

1. Welcome

Welcome to Technological University Dublin and to your chosen programme of study. This is the student handbook and it offers useful information and background advice about the programme, its regulations and procedures as well as general information about Technological University Dublin (TU Dublin). It guides students through each stage from first registration, through lectures and learning supports, to assessments and examinations, and gives details of the modules on your stage of the programme. Therefore, it is a useful and important companion to the programme throughout a student's period of study.

The student handbook should be used in conjunction with the information available on the university website www.tudublin.ie in particular the section *For Students* which provides information on supports, regulations, facilities and life at college.

As this is a dynamic document that gets updated as your programme develops and evolves each year, you are strongly recommended to download a personal copy for reference – employers, colleges or accreditation processes may in future wish you to provide information about the programme correct at the time at which you studied.

The document gives information about all essential aspects of a student's registration and study on the programme, But it is not exhaustive and students should also keep in regular contact with their Year Tutor and refer to the information distributed periodically by the Programme Coordinator and the School for additional information and updates. **All official correspondence relating to students' study will be sent to their TU Dublin email address and this email should be checked regularly.**

This student handbook is updated annually to reflect changes to the programme and to TU Dublin procedures. Therefore, even continuing students are advised to read the most up-to-date version carefully.

Students should contact their Year Tutor or the Head of Discipline with responsibility for programme oversight if they have any questions about the programme or if any issues arise during their studies.

Finally, we hope that all students enjoy their studies and their time at Technological University Dublin is extremely rewarding. We hope that students will find the programme interesting and stimulating and will learn many new skills and meet new friends along the way. But most importantly, we hope that students will develop their love and appreciation of mathematics and statistics. We warmly welcome our alumni to visit us in the future and many of our students return to the School for further study, taking up some of the wide range of full and part-time programmes we offer: postgraduate programmes, continuing professional development awards, upskilling short courses, and research opportunities.