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**UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CORK**

**NOMINATION FOR AN HONORARY DEGREE**

Each year University College Cork confers Honorary Doctorates, on behalf of the National University of Ireland, on a small number of people who have made extraordinary contributions to global, national or local society in the Arts, Sciences, Business or other significant domains of public life. The Honorary Degrees Board is responsible for considering all nominations on behalf of the university to select the most worthy recipients.

**Only members of the Honorary Degrees Board may bring proposals forward for consideration by the Board**, however any member of the community may approach a member of the Honorary Degrees Board to propose a nomination. The President will issue an annual call to the University community inviting such proposals for nominations. Nominations should be directed to the appropriate member of the Honorary Degrees Board. Proposals for consideration by the Board should be presented by the Board member in the standard format to the President’s Office with full supporting information. Non-members of the Board wishing to put forward a nomination should do so via a member of the Board.

Please complete this form to suggest a nominee for consideration by outlining how the nominee meets each of the following criteria:

 Major contribution made through activities within education, business, culture, the professions, creative work or public service at regional, national and/or international level

* + Worthiness of honour in terms of standing/reputation in the field
	+ Potential to make a significant contribution to subject areas of the university, to the university in general or to the region
	+ Any other relevant factors including any existing honours, awards, etc.
	+ Please note that Honorary Degrees cannot be awarded posthumously.

**HONORARY DEGREE BOARD MEMBER PROPOSING THIS NOMINEE**

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**NOMINEE**

* Name
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* Address

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* Email/Phone

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* Current position

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* Field of specialism/expertise

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| **Honorary Degree** | **Please indicate preference** |
|  **Degree of Doctor** (e.g., Arts, Celtic Studies, Economic Science, Education,  Engineering, Laws, Literature, Medicine, Music, Science) | -- |
|  **Degree of Master** (e.g. Arts, Education, Science)  | -- |

Degrees to be awarded will ultimately be determined by the Honorary Degrees Board.

**KEY ACHIEVEMENTS**

Please outline the nominee’s key achievements in his/her field of distinction (attach a CV and other relevant information as proof of recognition and standing in his/her field and rationale for award type - ***Succinct*** web page extracts (not multiple pages) are appropriate.

**STATEMENT OF SUPPORT**

Please indicate clearly how the nominee satisfies the following criteria for the award, please ensure that each criterion is addressed:

* 1. Major contribution made through activities within education, business, culture, the professions, creative work or public service at regional, national and/or international level
	2. Worthiness of honour in terms of standing/reputation in the field
	3. Potential to make a significant contribution to subject areas of the university, to the university in general or to the region
	4. Any other relevant factors including any existing honours, awards, etc.
	5. Suggested ways in which this nominee will contribute and support the university – masterclass, etc.

**NOMINATOR**

* Name

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* Address

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* Email/Phone

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* Relationship to Nominee

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**Please return completed forms to** **hdb@ucc.ie** **with all relevant documentation.**