



Funded Programmes - Government Stimulus Package



Programmes are free or partially funded for candidates who satisfy eligibility criteria.

Who can apply?

- Unemployed and PUP Recipients
- Returners
- The Employed
- Formerly Self-employed
- Recent graduates

For eligibility criteria

<https://springboardcourses.ie/eligibility>

Graduates of these programmes can

- Upskill or reskill in new sectors
- Increase earnings
- Broaden long-term career options
- Take on a new and dynamic profession
- Be part of emerging technology sectors

Free and Subsidised Higher Education Places



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What is the Government stimulus package?

Over 1,000 extra places will be offered in UL for students to undertake fulltime, part time and modular programmes through the Government's Postgraduate and Modular Skills Package. These upskilling measures are aimed at helping people return to the workplace or education ensuring that they will have the skills most needed by employers today.

These courses also focus on future proofing the skills of those in employment particularly in roles that may be impacted by digitalisation.

180 places will be offered in UL through the Postgraduate Skills Package and these are in the areas of Science, Engineering, AI and Machine Learning, Aviation, Lean Healthcare and Innovation Management.

Under the Modular Skills Package we have 910 places available on short focused programmes that are offered in a flexible manner allowing people to gain important skills without taking time away from the labour market. Each module is stand alone to enable participants to gain skills to put into practice immediately in the workplace but are accredited to provide building blocks to a full qualification in areas such as Business, Science and Engineering and Health.

For programme information and to apply go to <https://www.ul.ie/gps/funded-programmes-government-stimulus-package>

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