

Re-engagement with QQI

Re-engagement for each provider is intended to be a one-off occurrence which establishes its QA procedures with QQI in accordance with either Section 29 or 30 of the Qualifications and Quality Assurance (Education and Training) Act 2012.

Previously Established Universities - Establishment of Quality Assurance (QA) Procedures

An opportunity was taken at the 2016 Annual Dialogue Meetings (ADMs) to consult on the QA procedures of each institution in line with Section 29 of the 2012 Act. The Annual Institutional Quality Report (AIQR) submitted by each institution relating to the academic year 2014/15 was used as the basis for the consultation process on QA procedures envisaged by the 2012 Act. The Programmes and Awards Executive Committee (PAEC) have noted that consultation on QA procedures are complete and QA procedures have been established for the following institutions:

Institution Name	Date of the Programmes and Awards Executive Committee (PAEC) meeting
Dublin City University	12 April 2017
Maynooth University	12 April 2017
National University of Ireland Galway	12 April 2017
Trinity College Dublin	12 April 2017
University College Cork	12 April 2017
University College Dublin	12 April 2017
University of Limerick	12 April 2017

Institutes of Technology (including Dublin Institute of Technology) and Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland - Approval of Quality Assurance (QA) Procedures

An opportunity was taken at the 2016 Annual Dialogue Meetings (ADMs) to discuss establishment of the QA procedures of each Institution in line with Section 30 of the 2012 Act. The Annual Institutional Quality Report (AIQR) submitted by each institution relating to the academic year 2014/15 was used as the basis for the process for approval of QA procedures which centred upon an exchange between QQI and the respective Institute. The Programmes and Awards Executive Committee (PAEC) have considered each formal request for approval of QA procedures and QA procedures have been approved for the following institutions:

Institution Name	Date of the Programmes and Awards Executive Committee (PAEC) meeting
Athlone Institute of Technology	12 April 2017
Dublin Institute of Technology	12 April 2017
Dundalk Institute of Technology	12 April 2017
Galway-Mayo Institute of Technology	12 April 2017
Institute of Technology, Carlow	12 April 2017
Limerick Institute of Technology	12 April 2017
Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland	12 April 2017

In 2017 single purpose dialogue meetings were convened with a number of institutions to discuss establishment of their QA procedures in line with Section 30 of the 2012 Act. The Annual Institutional Quality Report (AIQR) submitted by each institution relating to the academic year 2015/16 was used as the basis for the process for approval of QA procedures which centred upon an exchange between QQI and the respective Institute. The Programmes and Awards Executive Committee (PAEC) have considered each formal request for approval of QA procedures and QA procedures have been approved for the following institutions:

Institution Name	Date of the Programmes and Awards Executive Committee (PAEC) meeting
Cork Institute of Technology	14 June 2017
Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Dún Laoghaire	14 June 2017
Institute of Technology, Blanchardstown	14 June 2017
Institute of Technology, Sligo	14 June 2017
Institute of Technology, Tallaght	14 June 2017
Institute of Technology, Tralee	14 June 2017
Letterkenny Institute of Technology	14 June 2017
Waterford Institute of Technology	14 June 2017