

EDUCATION

PhD (Entrepreneurship Education) (2020 - present) - Munster Technological University

Post Graduate Diploma in Education (P.G.D.E) (2006) - University College Cork

M.Phil. (International Relations) (2003) - University College Cork, Cork

M.A. (International Relations) (2001) - University College Cork, Cork

M.Sc. Advertising (2000) - DIT Faculty of Business, Aungier St., Dublin 2

B.Sc. Business (Management & Marketing) (1999) - Trinity College Dublin, Dublin 2

ADDITIONAL EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Advanced Diploma Administration & Marketing - Technological University Dublin

Marketing Institute of Ireland Graduate - Marketing Institute of Ireland

Diploma in Advertising (Executive Stream) - Institute of Advertising Practitioners of Ireland

Diploma in Special/Inclusive Education - Dublin City University

PUBLICATIONS

Murray, T., Kenny, B., McGuirk, H. and Cooney, T.M. - ‘Mind the Gap - a mapping of Entrepreneurship Education Literature relating to Early Childhood Education - ISBE 2022 (Institute for Small Business & Enterprise), Oct 2022

Murray, T., Creedon, F. and CowayLenihan, A. - ‘Growing Niche Business Through Innovation - A Family Run Open Farm in Ireland’ - 16th European Conference on Innovation and Entrepreneurship (Lisbon), Sept 2021

Murray, T - ‘Fostering an Entrepreneurial Mindset in Children’ - Article for E-zine, (Vol 3 No 3), The Entrepreneurial Mindset Network, October 2020.

HayesCulleton, S., Murray, T. and O’Connor, B. - ‘Positive Economics’ - Leaving Certificate Economics textbook. 2nd Edition. Publishers: The Educational Company (2019).

Hayes, S., Murray, T. and O’Connor, B. - ‘Positive Economics’ - Leaving Certificate Economics textbook. Publishers: The Educational Company (2012).

Murray, T. - ‘In global markets, cut cloth to measure’ - an insight into International Trade - The Sunday Business Post, March 20th, 2011. p.32.

Cooney. T.M and Murray, T. - Graduate Entrepreneurship in Ireland - Report presented to the National Council for Graduate Entrepreneurship (U.K.), Dec 2008

Cooney, T.M, Murray, T. and Radcliffe, A. - Passport to Trade: Facilitating Business between Europe’s SME’s - EU Project.

CONFERENCES

Murray, T., Kenny, B., McGuirk, H. and Cooney, T.M. - 'Mind the Gap - a mapping of Entrepreneurship Education Literature relating to Early Childhood Education' - ISBE 2022 (Institute for Small Business & Enterprise), Oct 2022

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Murray, T. - Economics Revision Seminar at U.C.C for Leaving Certificate students 2010-2019

Murray, T. - 'Teaching Methodologies for TY Economics' Economics workshop at the annual BSTAI National Conference, (2014) and (2015).

Co-organised the first PDST National Conference for Economics teachers in Ireland, September 2010, where I was also a key-note speaker

Co-organised the Business Studies Teachers Association of Ireland Revision seminars in U.C.C, 2011 to 2018.

EMPLOYMENT

1. **Lecturer - Department of Management & Enterprise / Researcher - The Hincks Centre for Entrepreneurship Excellent** (Sept 2018 - Present) -Munster Technological University, Bishopstown Cork.

Responsible for:

- Developing and delivering modules in Enterprise, Entrepreneurship and Economics to students in a number of different disciplines across the School of Business.
- Seconded to the Head of Department to assist in Department Operations
- Promoting modules in programmes within the Department of Management and Enterprise
- Course and class coordination
- Researcher with The Hincks Centre for Entrepreneurship on Entrepreneurship Education research projects
- Secretary of the Admissions & Student Affairs Integration & Development (I&D) Committee
- Founder and Chairperson and The Staff Doctorate Learning Community
- Member of The Economics Learning Community

2. **Department Head of Business & Economics / LCVP Coordinator** (2007 - 2018) - St. Patrick's College, Gardiner's Hill, Cork

Responsible for:

- Department Head and Business/Economics/Link Modules teacher to Leaving Certificate Higher level
- Responsible for the successful introduction and management of the Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme to St. Patrick's College
- Planning of lessons, assessments and projects for students in the Business suite of subjects.
- Working with management to promote the business suite of subjects among students.

