

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN APPLIED SOCIAL STUDIES

Overview

Status: Active

National Framework Of Qualifications (NFQ) Level: 9

NFQ Award Class: Minor Award

Total Credits: 30

Connected Curriculum:

- Civic and Community Engagement
- Employability
- Research Based Teaching

Graduate Attributes:

- Creator, evaluator and communicator of knowledge
- Digitally Fluent
- Effective global citizen
- Independent and creative thinker
- Socially Responsible

UCC policies applying to applicants/students on this programme:

- Fitness to Practise Policy
- Student Vetting Policy and Procedure

This Postgraduate Certificate is an alternative non-professional exit award for candidates in **Year 1** of the Master of Social Work (<https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/mswk/>) or Postgraduate Diploma in Social Work Studies (<https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdsws/>) programme who pass at least 30 credits in **Year 1** but have but have failed to reach the pass standard for the Year 1 placement module (SS6112), or who decide not to continue with their professional training in the MSW/PDSWS programme.

Candidates who opt to exit and graduate with Postgraduate Certificate in Applied Social Studies will not be eligible to apply to register with the Social Work Registration Board (CORU).

Programme Requirements

For information about modules, module choice, options and credit weightings, please go to Programme Requirements (p.).