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University College Cork CINNTE Review 2023

The Review Team



Chair

Professor Joanne Wright, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Education) at the University of Sydney, is responsible for the University's strategy around teaching, learning and students' educational experience. She oversees institution-wide development of better support for student learning and the student experience, including our approach to student support, curriculum renewal, new thinking in pedagogy, learning and teaching analytics, face-to-face, online and blended learning, and quality assurance.

Prior to joining the University of Sydney, Professor Wright was Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic) for the University of Queensland (UQ). She previously held senior level academic leadership roles for many years, starting with her position as Dean of the Faculty of History and Social Sciences at Royal Holloway University of London in 2002.

Professor Wright has held responsibility for teaching and learning portfolios at the University of Sussex and the University of South Australia where she also held the appointment of Acting Vice-Chancellor for a period, before moving to UQ in 2013. She was at the forefront of UQ's work on blended learning and curriculum reform and led the University's teaching and learning response to the global pandemic.

Professor Wright has well-established relationships in the higher education sector, serving as a member of several national advisory bodies and working groups through Universities Australia and the Group of Eight (Go8).



Coordinating Reviewer

Professor David Croke is a graduate of Waterford Institute of Technology in Biotechnology, a graduate of The University of Dublin (Trinity College) in Biochemistry and Genetics and a Fellow of the Royal College of Pathologists (UK).

He is an Emeritus Professor in the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (RCSI) University of Medicine & Health Sciences, having previously served as Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences (2006-2010) and as Professor of Biochemistry & Co-Chair, Department of Molecular & Cellular Therapeutics (2006-2014).



Professor Croke was RCSI Director of Quality Enhancement (2010-2021) and led the establishment of the Quality Enhancement Office and the implementation of quality assurance/quality improvement policies, procedures and structures encompassing the undergraduate, postgraduate and professional activities of RCSI.


He has participated in internal & external Quality Review Panels in the Irish universities and served as External Review Panel Chair for a number of Institutional and Programmatic Reviews within the Catalan university system under the aegis of AQU-Catalunya. He is also involved in the accreditation of international medical schools through his membership of the Accreditation Commission on Colleges of Medicine.



Joan Mulvihill, Digitalisation and Sustainability Lead for Siemens in Ireland, has been at the forefront of driving technology adoption in Ireland for the past decade. Serving as CEO of the Irish Internet Association for seven years followed by two years as Centre Director for the Irish Centre for Cloud Computing, Joan's role in leading digitalisation for Siemens customers builds on her deep commitment to and understanding of the needs of Irish business to create sustainable value.

With her colleagues at Siemens, Joan believes in collaborating with customers in the leveraging of collective domain expertise, creative thinking and problem solving to realise solutions that transform businesses and create a sustainable future.

	<p>Professor Patrick Guiry is currently Director of the Centre for Synthesis and Chemical Biology at University College Dublin (UCD). He is a current member of UCD's Governing Authority and the University's Finance, Remuneration and Asset Management Committee. He was elected as a member of the Senate of the National University of Ireland (2012-present) and since 2018, is the Chair of the Board of the Young Scientist and Technology Exhibition. In 2022 he was elected President of the Institute of Chemistry of Ireland.</p> <p>Professor Guiry is currently the elected President of EuChemS Division of Organic Chemistry (2022-24). Previously, he was elected as a member of the Royal Irish Academy (RIA) in 2013 and took on the role as Science Secretary of the RIA from 2016-2020. He was awarded the Boyle-Higgins Medal by the Institute of Chemistry of Ireland in 2013 and is a recipient of the Science Foundation Ireland Mentorship Award in 2020.</p> <p>He holds a BSc (Hons) in Chemistry, UCD (1986) and a PhD (1990) and was a Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Oxford (1990-1993).</p>
	<p>As Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Global) at Durham University, Professor Claire O'Malley is responsible for the strategic leadership and implementation of the University's international agenda. She joined Durham University in January 2018 from the University of Nottingham's Malaysia Campus, where she served as Dean of the Faculty of Science and then Vice Provost for Research and Knowledge Exchange, 2014-18. During that time, she chaired the Research and Innovation Committee for the EU-Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry.</p> <p>Prior to moving to Malaysia, Claire was Professor of Learning Science in the School of Psychology, University of Nottingham, UK, since 2004. She has extensive experience of service on UK and international funding panels. She was a member of ESRC's Research Committee (2012-14) and Vice Chair of ESRC Grants Board (2004-8). Claire has also served on a number of international funding panels, including NSF, ANR, DFG and German Council of Science and Humanities, NWO, FCT, Swiss Research Council, Israeli Research Council, Royal Society of New Zealand Marsden Fund, Australian Research Council, amongst others.</p> <p>Claire holds an undergraduate degree in Psychology and Philosophy and a PhD from the School of Education from</p>

	<p>the University of Leeds and is a Chartered Psychologist with the British Psychological Society.</p>
 A professional headshot of a young man with short brown hair, wearing glasses, a white shirt, a striped tie, and a dark suit jacket. He is looking directly at the camera with a slight smile.	<p>Jakub Bakonyi is a fifth year law student and public administration graduate at the Jagiellonian University in Kraków, Poland with expertise in higher education governance and quality assurance. Jakub is a former president of the Jagiellonian University Students' Union and the Alliance of Kraków Universities' Student Unions. He has successfully established and implemented a wide range of social programmes and initiatives.</p> <p>He has extensive experience of and held memberships in national and international academic community institutions, including Jagiellonian University, General Council of Science and Higher Education, Polish Accreditation Committee, Students' Parliament of the Republic of Poland, European Students' Union (ESU), European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education (ENQA) and Accreditation Organisation of the Netherlands and Flanders (NVAO).</p> <p>In his spare time, Jakub is a fan of politics, history, travelling and new technologies.</p>