

2014-2015

GradLink Mentoring Programme

School of Histories and Humanities

Connecting Graduates & Students

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Programme Launch

Order of Events

6:45pm Students and Mentors arrive

7:00pm Welcome from the Head of School, Alumni Office, Careers Advisory Service

7:15pm Mentors share their career experiences

8:15-9:00pm Mentors and students meet informally

Students interested in being mentored <u>must</u> complete the GradLink Mentoring Application Form and drop them into the "Mentor Matching" boxes before leaving this evening.

Thank you!

Thank You to our alumni mentors, staff, the Long Room Hub and students for their time, support and enthusiasm.

What is Mentoring?

Mentoring is an interactive learning and educational experience, between alumni and students, to assist students in their personal and career development.

Mentoring in the School of Histories and Humanities

The mentors are alumni who have worked for a number of years and at the School's request have agreed to share their experience and guidance. The mentees are students of the School interested in learning from the mentor's experiences and being advised, guided and informed by them.

How does the programme work?

During the programme launch, each graduate will give a brief introduction. A reception will be held following this, where students will have the opportunity to speak with mentors one to one or in small groups and to ask questions. At the end of the event students will be asked to fill out a mentor matching form and to indicate a first, second and third choice mentor. Students who wish to participate will be matched with a mentor for the programme. Depending on demand, 1-3 students will be matched to each mentor.

Students and mentors should plan to meet approximately three times between November 2014 and June 2015 or a total of 8-10 hours to maximise the benefit of the programme. Meeting space will be made available in the Global Room, Trinity College Dublin on one to two evenings every month to facilitate these meetings. The Global Room is located in the Watts Building (beside Academic Registry on the first floor).

To facilitate meeting with mentors, the Global Room has been booked on the following dates:

•	Wednesday 26 November:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Tuesday 2 & Wednesday 3 December:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Wednesday 28 January:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Wednesday 4 February:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Wednesday 4 March:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Wednesday 8 April:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Wednesday 6 May:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings
•	Wednesday 3 June:	5-9pm	Mentoring meetings

Topics of interest to mentees in the past included:

- > Researching and exploring particular job roles and sectors
- Deciding on what to do after college
- > Review a CV/LinkedIn profile
- Practice job interviews, networking
- Introductions to other professional colleagues
- Finding jobs not advertised
- Exploring postgraduate study

Key Programme Dates for Students:

Testimonials

"It was useful to discover that my studies at TCD can lead to a wide range of career areas." Lucy, TSM (Mentee)

Mentor Matching
Meetings (to receive
your mentor's contact
details and guidance on
the programme) will
take place in the Global
Room, 1st Floor, Watts
Building at the following
times:

"My mentor was incredibly helpful and organised a shadow day for each of us individually which allowed us to see exactly what the job entailed". David, TSM (Mentee)

"My mentor recommended some very useful changes with regard to my approach to university life, in particular with regard to my CV." Kate, TSM (Mentee)

"It is very valuable to speak with someone in the workplace, to observe them at work and to understand the reality of the job." Isolde, Assistant Librarian (Mentor)

WEDNESDAY 12 NOVEMBER

13:30-14:00hrs OR 14:00-14:30hrs "It is rewarding to see someone's confidence increase, become more at ease with themselves and learn about what they want to do." Catherine, IT Consultant (Mentor)

THURSDAY 13

12:30-13:00hrs OR 13:00-13:30hrs

NOVEMBER

(attendance at ONE of the four mentor matching meetings is MANDATORY for participation)

Mentoring Programme Contacts:

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*Nonie is your first point of contact for questions regarding GradLink mentoring

Careers Advisory Service Services on Offer

MEETING ALUMNI & EMPLOYERS

- · Careers Talks
- · Employer Fairs
- Recruiter in Residence Employer led workshops
- Careers Networks at Front Gate Online

POSTGRADUATE STUDY

- Workshops on demystifying the PhD & Personal Statements
- PG Study talks on applying & finding funding

