LIST OF APPRENTICESHIPS



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Current Apprenticeships

	Apprenticeship	NFQ Level	Duration	Coordinating Provider	Collaborating Provider(s)	Industry Lead
	AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE					
1	Arboriculture	Level 6	2 years	Galway & Roscommon Education and Training Board	-	Kilcoyne Tree Care
2	Farm Manager	Level 7	2 Years	Teagasc	-	IFA & Macra na Feirme
3	Farm Technician	Level 6	2 Years	Teagasc	-	IFA & Macra na Feirme
4	Horticulture	Level 6	2 Years	Teagasc	-	National Agro Chemical DistributorsConsu
5	Sportsturf Management	Level 6	2 Years	Teagasc	-	Cropcare
	BIOPHARMA					
6	Bio Process and Chemical Process Technician	Level 6	2 Years	TU Dublin	Technological University Dublin	Biopharmachem Ireland- IBEC
7	Laboratory Analyst	Level 7	3 years	TU Dublin	South East Technological University Waterford (September 2019)	IBEC Biopharma cluster
8	Laboratory Technician	Level 6	2 years	TU Dublin	South East Technological University Waterford (September 2019)	IBEC Biopharma cluster
	BUSINESS					
9	Business and Operations	Level 6	26 Months	Mayo, Sligo & Leitrim Education & Training Board	-	LIDL Ireland
	CONSTRUCTION					
10	Advanced Quantity Surveyor	Level 9	2 Years	The Technological University of the Shannon (TUS)	-	Society of Chartered Surveyors Ireland
11	Brick and Stonelaying	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
12	Carpentry and Joinery	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
13	Geo-Driller	Level 6	2 Years	South East Technological University Carlow	-	Geological Survey Ireland
14	Painting and Decorating	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
15	Plastering	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
16	Plumbing	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
17	Quantity Surveying	Level 8	4 Years	Atlantic Technological University Sligo	-	Society of Chartered Surveyors Ireland
18	Scaffolding	Level 5	2 Years	Laois & Offaly Education and Training Board	-	Construction Industry Federation
19	Stonecutting and Stonemasonry	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards	
20	Wood Manufacturing and Finishing	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
	ELECTRICAL					
21	Aircraft Mechanics	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
22	Electrical	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
23	Electrical Instrumentation	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
24	Electronic Security Systems	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
25	Industrial Electrical Engineer	Level 7	2 Years	The Technological University of the Shannon (TUS)	TU Dublin	Stryker
26	Instrumentation	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
27	Refrigeration and Air Conditioning	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
	ENGINEERING					
28	Advanced Manufacturing Engineer	Level 8	4 Years	Atlantic Technological University Galway	-	Ibec
29	Civil Engineering Technician	Level 6	2 Years	Atlantic Technological University Sligo	-	Civil Engineering Contractors Association
30	Civil Engineering Technologist	Level 7	3 Years	Atlantic Technological University Sligo	-	Civil Engineering Contractors Association
31	Civil Engineer	Level 8	4 Years	Atlantic Technological University Sligo	-	Civil Engineering Contractors Association
32	Engineering Services Management	Level 7	2 Years	Munster Technological University	-	Construction Industry Federation
33	Equipment Systems Engineer	Level 9	2 Years	University of Limerick	-	SL Controls
34	Farriery	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Irish School of Farriery	
35	Industrial Insulation	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
36	Lean Sigma Manager	Level 9	2 Years	University of Limerick	-	ICBE
37	Manufacturing Engineering	Level 7	3 Years	Atlantic Technological University Galway	Technological Universities	Irish Medical Devices Assoc., IBEC
38	Manufacturing Technology	Level 6	2 Years	Atlantic Technological University Galway	Technological Universities	Irish Medical Devices Assoc., IBEC
39	Mechanical Automation and Maintenance Fitting	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
40	Metal Fabrication	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
41	OEM Engineer	Level 6	3 Years	Cavan & Monaghan Education and Training Board	Limerick & Clare Education and Training Board	CombiLift
42	Pipefitting	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
43	Polymer Processing Technology	Level 7	3 Years	The Technological University of the Shannon (TUS)	Atlantic Technological University Sligo (online element)	Plastics Ireland, IBEC

44	Principal Engineer	Level 10	4 Years	University of Limerick	-	Lero
45	Robotics and Automation	Level 6	2 Years	Louth Meath ETB (LMETB)	-	Irish Manufacturing Research (IMR)
46	Road Surfacing Technology	Level 6	2 Years	Technological University of Shannon	-	Colas
47	Sheet Metalworking	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
48	Toolmaking	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
49	Wind Turbine Maintenance	Level 6	3 Years	Kerry Education and Training Board	-	Gamesa

