

MA (SOCIOLOGY OF SUSTAINABILITY AND GLOBAL CHALLENGES)

Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning Outcomes for MA in the Sociology of Sustainability and Global Challenges (NFQ Level 9, Major Award)

On successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- Recognise the multi-dimensional nature of many Sustainability and Global Challenges trends, issues and problems and the core connection to poverty and global inequality;
- Identify, use, evaluate and interpret information from various sources to support analysis of Sustainability and Global Challenges trends, issues and problems;
- Develop and effectively apply sociological theories, methods and approaches in analysing challenges in the areas of Sustainability and Global Challenges;
- Design research projects and programmes to identify key Sustainability and Global Challenges issues and identify solutions;
- Identify and apply appropriate analytical techniques for effective development projects;
- Communicate effectively and confidently on subject-specific topics in the written and oral form;
- Communicate effectively with the academic community and with society at large;
- Work effectively as an individual and in teams in both disciplinary and multi-disciplinary settings.