CAREER GUIDANCE

 Confidential one-to-one or small group meeting with your Careers Advisor

JOB SKILLS WORKSHOPS

Regular Workshops On:

- CV preparation
- · Application forms
- Interviews
- Personal statements
- Assessment centers

FINDING JOBS

 Short-term, part-time, internships, work experience & Graduate jobs advertised daily online

ONLINE

 Up to the minute jobs, funding, events & careers information

GUIDANCE TOOLS

 Web-based tools to help sort through your options and focus on what suits you

CLASS WORKSHOPS

 Discipline specific session with your Careers Advisor

TAILORED SERVICES

 For Postgraduate, International Students & Students with Disabilities

CAREERS WEEK

 Career Talks in a range of sectors & Employer Skills Sessions

DROP IN CV / LINKEDIN PROFILE CLINIC

 Weekly drop-in CV review

PRACTICE INTERVIEW

 Book a practice run for vour next interview

Careers Advisory Service

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Front Gate Online, Career Network

Where TCD students can connect with TCD Graduates via email to discuss career related topics

W: www.tcd.ie/alumni/frontgateonline

Graduate Profiles

ARTS AND CULTURE

Name: Lesley-Ann Hayden

Course: History of Art and Italian TSM

Job title: Coordinator, Museum Standards Programme for Ireland

Organisation: Consultant to The Heritage Council

Profile:

On graduation, a career path wasn't obvious. An arts administration course lead to Sotheby's, tour guiding, a bookshop: I emigrated to Canada. There, my work experience broadened in retail management for M&S and as human resources generalist for a relocation company. I specialised in policies and recruitment. I returned to Ireland and for eight years I have been an independent consultant to the Heritage Council helping to launch and coordinate its Museum Standards Programme for Ireland. The Programme has 59 Participants ranging from Cultural Institutions to volunteer run museums.

Name: Caroline Cowley

Course: History of Art and Classical Civilisation TSM

Job title: Public Art Co-ordinator Organisation: Fingal County Council

Profile:

Graduating in 2001, I joined the National Gallery of Ireland as an intern with their Education Department. There I gained experience working in an office environment and employment as both a tour guide and outreach facilitator. I then completed an M.A. in Cultural Policy & Arts Administration at University College Dublin, which included placement at Dublin City Council's Arts Office. I was employed there as Administrator of the Dublin Writers Festival. I then worked with Artworking - an independent Arts Consultant and Dance Theatre of Ireland before arriving at my current position in Fingal County Council.

Name: Nigel Flegg

Course: Classical Civilisation and Spanish TSM

Job title: Head of Education, Community and Outreach

Organisation: National Concert Hall

Profile:

After graduating from TCD in 1992 I spent a year in Spain before returning to undertake a Diploma in Business Studies. I taught in UCD Language Centre from 1994-1996, and worked as a freelance musician from 1994-2001. During this time I also taught music at Newpark Music Centre, where I took over as Director in 2001. I left this position in 2011 to return to TCD and secure my M.Ed. (Leadership and Management), while maintaining project based work in Newpark Music Centre. In June 2014, I was appointed Head of Education, Community and Outreach at the National Concert Hall.

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Name: Aoibheann McCarthy

Course: History of Art and Architecture

Job title: Project & Corporate Partnerships Assistant Organisation: Design & Crafts Council of Ireland, ID 2015

Profile:

I have worked as an arts and heritage curator, educator, administrator and researcher in diverse community arts contexts, national and regional arts institutions and independent exhibitions, festivals and projects. I hold a practice-based M.A. in Curatorial Studies from Limerick School of Art and Design, awarded through the Shinnors Curatorial Scholarship and supported by Social Entrepreneurs Ireland. I am interested to support undergraduates who want to explore career paths in the areas of curatorship, education and community development.

CONSERVATION

Name: Jason Bolton

Course: Ancient History and Archaeology

Job title: Archaeologist and Architectural Conservation Consultant

Organisation: Bolton Consultancy

Profile:

I worked initially as an underwater archaeologist, before moving into architectural conservation science. I worked for 5 years as a researcher, investigating, analysing and testing conservation treatments and methodologies for historic building materials, historic structures and archaeological sites. Since 2002, I have worked as a consultant, undertaking historical research projects, archaeological projects, and both investigating and advising on the conservation of historic buildings and archaeological monuments.

