

TU Dublin SU Newsletter

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Your Union, Your Voice





My name is Peter McCann, and I am your City Campus Vice President.

I am the officer responsible for facilities and the general upkeep of the campuses across the city, which include Aungier Street, BIMM, Bolton Street, Linenhall, and Grangegorman. This means ensuring that everything around these campuses is working, and the facilities are up to date. I also help execute campaigns and events on City campuses; you might remember seeing me handing out ice creams during Freshers Fest!

Some of the changes I facilitated include the addition of sockets in Rathdown that allow for more microwaves to be used, working with the building manager to replace the couches in Bolton Street, and replacing the water fountains. I also worked with the SU President to ensure more seating for Grangegorman.

My favourite part of the role is being able to see actual changes to the facilities and witnessing quality-of-life improvements for the students across all City campuses.

Contact me at <u>City@tudublinsu.ie</u> if you ever need something around the city campus fixed or updated! Have a good Christmas break, from me and all of your TU Dublin SU Officers!

What's News!





RAG Charity: Irish Cancer Society

Step into a nostalgic Dublin Christmas with our special edition cards! Inspired by the timeless charm of Dublin during the festive season, these unique cards are a heartwarming way to spread holiday cheer and support a great cause.

Crafted with love by TU Dublin Students' Union, each pack contains 5 beautifully designed cards, available for only €10 here.

Order by Friday, Dec 15th to make sure you have them by Christmas!

Exam Season

Exams and assessments are upon us and there are lots of supports available to you not least our very own Exams & Assessments (tudublinsu.ie) web page with lots of FAQs and key information about supports as well as some guides on how thrive this exam season.

Don't forget that the old **Personal Circumstances (PC1) Form** is now the **'Extenuating Circumstances Form'** so if there is any reason why you feel you cannot sit your exam/assessment this is the form you need to fill out. More information on what is classified as an Extenuating Circumstances can be found our on website here.

First Year Student Survey!

Student voice is very important to us at the Students' Union, so we are happy to share that TU Dublin are looking for the student point of view. Fill in this quick (10minutes) survey, have your opinions heard and be entered into a competition to win prizes, including a €200 one4all voucher! It's a win-win really.

This is for first years only. Hurry, closes today!

Fill in the survey here: https://tudublin.surveys.evasysplus.ie/

Class Reps

There is still space in our posse if your class has no class rep, sign up using the form here. If your class has a class rep, but you haven't told us yet, please sign up via the link so we can add you to our database and invite you to our class rep meetings!

Mor information about what a class rep is responsible for can be found on our website here.

What is the 1916 Bursary?

The 1916 Bursary is a financial award to encourage the participation and success of students from sections of society that are significantly under-represented in higher education. Opening soon for 2024, find out more information here.

Christmas Closures

TU Dublin Students' Union will be closed from midday on December 21st. We will be back in the office on January 2nd, with the Advice service available for any of your concerns via Instagram and email. We hope you all enjoy the Winter Break and enjoy some relaxing time. Please be mindful of your mental health in the run up to exams and check out our website for some tips.

Happy Christmas everyone, see you in the New Year!

Craic on Campus



As we enter our last week before Winter Break, we have no events organised for the next few days. We are in planning mode for next semester for exam support, SHAG week, Rainbow Week, RAG Week and Class Rep Awards! Check back in January.

Get in touch



For student queries or advice, please contact us at advice@tudublinsu.ie and we will reply as soon as possible.

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