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50% biopharma
jobs growth in next
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98% of graduates
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BSc Biotechnology

Why choose this course?

Biotechnology is an ideal course if you enjoy biology and want to learn more about how cutting-edge advances in molecular biology and technology are applied to treat diseases, address food shortages, create new green fuels and help clean the environment.

Ireland's Biopharma and Biotech industries continue to grow and there is a strong demand for well-trained, experienced graduates.

Features that make our Biotechnology graduates stand out are:

- Placement; opportunity to train in Biotech industry in Ireland or research labs in Europe
- International perspectives; language skills and international integrations enhance job opportunities
- Employability modules; tailored training to prepare for job market
- Small class sizes and personal mentoring; get to know your tutors and enjoy great camaraderie

Course Overview

Biotechnology is the application of biology for the benefit of humanity and the environment. Our BSc Biotechnology is a science-focused and closely mentored course with strong career opportunities and an international outlook.

Alongside core knowledge of modern biology, the BSc Biotechnology degree provides tailored training in communications, business and language skills.

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Career Opportunities

Ireland's life sciences sector has a global reputation for excellence with 9 of top 10 biopharma companies having production bases here. Ireland is one the top 5 global exporters of pharmaceuticals. Over 50,000 people are employed in the sector, with growth of 50% expected in the next 5 years.

This success relies on a strong talent pool. For over 30 years, graduates of our BSc Biotechnology have found rewarding careers across the life sciences R&D and production sector with global leaders such as Abbott, AbbVie, Eli Lilly, Medtronic and Pfizer.

Our integrated training has also opened doors in healthcare, food and nutrition, and environment and sustainability roles. Graduate also follow careers in universities, management, education, medicine and marketing.

Duration

4 years

Average Intake

28

The opportunity for a placement in a biopharma company or research lab in Europe, the emphasis on employability skills and the business training gives me a really unique CV that stands out from other science graduates.

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