

# CERTIFICATE IN GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION

# LEVEL 9 PROGRAMME

### Offered by the Department of International Development

### with the

- Department of Adult and Community Education
- Department of Applied Social Studies
- Department of Education
- Froebel Department of Primary and Early Childhood Education



Global Citizenship Education - Making Connections for A Better World





## Open for Applications to start in September 2023

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Or contact us directly for information about how to apply Email: <u>internationaldevelopment@mu.ie</u>

# Certificate in Global Citizenship Education

This level-9 programme offers a specialised learning experience in global citizenship education (GCE) for practitioners.

It is designed for educators and others working with communities and young people in different contexts (from early childhood to youth work settings, in adult and community education, in community work spaces and within schools). These include teachers in primary and secondary schools as well as community workers, adult educators, youth workers and educators, GCE facilitators and those working with NGOs, development agencies and other civil society organisations.

This certificate will support participants to develop their knowledge, understanding and skills in this area. As such, participants will learn more about contemporary global development challenges (and what can be done about them), about what's involved in global citizenship, and about how to engage learners in making local-global connections in relation to the challenging issues of our time. The programme supports policy and curriculum developments in this area and the realisation of, and critical engagement with, the Sustainable Development Goals.

#### Content and Focus of the Programme

Participants will complete one compulsory 10-ECTS module, **'Contemporary Global Development Challenges, Issues and Responses'**, facilitated by the Department of International Development, and will select two elective modules from a range of specialist 5 ECTS options –

'Sharing the World: Education, Pluralism, and Conflict' - Department of Education;

'Community and Youth Work Practice: Local Issues, Global Lens' - Department of Applied Social Studies;

'Critical Reflections on Global Citizenship Education Practice' - Department of International Development; and

**'Decolonising the Curriculum'** - Froebel Department of Primary and Early Childhood Education.

Modules will be timetabled to suit those who are working or who have other commitments, i.e., on campus on Saturdays, in the evenings or during holidays, with some online dimensions.





#### **Application Details**

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