

Master of Science in Music & Technology

In May 2009 a review panel was held regarding the validation of a Masters programme in Music & Technology in Cork School of Music. CSM proposed both a Master of Arts and a Master of Science award.

A Master of Arts programme in Music & Technology was approved by the Panel and by Academic Council, and it commenced in September 2010. The panel additionally recommended that some structural changes to the proposal would be necessary in order to offer a Master of Science option. In essence, this involved strengthening the scientific/technical content of the MSc option. The course team subsequently followed up on this recommendation, taking into account examples of other similar M Sc programmes in the field.

The members of the validation panel were circulated with (a) a memorandum from CSM explaining the developments; (b) a revised course schedule for the Draft MSc and (c) a supporting letter from Dr Joseph Connell of the Electronic Engineering Department of CIT.

The members of the Panel have indicated their agreement to the MSc proposal. Academic Council is formally requested to approve the making of this award.

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