3. **Owner / Director** (2012 - 2014) - Pulse Fitness Studio, Unit 1, Mayfield Business Park, Cork.

Responsible for:

- Overall management and running of a business offering fitness classes and personal training.

4. **Facilitator in Economics for Professional Development Service for Teachers** (2010 - 2018)

Responsible for:

- Providing Professional Development Service in Economics to Leaving Certificate Higher Level in Cork Education Centre and other national Education centres.
- Lecturer on aspects of the Economics syllabus at PDST Conferences

- The development of classroom resources and lesson plans to aid teachers
- The development of subject resources to encourage student understanding
- Assisting teachers in Planning and Development of these subjects and preparation for subject inspection.

5. **Computer Tutor** (2005 - 2006) Ballincollig Adult Educational Centre, Ballincollig, Co. Cork

Responsible for:

- Tutoring adults in Computers and ICT
- Planning and teaching a 10 week course module
- Encouraging and enhancing student participation
- Promoting the benefits of adult education

6. **Researcher** - (2005 - 2006) Institute of Minority Entrepreneurship, Faculty of Business, Technological University Dublin, Aungier St., Dublin 2.

Responsible for:

- Co-author of conference paper for The National Council of Teachers and Researchers in Entrepreneurship
- Co-author of Research paper on the study of Entrepreneurship at 2nd and 3rd level
- Researched and prepared 4 country reports for The European Union

7. **Research & Development Manager (Russia & Eastern Europe)** (2004 - 2005) Corporate Department, Reed Exhibitions Ltd., Richmond, Surrey.

Responsible for:

- Market, Economic and Industry research of Russia and Eastern Europe for new business development
- Preparation of reports on market, economic, financial & competitive analysis, strategic development and planning activities of the trade exhibition market in Russia.
- Responsibility for all research in the collaboration of acquisition proposals

8. **Communications Executive** (2003-2004)
Information & Communications Department, Humanitarian Aid Office (ECHO).
The European Commission, Brussels

Responsible for:

- The organisation, marketing, public relations and analysis of awareness raising activities on behalf of European Commission Humanitarian Aid Office (ECHO)
- Project planning & management of an international media seminar.
- Drafting and editing of Press Releases on issues relating to the work of ECHO
- Planning and review of marketing communications materials
- The written content of the ECHO website, in English, French and Russian
- Database Management, Administration, editorial support and translation.

9. **Undergraduate Tutor** (2001-2003)
Dept of History, University College Cork, Cork, Ireland

Responsible for:

- Tutoring Undergraduate courses in History and Politics specialising in Russia and Eastern Europe
- Dealing with student queries and concerns regarding the course
- Setting & correcting essays and assignments
- Organising department seminars, guest lecturers and conferences
- The continued development of the department in conjunction with students and lecturers needs and requirements

Projects

- **Start In** - This project was funded by the European Commission under the Erasmus + Programme. With a lead from Turkey and partners from Spain, Finland, Greece, Poland, Ireland and the UK, the aim of **Start In** was to design and develop a new model of entrepreneurship education in schools in Europe. By developing capacities and abilities from early ages, the foundations will be laid for young social entrepreneurs to transform ideas into action in different social, cultural or economic contexts.

INTERESTS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Current researcher with The Hincks Centre for Entrepreneurship Excellence, having worked on projects encompassing Entrepreneurship Education, including the Erasmus+ StartIn Project
- Founded the School of Business Staff Doctorate Learning Community
- Member of The Economics Learning Community
- Secretary of Admissions & Student Affairs Integration & Development (I&D) Committee
- Member of CPEER (Committee of Practice for Entrepreneurship Educators and Researchers)
- Member of CIT's PACE Committee (Promoting & Accelerating Campus Entrepreneurship)
- Member of the Evaluation and Judging panel for The Entrepreneurial School Awards (TESA)
- MTU School of Business representative and Judge for The Young Economist of the Year
- Officer of The Business Studies Teacher's Association of Ireland (BSTAI) 2008-2019 including Chairperson and secretary of the Cork Branch and Treasurer of the National Executive
- Graduate Member of The Marketing Institute of Ireland
- Completed a training course with the European Commission on International Law and Human Rights and also completed a training course on Media in Business
- Assisted in the annual conference for the Irish Association of Russian & East European Studies 2002. U.C.C student representative at the conference
- Dedicated fundraiser for the I.S.P.C.A and The Donkey Sanctuary