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Name: Erica Devine

Course: Ancient History and Archaeology and Russian TSM

Job title: Consultant Conservator

Organisation: Self-employed

Profile:

After TCD I worked for a telecommunications company and Russian Irish Business Association in Moscow as an office manager, event planner and interpreter, returning to Ireland as a field archaeologist, then post-graduate study in Durham University in Archaeological and Historic Object Conservation. I worked for the National Trust, as assistant conservator for the west of England and then worked in the National Museum. I then headed a laboratory for the largest archaeological contractor in Ireland and now am an independent consultant and founder of the Dublin Decorative & Fine Arts Society.

PR AND COMMUNICATIONS

Name: Audrey Brennan

Course: History of Art and Architecture and French TSM

Job title: Communications Consultant

Organisation: Self-employed

Profile:

I am a communications consultant to visual arts and literary organisations and am currently working with nag Gallery in Dublin and photographer Renato Ghiazza in Turin. I am also producing a short film for the Hennessy Literary Awards and a query package for a new book by an Irish actor. Previous experience includes working as Head of Development at the Irish Museum of Modern Art and the Royal Hibernian Academy and as a media consultant for Dublin Contemporary 2011. In 2014/15 I will be doing a full-time Masters in Creative and Cultural Entrepreneurship at TCD and Goldsmiths in London.

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Name: Adrian Langan

Course: History and Political Science
Job title: Principal (PR & Communications)

Organisation: Self-employed

Profile:

I have worked in PR and communications for various organisations, and have over 10 years' experience.

Name: Helen Petrini

Course: Classics Single Honors

Job title: Product/Communications Specialist

Organisation: Rabobank

Profile:

When I left Trinity I started working in the Financial Services sector for a company called FEXCO. Then I moved into software development for the financial services sector. I worked for a company that was acquired by Oracle and then I worked for IBM. This work involved designing banking software and working on projects to implement new IT systems in banks all over the world. I then took a role in Rabobank where for the last 9 years I have had a variety of roles including product management, marketing and communications. I have just completed an M.Sc. in Management (Digital Marketing) in DCU.

PUBLISHING, JOURNALISM AND PRODUCING

Name: Aisling Hanrahan

Course: History of Art and English TSM

Job title: Translations Manager, Editor and Artist

Organisation: Alliance Française, Dublin

Profile:

Since graduation I have worked in France, Oxford and Dublin, in areas relating to education, publications, and language. After graduation I worked in Grenoble, France, as an English language assistant. I pursued a Masters in Publishing in Oxford Brookes the year after and interned in Berg Publishers (Bloomsbury). I moved back to Dublin and spent some time job-hunting before finding a position as Editorial Assistant for Round Hall, a legal publishers (part of Thomson Reuters). I then moved into educational publishing, working as an Editor with Folens Publishers on school textbooks for four years. Looking for a change, I spent the next year in Paris working as a Web Editor. I am currently back in Dublin and managing the translation service at the Alliance Francaise, work which I have been combining with time spent painting.

Name: Michael Hughes

Course: History and Political Science

Job title: Executive Producer

Organisation: RTÉ

Profile:

I worked in 1998/99 as Runner for RTÉ Current Affairs. In 2000 I completed an M.A. in Journalism at DCU. From 2001 to 2005 I worked as a researcher and producer on BBC Newsnight. Following this I worked as a producer/director for Prime Time and investigative documentaries. Between 2010 and 2013 I was Executive Producer on Prime Time & The Frontline, deciding the editorial priorities of the programmes. From 2013 to 2014 I was Executive Producer on The Saturday Night Show and now The Republic of Telly.

