



# UCC

Coláiste na hOllscoile Corcaigh, Éire  
University College Cork, Ireland

Graduate School,  
College of Medicine and Health

## JOY BALTA – School of Medicine

**Course Attended:** The use of biomarkers to determine decomposition in embalmed human cadavers, Location: University of Staffordshire

This prestigious travel bursary gave me the opportunity to visit the Forensic and Crime Science Department at the University of Staffordshire which I am collaborating with as part of my research project.

Since part of the experiments are done here in UCC and the rest are done at the University of Staffordshire, it was important to complete this course to gain all the required skills needed to reproduce the experimental work that will be used as part of this project.

Attending this course was essential to help me develop a full understanding of an important aspect of this research project.