**Designing Futures USP - University Skills Passport Co/Extra Curricular Activity Setup Form**

Thank you for engaging with the Designing Futures USP - University Skills Passport. This form will determine the eligibility of your activity for inclusion on the Designing Futures USP - University Skills Passport. You are required to fill out one form per activity that will be awarded a credential. It will capture the basic data required to set up your activity on our central student record system and to set up the credentials that you choose to award your students on completion of your activity. This information will reside on file as part of the governance underpinning the digital credential awarded by the University.

Should you wish to change the setup outside of the annual review process please email USP@universityofgalway.ie.

1. **Title of activity:**

**(Note: This title will appear on the credential awarded and on the USP - University Skills Passport)**

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1. **Hosting Department**

Please specify the University department that currently has responsibility for this activity (e.g., Professional Services Department/College/School/Discipline/Student’s Union/Other)

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1. **Activity Owner Contact Details:**

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| **Name:**  |
| **Email:**  |
| **Phone:**  |

1. “**Contact Us” Email address:**

(Email Correspondence from students enquiring about your award will be directed to this address)

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| “**Contact us” Email:**  |

1. **Activity Webpage**

Please include a URL link to your activity’s web page (If relevant):

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1. **Short Description of Activity to appear on the Skills WEBSITE**

Please provide a brief description of your activity, this description will appear on the USP -University Skills Passport activities webpage. **Recommended text length: 150 words.** A user may be an external user browsing activities OR an existing student exploring activities / badges; the tone of the text should be engaging, open and welcoming. It should describe to someone who knows nothing about the activity, what the activity is about in an informal way. It should conclude with a call to action e.g. **Artsoc:**Join us to unlock your artistic abilities!!!

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1. **Description of Activity as Metadata for the DIGITAL BADGE**

Please provide a brief formal description of your activity. This description will be recorded on the metadata associated with the digital badge. **This should explain to a student and an external partner what the badge is about and what a student has completed in order to achieve the badge (i.e., badge criteria: Attendance, Written reflection, presentation etc,)**

**Recommended text length: 150 words**

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1. **Criteria to earn this DIGITAL BADGE**

Please list a brief formal description of how the student earns this badge. This description will be recorded on the metadata associated with the digital badge. **This should explain what a student has completed in order to achieve the badge (i.e., badge criteria: Attendance, Written reflection, presentation etc,)**

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| **To earn this badge the student must**: |

1. **Target Cohort**

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| Undergraduate | Yes/No |
| Postgraduate | Yes/No |
| All | Yes/No |

1. **Location of this activity (e.g. University of Galway, Shannon College, Online, Burren College)**
2. **Is participation in the activity Paid or Unpaid?**
3. **Duration of the Activity**:

Duration that the activity typically spans in weeks and how frequently you typically recognise completion of this activity (e.g., once per semester, per academic year, ad hoc)

1. **Time Commitment in Hours (Min)**

What is the usual time commitment associated with this badge? If a range of hours is likely, please indicate what the minimum time commitment is?

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1. **Student Enrolment Practise**

How are students currently enrolled on your activity? (Opt-in, Auto-enrol, elected, other)

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1. **Verification**

Describe the validation process used to verify that this activity has been satisfactorily completed by the student?

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1. **Tracking and Administration Tools**

What system(s) do you use currently to administer your award? (Yourspace, Excel, Blackboard, Other)

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1. **Expiry**

Do credentials associated with your activity have an expiry? If yes, please specify details:

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1. **Current Activity Visual Identity – icon for the centre of the Digital Badge**

Please include an image of your activity's logo / existing digital badge (If Relevant). Please attach high quality image of png / svg file to email if available

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| **Note :** We can work with you to generate an image from a university approved template. |

1. **Image for your Activity for the Website**

We will need an **image 696x312px** that will represent your activity on the USP website. Please **attach** high quality image of png / jpeg file to email

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1. **Skills and Dispositions**
* Please select **up to 5** skills and/or dispositions in the Designing Futures Framework that the student will develop upon completion of this activity.
* For each skill stated please identify at least one specific example of how the student will develop this skill/disposition. The example should clearly outline what the student did in this context to develop the skill highlighted.
* Please find the Skills Framework and associated examples available for your reference [here.](https://www.universityofgalway.ie/designingfutures/aboutdesigningfutures/frameworkforstudentdevelopment/frameworkforstudentdevelopment/)

**Note:** **In the skills/disposition description area below please describe how the student developed their skill /disposition by undertaking this activity.**

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| **Skill / Disposition** | **Skill/Disposition Description: Give specific examples of how this skill/disposition was acquired while undertaking this activity:**  |
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