



Sustainable Research in a Sustainable World Call for Proposals 2025

We are pleased to announce our Call for Proposals for Research Week 2025 is now live.

Following on from the fantastic success of Research Week 2024, which saw over **2460** attendees across **48** events, this year's sessions will take place from 17th – 21st February 2025, across our Midwest Campuses of Moylish, LSAD & Coonagh.

We invite the TUS research community and staff to submit proposals for workshops, talks, panel discussions, research showcases, thematic discussions and research impact displays (A0 poster/video) under the themes of:

- **Research with Impact:** Exploring how research contributes to societal and economic advancements, society, culture, public policy, health and overall quality of life.
- **Promoting Open Science:** Supporting collaboration, enhancing research evaluation, fostering open research practices and greater accessibility.
- **Sustainability in Research:** Innovative and groundbreaking ideas, contributing to sustainable practices within research.
- **International Collaboration:** Examining all forms of partnerships, from small individual connections to extensive research networks that involve diverse partners across various countries.
- **Knowledge Valorisation:** Outputs, outcomes and impact, working with industry, research collaboration, intellectual property, impact assessment tracking.
- **Ethics, Responsibility, and Equity in Research:** Recognising that high-quality research transcends technical challenges, it also encompasses broader societal responsibilities, such as integrity, transparency, fairness, and inclusivity.
- **Governance and Regulation:** All aspects of governance and regulation, data protection, export Controls, dual use, state aid, etc

This year's programme will feature an innovation showcase in addition to our staff and student sessions. The showcase will highlight technology, startups, and collaborative industry projects across TUS undertaken by staff & students. It aims to emphasise the impact of research and innovation in developing and implementing industry-focused initiatives that address global challenges. Furthermore, this event will support the creation and dissemination of high-quality knowledge and technologies, while



underscoring the strong relationships between academia, research, and industry. If you are interested in hosting an enterprise focused session, please outline your intention within the proposal form.

Exploring these underpinning interdisciplinary themes will help to enrich our academic experience, foster an environment of curiosity and positively impact society while driving progress and innovation. Our commitment to research excellence in TUS enhances our approach to addressing complex societal challenges, contributes to informed decision-making, policy development and public confidence.

As 'Research' encompasses many spheres, we highly encourage submissions from all faculties and departments across TUS to contribute their insights, experiences and innovations to the wider TUS Research Ecosystem and beyond.

Important Dates

- Submission deadline: Tuesday 10th December 2024
- Notification of acceptance: 20th January 2025 (TBC)
- Publication of full programme: Tuesday 4th February 2025 (TBC)

General Remarks

To ensure a diverse representation of voices, each author will be limited to two proposal submissions. To allow proper provision for your presentation, please include the names of all co-authors.

Remember, if you feel your interest might be underrepresented in TUS Research Week 2025, represent it here by preparing your own submission.

The more complete your submission is, the more likely that reviewers will be able to evaluate it, so please take time to complete your application. You will not be asked for additional information.

While we welcome submissions from wherever they come, we particularly welcome those who have never or rarely presented at Research Events in TUS before.

Abstracts focusing on providing practical tips and lessons or that have clear learning outcomes that attendees can bring home with them are especially welcome.

The Submission Process

To submit your proposal, complete the 'Call for Proposals' form by the 10th December: <https://forms.office.com/e/6pvbU2LU1Z>

Please note: A new submission form is required for each proposal (max two submissions from any single author).



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Queries

All queries pertaining to Research Week staff and researcher sessions can be directed to ResearchWeek@tus.ie ensuring you indicate 'Staff - Research Week' in the subject line.