School of Languages, Literatures and Cultural Studies Covid-19 Positive Case Response Protocol

(as of 15th November 2021)

In the case of a student testing positive for Covid-19, you must follow the procedures outlined below as soon as possible:

- 1. After receiving notification of a positive Covid-19 test, please make sure to observe the **HSE guidelines in place**:
 - a. https://www2.hse.ie/conditions/covid19/testing/positive-result/
- 2. Please notify:
 - Module Coordinator,
 - Head of Discipline (where relevant)
 - Head of School (Prof. Omar García, omar.garcia@tcd.ie)
 - School Administrative Manager (Ms Rima Fitzpatrick, fitzpari@tcd.ie)
 - Health and Safety Officer (Dr Katerina García, kgarcia@tcd.ie)

and **fill the Covid-19** —**Student Contact Tracing Form**. Please forward the form to Dr David McGrath at <u>covidnotify@tcd.ie</u>, with copy to the School Health and Safety Officer, at <u>kgarcia@tcd.ie</u> and the HoS, Prof. Omar García (<u>omar.garcia@tcd.ie</u>).

- 3. Please note that where there is an outbreak in a class it may be reasonable (depending on the circumstances) to put in place a circuit breaker, i.e. 7 days online. Dr McGrath will advise in each case.
- 4. Please note that the GOI considers academics frontline, key workers, so it is important to note this and be vigilant as cases rise.