



## **ALERT LIST 2020**

### **New Programmes**

#### **MI004 – B.Ed International (Limerick Campus)**

This programme has the same content and entry requirements as the B.Ed programmes MI005/06. However, the difference is that in Year 3 (semester 5 of programme) students will have a compulsory international study period abroad. There may also be some modules with an international component available. Students will have the opportunity to travel to Colleges in the USA such as Boston College, Loyola University, and also the Australian Catholic University. There will be approximately 12-15 places available, and this number will be taken off the DES allocated number of places for MI005/06.

Students will pay only the MIC tuition fees, and not their host University's tuition for the semester that they are abroad. The International Office at MIC will facilitate the exchange arrangements.

#### **MI014 – BA in Education, Mathematics and Business Studies (Thurles Campus)**

This programme is a four-year, full-time, undergraduate concurrent teacher education degree. Graduates are qualified to teach Mathematics and Business Studies to honours Leaving Certificate level.

##### Entry Requirements:

H5 in a higher level paper in 2 subjects

Mathematics H5 or O1

H7/O6 in 4 other subjects which must include English

### **Change to existing Programmes**

#### **MI002 – BA Arts**

From September 2020 onwards, this programme will be a stand-alone BA Arts Degree offered by MIC, rather than a joint programme offered with UL. Therefore, a number of subjects which are currently on offer through the joint BA Arts programme, such as Spanish, Economics and Sociology will no longer be available. There will be a total of 13 subjects offered in First Year.

## **Open Days**

Open Days at MIC Limerick were held on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> October in conjunction with UL and LIT. There will be another Open Day on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at Limerick Campus. Taster Sessions for Limerick programmes will take place on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

The Open Day at the MIC Thurles Campus will be Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2019. A Student Teacher Experience Day will take place at Thurles on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

## **School Visits**

Our Student Recruitment Officer is Pat Cosgrove, and he can be contacted on 061 774775 to arrange a school visit. His email is [Patrick.Cosgrove@mic.ul.ie](mailto:Patrick.Cosgrove@mic.ul.ie)

## **Scholarships**

From September 2020 there will be **2 Elite Sports Scholarships** valued at **€4000 each**, available for **high performance athletes**. This will be by online application, which is now open and the closing date is 1<sup>st</sup> May 2020. Interviews will take place sometime in August. These Elite Sports Scholarships are open to incoming first year undergraduate and postgraduate students, and also current students at MIC Limerick and Thurles.

MIC are introducing a new **CAO Points Concession Scheme for high performance athletes** from September 2020. Successful applicants who meet all the requirements may be eligible for up to **40 points** concession across all undergraduate programmes in Round 1. Applicants must apply through the CAO in the normal manner, and also complete the online application form which is now open. Closing date is 1<sup>st</sup> May 2020.

**CAO applicants may apply for CAO Points Concession and Elite Scholarships.**

MIC also has 50 **Undergraduate Entrance Scholarships** valued at €2000 each, based on CAO points.