Name: Joe Davitt Course: History

Job title: Deputy Sports Editor, The Herald

Organisation: Independent Newspapers

Profile:

From July 2000 to July 2001 I worked at Trinity College Students Union as Deputy President/Publicity Officer/Editor, University Record. From January 2002 to July 2014 I worked at the Evening Herald as Sport Assistant Editor. Since July 2014 I have been the Deputy Sports Editor with The Herald.

MARKETING, SALES AND ADVERTISING

Name: Alison Treacy

Course: History and English TSM

Job title: International Marketing Officer

Organisation: Trinity College Dublin

Profile:

Directly after University I interviewed and was selected for a paid internship in a busy Dublin media company, Mediacontact.ie. I then moved to Edinburgh where I was awarded a Masters Degree in Literature, before working for a year in the Scottish Court Service. I spent two years working in project management for the University of Edinburgh, where I worked on lots of different projects, all of them University-wide and student-facing. I started working as an International Marketing Officer for Trinity in Summer 2014.

Name: James Coghill

Course: History of Art and Italian TSM

Job title: Account Manager, Large Customer Sales

Organisation: Google

Profile:

I am currently in the UK account management team at Google, looking after the largest Banking and Investments clients with a particular interest on Google Analytics and Attribution. Prior to working in Large Customer Services, I worked with small and medium businesses, helping to grow their businesses online through Google's latest advertising products and solutions.

MANAGEMENT CONSULTANCY

Name: Mark Redmond

Course: History and English TSM

Job title: Chief Executive

Organisation: American Chamber of Commerce Ireland

Profile:

Post Trinity College Dublin, I trained with Price Waterhouse, worked as Director of Tax Learning and Development with PwC; CEO at the Irish Tax Institute and am currently CEO with the American Chamber of Commerce Ireland. The American Chamber is the representative organisation for US multinationals operating in Ireland including IBM, Intel, LinkedIn, Microsoft and PayPal employing over 120,000 people in Ireland.

Name: James Coyle

Course: History and Political Science

Job title: Managing Director

Organisation: JCR Network Services Ltd

Profile:

After graduating I spent some time in London trying out a variety of things before returning to Ireland to work as a graduate trainee in retail management. I reached senior level very quickly before becoming European Marketing Manager for a number of European banks. From financial services I moved into directorships of local manufacturing companies with export customers across Europe before setting up my own management consultancy. We focus on providing research and developing business and export growth strategies for SMEs in agri-food and emerging technology sectors.

Name: Andrew Hewat

Course: History

Job title: Commercial Support Manager Organisation: Grafton Merchanting Rol

Profile:

I read History which I loved and which included an Erasmus exchange to Aberdeeen. I graduated in 1994 and did a post-grad in business studies at the Smurfit School. My first job was in marketing for a company in the UK which was followed by a move to their head office in London. In 1997 I returned to Ireland and took up a project management role within Heiton Group. Heiton Group was taken over by Grafton Group in 2005 and I remain with the group today. My roles have included eCommerce Development, Marketing, Business Development, General Management and Change Management.

Name: John Mannion

Course: History

Job title: Management Consultant

Organisation: Accenture

Profile:

Following my graduation from History in 2005, I spent one year working in Trinity as President of the Students Union before living in Asia for three of the following four years. I worked as an English Teacher in Beijing, China before studying for my Masters in Public Policy in the National University of Singapore and the University of Tokyo from 2008-2010. In the intervening year I held positions in the European Movement Ireland as well as the Union of Students in Ireland. I have worked in Accenture since 2011 as a Management Consultant within the Health and Public Sector area of the company.

GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC POLICY

Name: Rory Montgomery

Course: History

Job title: Second Secretary General Organisation: Department of the Taoiseach

Profile:

I have spent my career in public service, mostly working for the Department of Foreign Affairs at home and abroad, most recently as Ambassador to France and Permanent Representative to the European Union. Highlights include helping to negotiate the Good Friday Agreement and the Lisbon Treaty, and chairing the EU Ambassadors' Committee during the Irish EU Presidency of 2013. I have just taken up duty as the Taoiseach's EU policy adviser.

