



# RCSI

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to better health

# RCSI OPEN DAY 2019

THURSDAY 3 JANUARY  
10.00 - 16.15



#RCSIOpenDay

# YOUR DAY AT RCSI

- » Talks are on offer throughout the day – each talk will explain what our courses involve and what it's like to study at RCSI.
- » Chat to our Open Day guides in yellow t-shirts – they're all current students who are happy to share their RCSI experience with you.
- » Visit staff and student stands in the Library Learning Commons, Ground Floor, 26 York Street to meet the Students' Union and staff who provide services to students; Library, Student Services & CoMPPAS.
- » Explore our state-of-the-art facilities on the Simulation floors in 26 York Street and take part in the School of Medicine workshops that will be taking place throughout the day.

## 1 MAIN SESSIONS From 10.00

Information on studying at RCSI will be covered in each of the relevant subject talks.

- » First talks start at 10.00
- » Experience a real life surgery from the Operating Theatre
- » Attend as many talks as you want

## 2 WORKSHOPS

### **School of Medicine Workshops** - 11.00 - 14.30

Explore our state-of-the-art facilities and drop into the workshops taking place on levels 4 & 5 throughout the morning and afternoon.

### **School of Pharmacy** - 14.30 - 16.00

This workshop has limited numbers and is first come, first served. Sign up at the registration desk located on Ground Floor, 26 York St from 14.00.

### **School of Physiotherapy** - 14.45 - 16.15

This workshop has limited numbers and is first come, first served. Sign up at registration desk, Ground Floor 26 York St from 14.30.

## 3 EXPLORE RCSI

- » Sports Facilities - Located on level - 3 and - 4
- » Anatomy Tour - at 13.30 & 14.00 Sign up at registration desk, Ground Floor, 26 York Street from 13.00
- » Library Tours - at 13.30 & 14.30. Sign up at Study Pod 01 in Library Learning Commons from 9.30-10.30
- » Meet staff who provide Services to Students at the Expo Stage in the Library Learning Commons 12.00-14.00; Library, Student Services & CoMPPAS.
- » Meet the RCSI Students' Union Team in Study Pod 01, Ground Floor from 12.00 - 15.00 to find out more about student clubs and societies.

# WHAT'S ON AT RCSI

## MAIN SESSIONS

10.00 – 10.15	<b>Studying Medicine at RCSI</b> Professor Arnold Hill, Head of the School of Medicine	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
10.15 – 10.30	<b>Studying Pharmacy at RCSI</b> Professor Dr Judith Strawbridge, Senior Lecturer, School of Pharmacy	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
10.30 – 10.45	<b>Studying Physiotherapy at RCSI</b> Professor Frances Horgan, Acting Head School of Physiotherapy	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
10.45 – 11.30	<b>Life as a Student</b> Hear from our current students, who will share their experiences and what to expect from College life.	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
11.30 – 12.15	<b>Getting into Health Sciences at RCSI</b> Céleste Golden, Admissions Officer This talk covers CAO School leaver, Graduate and Mature Entry pathways to Pharmacy, Physiotherapy and Medicine at RCSI and tips on HPAT and GAMSAT. You will also learn about the systems-based curriculum and why it makes a difference to study at RCSI.	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
12.15 – 12.30	<b>So you want to be a Doctor?!</b> Dr Sinéad Cronin, RCSI School of Medicine Graduate, Clinical Lecturer in General Practice and RCSI PhD Scholar.	Desmond Auditorium level - 1

## CAREERS SESSIONS

12.30 – 13.30	<b>Pharmacy</b> Careers in Pharmacy	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
13.30 – 14.30	<b>Physiotherapy</b> Physiotherapy careers & current student insights	Desmond Auditorium level - 1

## SURGERY

14.45 – 16.00	<b>Real Life Surgery</b> Experience a real life surgery with Question & Answer session	Desmond Auditorium level - 1
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# WHAT'S ON AT RCSI

