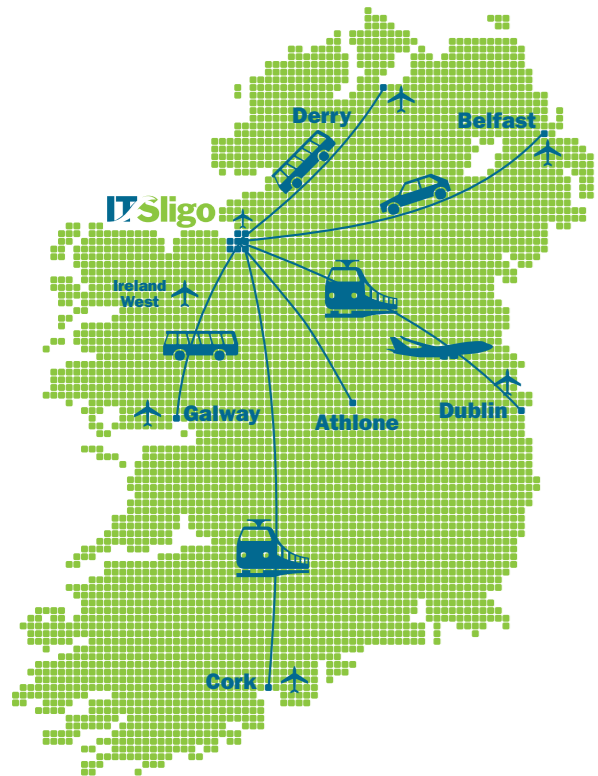


About Sligo

Sligo is an area of rugged natural beauty with windswept beaches, majestic mountains and a rich concentration of ancient monuments. Sligo is known worldwide for its association with WB Yeats as his inspiration and his home. The IT Sligo philosophy, through its pioneering and enquiring and problem solving ethos, embodies what Yeats described as the 'Pilgrim Soul'.



Sligo is a gateway city with a rich heritage. At IT Sligo we have a reputation for a buzzing nightlife and a vibrant musical and cultural scene. The outdoor life is second to none with a wide range of sport on offer, and a rich heritage of archeology, culture and the environment.

We invite you to come away 'to the waters and the wild' and see for yourself.

“**guaranteed to excite your curiosity and stimulate your mind**”

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IT Sligo Factfile

- The campus is centrally located in Sligo and is well serviced by public transport.
- Campus buildings comprise 40,000m² situated on a 70 acre edge of town parkland location.
- The most recent developments include a new Student Centre and state of the art Library/ Learning Resource Centre that provides students with a dynamic focus for learning and study.
- Sports Facilities include the Knocknarea Arena, a 1,500m² multipurpose sports arena equipped for a range of indoor sports including football and basketball. We also have an international standard outdoor athletics track; floodlit soccer and Gaelic pitches and leisure and gym facilities available to all staff, students and conference visitors on campus.
- Student Accommodation: there are 2,100 bed spaces provided within Sligo City exclusively for students.
- We provide spaces for 950 vehicles on campus with visitor, pay and display, and free parking.

Why IT Sligo?

At IT Sligo we are dynamic and innovative, stimulating and provide leadership in the development of the region.

We have a student-centered focus and we make optimum use of technology and flexible delivery to make our programmes accessible.

Our programmes are research driven, entrepreneurial and designed to ensure the employability of our graduates.

We are a catalyst for regional development through support for business, industry and community.

Our research and innovation services support economic and social development.

The campus is welcoming, inclusive and friendly for visitors, staff and students.

Our staff are our biggest resource and strongest asset.

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Online and Distance Learning Experience

In addition to a substantial on-campus portfolio, we offer an extensive range of programmes delivered by online and/or distance learning. IT Sligo is a leader in the field of online and distance learning with over 1,500 learners taking advantage of the Virtual Learning Environment. We have invested in the latest educational technology to ensure our students experience a high quality learning experience.

The key to the success of these programmes is flexibility and choice. Online and distance learning students can choose to study at their own convenience, using the latest technology to download materials to their laptop, iPhone or iPad!

*All those things whereof
Man makes a superhuman
Mirror-resembling dream*

“**you can study at your own pace in your own time**”

*Lighting
a
fire*

W. B. YEATS

*I have spread my dreams under your feet;
Tread softly because you tread on my dreams.*

Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.



Welcome to

IT Sligo
An Institiúid Teicneolaíochta, Sligeach



IT Sligo is a dynamic hub providing higher education, research, innovation and entrepreneurship in the North West of Ireland. We obtained the Erasmus University Charter in 2007 and all programmes are fully compliant with the Bologna Accord providing students with flexibility and choice.

We make an immense contribution to the North West of Ireland economically, socially and culturally. We contribute in excess of €110 million annually to the region through consumer spending and other services.

Through our work with local business and industry we make an enormous contribution to the competitiveness of the region.

We currently have a €10 million capital building programme and have recently completed a state of the art student services building costing €2.4 million.

Our course portfolio comprises a broad base of undergraduate and postgraduate programmes on campus and by online and distance learning.

Our Innovation Centre and related support services for business and industry provide the catalyst for building entrepreneurial activity working with business start-ups, SMEs and multinational companies.

We work closely with Government Agencies including IDA and Enterprise Ireland to broker support for international and local businesses development.

We have established research and innovation partnerships with universities and colleges in Ireland, the UK, EU, Australia and the USA.



Terri Scott
President
IT Sligo

“ a regional hub for education, innovation and entrepreneurship ”

“ inspiration and improvement ”

Research

We have a diverse range of research strengths, with a track record of supporting wealth creation and enhancing quality of life. Through access to staff expertise we support businesses to develop and grow.

Areas of research specialism include:

- Environmental science
- Sustainability
- Public health
- Design
- Cancer biology
- Geotechnics
- Robotics
- Archeology
- Social sciences

Our research informs our teaching and ensures that taught programmes are based on innovation and current practice. This in turn means that IT Sligo is central to the supply of an effective and highly trained workforce for the Region.

Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.



Seán Gallagher,
Entrepreneur,
Patricia Molloy
and Séamus Farrell
SF Engineering.

Innovation Services For Business

A Gateway to Business Success, from origin to commercialisation. . .

Our approach to Research and Innovation at IT Sligo is designed to make it easy for business, industry and the wider community to get direct access to the expertise and support they require.

This is available via our Innovation Centre - a one-stop shop that offers high quality services, the opportunity to network with colleagues in other businesses and a fertile environment for the exchange and development of ideas and innovation.

In addition to specialist staff, services and facilities include:

- Incubation space
- State-of-the-art research laboratory and prototyping equipment
- Business mentoring and training
- Business services

Tread softly because you tread on my dreams

“ turning ideas into enterprise ”

“ student centered, offering flexibility and choice ”

An Unforgettable Educational Experience

We welcome students from Ireland and overseas and we have a diverse student population. However despite its diversity, the campus community of staff and students is close knit and friendly.

We offer programmes in Business and Humanities, Engineering and Science from Higher Certificate, through Degree level to Masters and postgraduate doctoral study. There are clear progression pathways in line with the National Framework of Qualifications and many students take advantage of our seamless and integrated programme portfolio to progress through different qualification levels.

Now shall I make my soul, compelling it to study in a learned school...