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Name: David Walsh

Course: Classics Single Honors
Job title: Assistant Secretary General
Organisation: Department of the Environment

Profile:

Having studied and enjoyed doing Greek and Latin for my Leaving Cert, I chose to continue my studies, completing my B.A. (Classics) degree in 1992. I began teaching in a secondary school (as well as assisting the TCD Classics School with seminars/grammar classes) and got my H.Dip.Ed in 1995. However, with teaching jobs scarce at the time, I joined the Civil Service in Autumn 1995, beginning work in the Department of the Environment as a speech writer and editor of an environmental periodical. Since then, I've worked on major national and EU policy and now head up the Department's Environment Division.

Name: Kevin Dillon

Course: History and Political Science

Job title: Senior Researcher

Organisation: Fianna Fáil Research and Policy Unit

Profile:

During my time in Trinity I completed the Washington Ireland Program and held an internship in the Senate Office of Barack Obama on Capitol Hill. Following my graduation I undertook a Masters in UCD and worked as a researcher in TASC, a think tank in Dublin. I returned to the USA to work in a not for profit lobbying group for a year before moving to Brussels as a legislative assistant in the European Parliament. I began to work in Leinster House in 2011 and currently hold the position of Senior Researcher overseeing the Fianna Fáil Policy & Research Unit.

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Name: Heidi Lougheed

Course: History and French TSM Job title: Head of Trade Policy

Organisation: Ibec

Profile:

I recently took over as Head of Trade Policy in Ibec having returned from a secondment in the Department of the Taoiseach working on developing Ireland's relationship with the European Parliament. Previously Head of European Affairs for Ibec, and senior executive responsible for employment and social affairs.

Name: Aidan Sweeney

Course: History Single Honors
Job title: Senior Executive

Organisation: lbec

Profile:

A public policy specialist with 8 years experience in successful lobbying, campaign management and policy development at national, European and US-levels. I am the senior executive for Enterprise and Innovation policy at Ibec and have special responsibility for public procurement and infrastructure delivery. Prior to joining Ibec in 2008, I was a Brussels-based consultant and also spent time in the Delegation of the European Commission in Washington, DC. I hold a M.A. from the School of Slavonic and East European Studies, University College London.

FINANCE AND IT

Name: lain Donovan

Course: History and Geography TSM Job title: Head of Risk MI and Analysis

Organisation: Bank of Ireland

Profile:

My undergraduate degree was in History & Geography. I then spent a few years going down the secondary teaching and potential academic paths, doing a H.Dip.Ed. and then M.Litt. in History, before applying to dozens of companies on the jobs 'milkround' in 1993-94. I opted for the Lloyds Bank graduate training programme in London, and eventually found banking to be the best fit for me. I spent four years in London before joining Bank of Ireland on my return to Dublin in 1998. Since then I have been involved in international corporate lending, credit risk management and risk reporting to the board of the Bank.

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Name: Fiona Heskin

Course: History and Political Science

Job title: Financial Controller

Organisation: Henry J Lyons Architects

Profile:

My career started in BT Ireland preparing financial analysis on sales and calculating sales commissions. Whilst studying for my CIMA exams, I was promoted to Finance Analyst where I prepared accounts and analysis for a group company. When I qualified I became a Finance Business Partner, consolidating the all-Ireland monthly financials for submission to BT Group. I joined Henry J Lyons Architects in 2007 as a Management Accountant. In 2011 I became Financial Controller and Company Secretary, responsible for the financial affairs of the practice including legal and HR issues.

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Name: Brian Nisbet

Course: History Single Honors

Job title: Network Operations Manager

Organisation: HEAnet

Profile:

I am the Network Operations Manager for HEAnet, the Irish National Education & Research Network. My career in networking has been a huge departure from studying history in TCD, but I use much of what I learned in college every day. Interested in technology, communications (via whichever medium) and human interaction I really want to show Arts students just how useful their skills can be in almost every field.