## WORKSHOPS: MEDICINE, PHARMACY, PHYSIOTHERAPY

11.00 - 14.30	<b>Medicine Workshops</b> These workshops are self guided and will run from 11am until 2.30pm. <b>Workshops on level 4:</b> Suturing, Plaster Casting, Venepuncture, Nasogastric Tube Insertion, Blood Pressure, Mock Operating Theatre, Birthing Mannequin, Neonatal Mannequin <b>Workshops on level 5:</b> Laparoscopic Skills in the Wet Lab and Ultrasound in the Dry Lab	Simulation Floors, Level 4 & 5 26 York Street
14.30 - 16.00	<b>Pharmacy Workshop</b> The pharmaceuticals lab workshop involves a hands on experiment where students get to make alginate microparticles – this activity demonstrates real pharmaceuticals formulation and analysis processes in a fun and interactive session, and gives a taste of some of the actual material thought in the MPharm programme. <i>This workshop has limited numbers and is first come, first served</i>	Sign up at registration desk, Ground Floor 26 York Street from 14.00
14.45 - 16.15	<b>Physiotherapy Workshop</b> The practical based workshop which includes two different stations. The first station highlights the role of physiotherapy in the assessment and rehabilitation of ankle injuries. The second station focuses on how the physiotherapist is involved in the management of people with lung conditions. <i>This workshop has limited numbers and is first come, first served</i>	Sign up at registration desk, Ground Floor 26 York Street from 14.30

## TOUR

13.30 & 14.00	<b>Tour of the Anatomy Rooms</b> This tour has limited capacity and places are available on a first come, first served basis.	Sign up at registration desk, Ground Floor 26 York Street from 13.00
12.00 - 14.00	<b>Visit the Expo Stage in the Library Learning Commons,</b> Ground Floor, 26 York Street, to meet staff who provide Services to Students at the Expo Stage in the Library Learning Commons 12.00-14.00; Library, Student Services & CoMPPAS.  Library Tours - at 13.30 & 14.30. Sign up at Study Pod 01 Ground Floor from 09.30 - 10.30	Expo Stage, Ground Floor
13.00	<b>Porters Tour</b> Join our Head Porter for a tour of the historic side of RCSI	Front Hall, York St Building, 123 St Stephens Green

Parents and Guidance Counsellors welcome to attend. Priority will be given to students for spaces in workshops.



# FIND YOUR WAY AT RCSI



**BASEMENT LEVELS - 3 & - 4** Sports Facility - Self Guided Tour

**LEVEL -1** Desmond Auditorium

**GROUND REGISTRATION & Library Learning Commons.** Visit the Expo Stage to meet the team from Services to Students, 12.00 - 14.00 & the Students Union at Study Pod 01 from 12.00 - 15.00

**LEVELS 1 & 2 LIBRARY** Visit Study Pod 01 to sign up for Library Tour from 09.30 - 10.30

**LEVEL 3 SELF-GUIDED TOUR of 10 OUTPATIENT ROOMS** used to practice different clinical scenarios

**LEVEL 4** Visit our **MOCK OPERATING THEATRE** and watch our birthing mannequin in action. We also have a number of interactive workshops taking place.

**LEVEL 5** See our **STATE-OF-THE-ART SURGICAL TRAINING LAB**. Our fully flexible training environment for surgical skills development.



**Stay Active** 32 sports clubs, a state-of-the-art gym, basketball court and weights room



**Top 2%** Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2018



Learn to be a health-care professional in **Ireland's only mock operating theatre**

# WHY STUDY AT RCSI?



**40 societies** from art to dance, photography to drama



Students from **60 countries**



**234 years** as the national training and professional body for surgery



Unique learning environment in the **heart of Dublin City**



First university in Ireland to provide **laptops to all students**

## SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE

**Follow/like/add RCSI** to stay up to date on **Open Day information** before and during the event. Let us know how your day is going – take lots of photos, update your friends online as you move around campus during the day – we'd love to see what you get up to! Don't forget to use the event hashtags to keep us updated. **#RCSIOpenDay**