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	FINANCE					
50	Accounting Technician	Level 6	2 Years	Accounting Technicians Ireland	ETBs: Cavan & Monaghan; City of Dublin; Dublin & Dun Laoghaire; Kildare & Wicklow	Accounting Technicians Ireland
51	Accounting Technologist	Level 8	2 Years	Accounting Technicians Ireland	Technological University of the Shannon Midlands Midwest	Accounting Technicians Ireland
52	International Financial Services Associate	Level 6	2 Years	National College of Ireland	-	Financial Services Ireland (FSI)
53	International Financial Services Specialist	Level 8	2 Years	National College of Ireland	-	Financial Services Ireland (FSI)
	HAIR					
54	Hairdressing	Level 6	3 Years	Limerick & Clare Education and Training Board	All other 15 Education and Training Boards	Hairdressing Council of Ireland
	HEALTH & SOCIAL					
55	Advanced Healthcare Assistant Practitioner	Level 6	2 Years	Griffith College	-	TUSLA
56	Paramedic	Level 8	4 Years	University College Cork	-	National Ambulance Service
57	Social Care	Level 8	3 Years	University College Cork	-	TUSLA
58	Social Work	Level 9	2 Years	University College Cork	-	Irish Association of Social Workers (IASW)
	HOSPITALITY & FOOD					
59	Bar Manager	Level 7	3 Years	Griffith College	-	Vintners' Federation of Ireland
60	Butcher	Level 5	2 Years	Mayo, Sligo & Leitrim Education and Training Board	-	Associated Craft Butchers of Ireland
61	Chef de Partie	Level 7	4 Years	Munster Technological University	Munster Technological University, Atlantic Technological University Donegal Letterkenny	Restaurant Association of Ireland (RAI)
62	Commis Chef	Level 6	2 Years	Kerry Education and Training Board	ETBs: Cavan & Monaghan; City of Dublin; Cork, Galway & Roscommon; Limerick & Clare, Kildare & Wicklow, Kilkenny & Carlow, Mayo, Sligo & Leitrim	Irish Hotels Federation (IHF)
63	Sous Chef	Level 8	2 Years	Munster Technological University Kerry	-	Restaurant Association of Ireland (RAI)
	ICT					
64	CGI Technical Artist (Animation, Games, VFX)	Level 8	2 Years	TU Dublin	-	Screen Skills Ireland
65	Cybersecurity	Level 6	2 Years	FIT	Education and Training Boards	FIT
66	Cybersecurity Practitioner	Level 8	3 Years	University of Limerick	-	Cyber Ireland
67	Computer Networking Associate	Level 6	2 Years	FIT	Education and Training Boards	FIT
68	Software Development Associate	Level 6	2 Years	FIT	Education and Training Boards	FIT
69	Software Solutions Architect	Level 9	2 Years	Munster Technological University	-	Lero (Irish Software Engineering Research CSET)
70	Software Tester	Level 6	2 Years	Technological University of Shannon	-	Jaguar Land Rover, Ireland Ltd
71	Telecommunications and Data Network Technician	Level 6	2 Years	TU Dublin	-	KN Networks
	INSURANCE					
72	Insurance Practitioner	Level 8	3 Years	Atlantic Technological University Sligo	-	Insurance Institute of Ireland
	LOGISTICS					
73	Logistics Associate	Level 6	2 Years	TU Dublin	Munster Technological University Cork (September 2019)	Freight Transport Association of Ireland (FTAI)
74	Supply Chain Associate	Level 7	2 Years	University of Limerick	-	IPICS The Supply Chain Management Institute
75	Supply Chain Manager	Level 9	2 Years	University of Limerick	-	IPICS The Supply Chain Management Institute
76	Supply Chain Specialist	Level 8	2 Years	University of Limerick	-	IPICS The Supply Chain Management Institute
77	Transport Operations and Commercial Driving	Level 6	2 Years	Atlantic Technological University Sligo	-	Freight Transport Association of Ireland (FTAI)
	MOTOR					
78	Agricultural Mechanics	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
79	Construction Plant Fitting	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
80	Heavy Vehicle Mechanics	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
81	Motor Mechanics	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
82	Vehicle Body Repairs	Level 6	4 Years	SOLAS	Education and Training Boards & Technological Universities	
	PROPERTY SERVICES					
83	Auctioneering and Property Services	Level 6	2 Years	City of Dublin Education and Training Board	Cork Education and Training Board	Sherry FitzGerald
	RECRUITMENT					
84	Recruitment Executive	Level 8	3 Years	National College of Ireland	-	National Recruitment Federation