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Name: Tanya Moeller

Course: History Single Honors
Job title: Founding Partner
Organisation: MS Solicitors

Profile:

I graduated from TCD with a B.A. in History and with a European Masters in Human Rights and Democratisation. Afterwards I spent time at the German Mission at the United Nations and other International organisations in Geneva in 2003 and at the Irish Council for Civil Liberties in 2004. I became a solicitor and am in practice as a solicitor for five years. Now a founding partner of MS Solicitors, a multilingual law firm in Dublin city centre. I offer two key services: 1. assist in setting career goals, 2. establishing a plan how to achieve these. I mentored three students 2013-2014.

Name: Patrick McCullough

Course: Classical Civilisation and Latin TSM

Job title: Barrister at Law

Organisation: Bar Council of Ireland

Profile:

I am a barrister practicing primarily in the field of criminal law in Dublin and the surrounding areas. I am now in my 4th year of practice and thus far have been focused mainly on criminal defence work, judicial review and administrative law. I graduated from Trinity College in 2008 having studied Latin and Classical Civilization as a two subject moderatorship with Latin as my primary subject.

Name: Stephen Browne
Course: Classical Civilisation
Job title: Barrister at law
Organisation: Self-employed

Profile:

After I completed my undergraduate degree I did a Masters in International Preceding Studies at the ISE. Immediately after, I started work at the GAA as a Player Welfare Officer where I worked from 2007 until 2012. During that time I went to Kings Inns where I did a two year night course for a diploma in legal studies and then two years of classes at the weekend to obtain the barrister at law degree qualification. I entered the Law Library in October 2012 and since then I have been practicing as a barrister in Dublin.

HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Name: Lewis Purser Course: Classics

Job title: Director, Academic Affairs
Organisation: Irish Universities Association

Profile:

Taught English in Hungary, Spain and Romania 1990-1992. Worked with UN/Ministry of Health in Romania 1992-94. Masters degree in Development Studies at University of Geneva 1994-96. Worked with UN in Romania and Bosnia-Herzegovina 1996-98. Worked with European University Association, Switzerland,1998-2005, as programme manager for a variety of initiatives bringing together universities from Eastern and Western Europe. 2005 to date as Director of Academic Affairs, Irish Universities Association, working with all seven Irish universities on a range of policy initiatives.

Name: Maria Farrell

Course: History of Art, English and Economics

Job title: Tutor in Faculty of Education
Organisation: National College of Art and Design

Profile:

After graduation I completed the Higher Diploma in Education (TCD) and I taught History of Art and English at second level for a number of years. Since completing an M.Ed. (TCD) I have worked as a tutor in the Faculty of Education at the NCAD where my work has included lecturing the History of Art and Art history methodology, supervision of student teaching practice and thesis writing. I have also taught courses in Film and Cultural Studies (I have an MA in Film Studies).

Name: Sarah Grimson

Course: Ancient History and Archaeology and History TSM

Job title: Coordinator of the Foundation Courses for Higher Education

Organisation: Trinity Access Programmes, TCD

Profile:

I graduated with a degree in Ancient History and Archaeology and History in 2000 and the following year completed a Higher Diploma in Education in Trinity. Having taught at second level in Ireland for two years, I worked with Voluntary Service Overseas in Northern Cameroon as a teacher and teacher trainer for two years. I then studied a Masters in Education in the University of Edinburgh, before taking up a position as a Project Officer in Trinity Access Programmes, in Trinity College. I am now the coordinator of the TAP Foundation Courses for Higher Education.

Name: Camille Rocca

Course: Classical Civilisation and Italian TSM

Job title: Trainer

Organisation: Folens Publishers

Profile:

After graduating from Trinity (during which time I did LINGUA in the University of Bologna and spent a year working in Milan), I did the USF funded DBS course in UCD. I worked part-time as a tour guide at Dublin Castle to cover my living costs. Straight after UCD I started a job as a sales rep with a publisher. That role developed over the years and in Jan 2005 I became Sales Manager. In Jan 2012 we were bought by Folens Publishers in Tallaght. I recently changed role within Folens and now work in a coaching role as Product Trainer. This role is between the Publishing and Sales departments.

