

Professional Master of Education

Subject Declaration Form

IMPORTANT

This declaration form should be returned to the PME provider(s) to which you have applied or the Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC).

(More details on the last page of this form.)

Business

This Subject Declaration Form allows you to match your degree (and other qualifications if applicable) against the Teaching Council's curricular teaching subject requirements. You must meet the requirements for at least one curricular subject in order to be considered for registration as a teacher, having completed your Professional Master of Education (PME).

A declaration form should be completed online, printed and signed by persons applying for entry to the PME.

You should complete a subject declaration form for each subject for which you are seeking Teaching Council registration.

The requirements for the curricular subject **Business** are set out on page 2.

For details of all other curricular subjects [click here](#)

Applicants should note that declarations made on this form will be considered by the PME provider(s) when determining offers of places on the PME. **Any material errors or misleading declarations made on this form may result in the withdrawal by the PME provider of (an offer of) a place or other such action as the PME provider determines appropriate.**

If you are offered a place on the PME, and in accordance with the permission granted by you below, this declaration form will be forwarded to the Teaching Council, the professional standards body for teaching in Ireland, who will advise if you meet the requirements for registration set out in the Teaching Council registration regulations.

Based on this declaration form and your transcripts of undergraduate examination results, the Teaching Council will confirm if, following successful completion of the PME, you will be eligible to register as a teacher and which curricular subject(s) will be recorded on the Register of Teachers.

Business

In order to meet the registration requirements set down in the Teaching Council [Registration] Regulations in respect of the curricular subject of Business, an applicant must meet **all** of the following criteria:

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 - (a) Applicants must hold a degree-level qualification, with Business studied up to and including third-year level or higher (or modular equivalent).
 - (b) The qualifying degree must be equivalent to at least Level 8 on the National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ) and with a minimum pass¹ result in all examinations pertinent to the subject of Business.
 - (c) The qualifying degree must carry at least 180 ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) credits (or equivalent) with the specific study of Business comprising at least 60 ECTS credits (or equivalent) and with not less than 10 ECTS credits (or equivalent) studied at third-year level or higher (or modular equivalent). *Please note that studies in the areas of Accounting and Economics will not be counted towards the ECTS credit requirement for the Leaving Certificate subject of Business.*

- 2 The study of Business during the qualification must show that the holder has acquired sufficient knowledge, skills and understanding to teach the Business syllabus² to the highest level in post-primary education (see www.curriculumonline.ie). To meet this requirement the degree must include the study of at least four of the following Business disciplines:
 - (a) Organisational Behaviour
 - (b) Business Enterprise and Entrepreneurship
 - (c) Management
 - (d) Business Environment (Domestic and/or International)
 - (e) Human Resource Management
 - (f) Marketing
 - (g) Business Law

The degree must also have been supported by relevant studies in the application of Information and Communications Technology (ICT) in Business, e.g., Information Systems/E-commerce. (A maximum of 5 ECTS credits (or equivalent) will be allowed towards the overall requirement of 60 ECTS credits.)

- 3 Applicants must also have completed a programme of post-primary initial teacher education (age range 12-18 years) carrying a minimum of 120 ECTS credits (or equivalent)³.

Business Studies (Junior Cycle)

An applicant who meets the registration criteria for **Business** will also be deemed to have acquired the competency to teach the Junior Cycle curricular subject **Business Studies** if he/she has studied a minimum of 10 ECTS credits (or equivalent) in Accounting and a minimum of 10 ECTS credits (or equivalent) in Economics.

1 which includes pass by compensation.

2 as approved by the Minister for Education and Skills, and published by the National Council for Curriculum and Assessment (NCCA).

3 Applicants who have commenced a programme of initial teacher education prior to 01/09/2014 carrying less than 120 ECTS credits may be exempted from this requirement at the Council's discretion.

Business

Name:

Address:

Date of Birth: PPS Number:

Email:

Phone No: Mobile No:

Degree Title:

Degree Awarding Body: Year of Award:

Other Relevant Qualification(s) in Business (if applicable):

Title of qualification	Awarding Body	Year of Award
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Business

Area of Study: Marketing		
Module Code	Module Title	ECTS Credit Value

Area of Study: Business Law		
Module Code	Module Title	ECTS Credit Value

Area of Study: Information and Communications Technology <i>(a maximum of 5 ECTS credits)</i>		
Module Code	Module Title	ECTS Credit Value

Area of Study: Other		
Module Code	Module Title	ECTS Credit Value

Total ECTS Credits in Business	
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I declare that I have completed the studies in **Business** as set out above and that the details that I have entered in the tables above are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby authorise the authorities in the PME provider(s) to whom I am applying to provide the Teaching Council with the details necessary to commence my registration with the Teaching Council, i.e., my name, contact address, date of birth, PPS number, email address, telephone contact details and a copy of this Subject Declaration Form. The PME provider(s) to whom I am applying are:

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Name:

Date:

Signature:

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*Where applications have been made to the four NUIs or DCU this form should be returned to the Postgraduate Applications Centre (PAC).