/supports-services)

We have many specific support services for international students including:

## Talk to our students

Do you have a question about student life, the campus or living in Dublin? Connect with our students at: [www.tcd.ie/global/talktostudents](http://www.tcd.ie/global/talktostudents)

## English for Academic Purposes

Trinity offers both pre-sessional and in-sessional English language programmes.

Find out more at: [www.tcd.ie/slscs/english](http://www.tcd.ie/slscs/english)

## New to Dublin Programme

Student Ambassadors run this programme aimed at postgraduate students, covering everything from Dublin grocery shopping and public transport to making friends and adjusting to Dublin culture.

## Trinity Global Room

The Global Room team provides guidance and support to international students on a wide range of issues including immigration, accommodation and all aspects of life at Trinity. [www.tcd.ie/study/international/student-experience/global-room](http://www.tcd.ie/study/international/student-experience/global-room). For more information, please contact: [tcdglobalroom@tcd.ie](mailto:tcdglobalroom@tcd.ie)

## Visa and Immigration

Some, but not all, non-EU/EEA students require an entry visa for Ireland. We advise students to apply for their visas early.

To check if you need a visa, please visit the Immigration Service Delivery at the link below: [www.irishimmigration.ie/coming-to-study-in-ireland](http://www.irishimmigration.ie/coming-to-study-in-ireland)

Find out more at: [www.tcd.ie/study/international/arriving-in-ireland/visa-immigration](http://www.tcd.ie/study/international/arriving-in-ireland/visa-immigration)



## Did you know?

Trinity is ranked 31<sup>st</sup> Most International university in the world

TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION RANKING 2024





If you have any questions about studying at Trinity,  
please get in touch with us.

[www.tcd.ie/study](http://www.tcd.ie/study)

The Trinity Global team is dedicated to helping international students and we would be delighted to answer your questions. Please contact us at:

#### Trinity Global

East Theatre,  
Trinity College Dublin,  
the University of Dublin  
Dublin 2, Ireland.

[www.tcd.ie/study](http://www.tcd.ie/study)  
[study@tcd.ie](mailto:study@tcd.ie)

If you have further questions about your application status you can contact the Applications and Admissions Team in Trinity's Academic Registry.

#### Academic Registry

Trinity College Dublin, the University of Dublin,  
Watts Building,  
Dublin 2, Ireland.

+353 (0) 1 896 4500  
[www.tcd.ie/academicregistry](http://www.tcd.ie/academicregistry)  
[academic.registry@tcd.ie](mailto:academic.registry@tcd.ie)

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[www.trinity-experience-blog.com](http://www.trinity-experience-blog.com)

## Trinity's Dedicated Channels In-Country

### China

Bilibili: [space.bilibili.com/695604784](https://space.bilibili.com/695604784)→  
WeChat: [weixin.qq.com/r/gEiJkWXEcTgOrSHy9x2S](https://weixin.qq.com/r/gEiJkWXEcTgOrSHy9x2S)→  
Weibo: [m.weibo.cn/u/3905092477](https://m.weibo.cn/u/3905092477)→

### India

Instagram: [www.instagram.com/trinitycollegedublin\\_india](https://www.instagram.com/trinitycollegedublin_india)→

### The Americas

Future Applicants from the Americas please follow our dedicated Instagram Account:  
[www.instagram.com/tcdamericas](https://www.instagram.com/tcdamericas)→

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