WEB DESIGN

Name: Barry White

Course: History of Art and English TSM
Job title: Web Designer and Artist

Organisation: Freelance

Profile:

After a long period working in a curatorial role with contemporary art Galleries, I took some time out to develop my own artistic practice and explore other means of deploying the knowledge and experience accumulated through my studies and work. While still very involved in the world of Contemporary Art, the thrust of my current work and ongoing education is in the field of Digital Design and Technology. I have just begun a B.Sc. programme in Digital Design and Innovation, and am working on freelance projects in Web Design, as well as continuing to pursue my fine art practice.

Name: David Donoghue

Course: History of Art and French TSM Job title: Web Designer and Developer

Organisation: Digit Game Studios

Profile:

I have B.A. History of Art and French (2011), including a year in Paris with a Diploma in French at the Sorbonne and an M.Sc. in Interactive Digital Media from DIT (2013). I am Founder of Arthub.ie, which promotes and encourages online discussion about the Arts in Ireland. I have worked as a Research Assistant, an Assistant to the Curator of the TCD Art collections and a freelance designer and writer. I am currently a Web Designer and Developer at Digit Game Studios. I have also produced numerous design, music and photographic collections as well as an interactive art installation.

Name: Charles Pike

Course: Classical Civilisation and English TSM

Job title: Partner

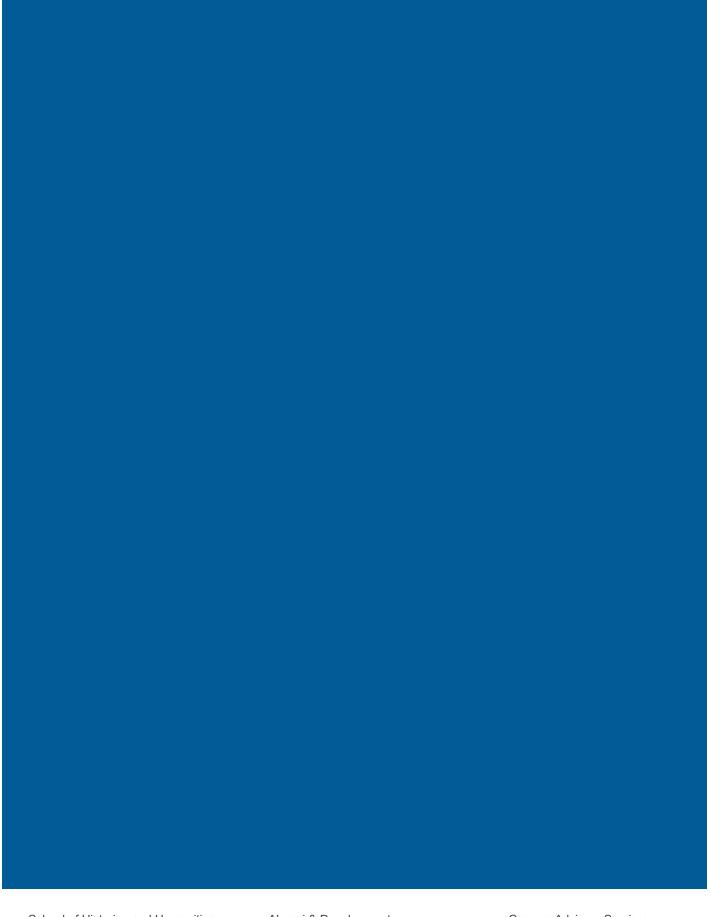
Organisation: The Paciello Group

Profile:

I graduated with 2.1 in English and Classical Civilization. I taught English literature in Abu Dhabi and English as a Foreign Language for three years in Turkey. On returning to Ireland, I retrained in web development. I set up Usable Design in 2005 as a web and user experience design company. This merged in 2007 with The Paciello Group, specialists in software accessibility. I am now a partner in The Paciello Group and director of TPG (Europe) Ltd. I also established new startup, Webseam in 2013, which launched with Enterprise Ireland funding in 2014.

Unable to attend launch

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