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A New Third Level Education Opportunity in Our County!

BA in Business, Enterprise and Community Development (QQI Level 7)

Information Night in Thurles

**Tuesday 6th September
starting at 6pm
Thurles Chamber Enterprise Centre
E41 T6K5**

Are you interested in using your experience in community and voluntary work to gain an accredited qualification locally?

Recognising the important role that formal education plays in the community and voluntary sector and knowing the impact that volunteers and PPN member groups have across County Tipperary, this is your opportunity to have your contribution recognised with a formal qualification!

This is a part-time blended learning programme accredited by Technological University of the Shannon (TUS). You will have the opportunity to explore and develop your interest in the fields of Business, Enterprise and Community Development and to enhance your competencies towards becoming effective administrators, managers or organisers in these areas while at the same time acquiring the skills of self-directed learning.

People are required to have successfully achieved either:

- A QQI Level 6 Award in an appropriate or relevant area
- A successful completion of a **Recognition of Prior Learning Portfolio (RPL)**. Recognition of Prior Learning is a process that allows you to gain admission to a programme of study or to gain exemptions/credit from some parts of a programme, based on demonstrated learning that you may have achieved through another programme of study, or through work or other learning experiences.

Programme Summary

- QQI Level 7 Award Technological University of the Shannon (TUS)

- Local Delivery (or online)
- 12 Months
- Learning assessed via assignments
- No Exams
- 6 Modules - Business & Enterprise Development, Applied Community Development, Financial Analysis, Applied Information & Communications Technology, Applied Human Resource Management & Integrated Learning Project.
- Monthly Workshops
- Enhanced Employment Opportunities in Business, Social Enterprise and Community.
- Total cost is €2,500 (Phased Payment System is available)

This information night will take place on Tuesday 6th September starting at 6pm

Come and have a cuppa and a chat with Equal Ireland and explore this great opportunity some more.

We look forward to meeting you on the night.

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BA in Business, Social Enterprise & Community Development Brochure

Testimonials

"Over the last thirty years I have worked with many wise and gifted people in community and voluntary work who had great skills and experience but had no formal qualifications. It was very frustrating to see their talent and experience passed over in favour of people who might have qualifications but without the experience or commitment. I think RPL addresses this unfairness and will help some great people."

"The opportunity I have been given to participate in this course has changed my life and the life of my 2 daughters. For them to see their mother going back to college to do a degree at almost 50 years old, seeing my confidence build will empower them to know that the sky's the limit. If you take a chance, work hard and have belief in yourself anything is possible."

"It was a life long dream for me to complete a BA having worked in the Community & Voluntary sector for years with no formal qualification, it now gives me opportunities that I thought I would never have"

"Doing the degree has given me the courage and belief in myself to access education. It was such a rewarding experience and achievement for me to obtain this degree with having a full time job and 2 small children at home. Anything is possible if you want it badly enough"

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