	SALES & MARKETING					
85	Digital Marketing	Level 6	2 Years	Mayo, Sligo, Leitrim Education and Training Board	-	RDI Hub and Buymedia
86	Retail Supervision	Level 6	2 Years	Retail Ireland Skillnet (RIS)		Retail Ireland
87	Sales	Level 6	2 Years	Mayo, Sligo & Leitrim Education and Training Board	-	Sales Sense

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Apprenticeships in development

	Proposed Apprenticeship	Proposed NFQ Level	Proposed Duration	Proposer(s)	Proposed Coordinating Provider
	Occupational Profile approved				
	BEAUTY (HOLDING NAME)				
88	Beauty Therapy	Level 6	3 Years	Hair and Beauty Industry Confederation (HABIC)	Limerick and Clare Education and Training Board
	CONSTRUCTION				
89	Building Surveyor	Level 8	4 Years	Society of Charted Surveyors Ireland	Dundalk Institute of Technology
90	Quantity Surveying Technician	Level 6	2 Years	Society of Chartered Surveyors Ireland	Atlantic Technological University Sligo
91	Quantity Surveying Associate	Level 7	3 Years	Society of Chartered Surveyors Ireland	Atlantic Technological University Sligo
92	Roofing and Cladding	Level 6	3 Years	Construction Industry Federation	City of Dublin Education and Training Board
	ENGINEERING				
93	Civil Engineer	Level 9	2 Years	Civil Engineering Contractors Association	Atlantic Technological University Sligo
94	Geospatial Survey Technician	Level 6	2 Years	Society of Charted Surveyors Ireland	Technological University Dublin
95	Precision Machinist and Quality Control	Level 6	3 Years	Precision Turned Parts Manufacturing Association	The Technological University of the Shannon (TUS)
	ELECTRICAL				
96	Electrical Overhead Lines Worker	Level 5	2 Years	ESB Networks DAC	Laois and Offaly Education and Training Board
	EQUINE				
97	Stud Farm Assistant Management	Level 7	2 Years	Teagasc	Teagasc
	FINANCE				
98	Banking	Level 7	TBC	The Institute of Bankers Ireland	The Institute of Bankers Ireland
	HAIR				
99	Barbering	Level 6	2 Years	Hair and Beauty Industry Confederation (HABIC)	Limerick and Clare Education and Training Board
	HOSPITALITY & FOOD				
100	Bakery and Confectionery	Level 6	2 Years	Twomey Bakery	Limerick and Clare Education and Training Board
	ICT				
101	Data Analyst	Level 6	2 Years	SAP	FIT
102	Immersive Technology	Level 6	2 Years	Mersus Technologies	Mayo, Sligo and Leitrim Education & Training Board
	TBD				
103	Advertising and Communications	Level 6	2 Years	IAPI (Institute of Advertising Practitioners in Ireland)	Technological University Dublin
104	Dental Nurse	Level 6	2 years	Swords Dental	City of Dublin Education and Training Board
105	Firefighter EMS	Level 8	3 Years	Dublin Fire Brigade	Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland
106	Social and Affordable Housing and Housing Services	Level 6	2 Years	Clann	City of Dublin Education and Training Board
107	Spatial Planning	Level 8	4 Years	Robert Keran and Associates	Technological University Dublin
	Occupational Profile not yet approved				
	TBD				
108	HR Recruitment	Level 8	3 Years	CIPD (Chartered Institute of Personnel &Development)	National College of Ireland
109	Sustainability Manager	Level 9	2 Years	Sustainable Enterprise Skillnet	20 FIFTY Partners/ University of Limerick
	CONSTRUCTION				
110	Construction Site Management	Level 7	3 Years	SCSI (Society of Chartered Surveyors Ireland)	Technical University Dublin/ South East TU
111	Water Operations Technician	Level 6	2 Years	Uisce Éireann	Atlantic Technological University
	FINANCE				
112	Professional Procurement and Purchasing Associate	Level 7	2 Years	Anser Procurement	University of Limerick
	LOGISTICS				
113	Customs Compliance Associate	Level 7	2 Years	Anthony Buckley Consulting	University of Limerick

