

I am a Student, I contribute to Quality Assurance and Quality Enhancement by:

- Giving feedback on my learning experience to my 'student reps' and my teachers;
- Participating in Programme Review Forums at least once a semester;
- Completing NCAD's annual end-of-year survey and the Irish Survey of Student Engagement;
- Completing the National Graduate Survey in the year after I graduate;
- Contributing to formal QA Reviews at Programme, Department, School and Institutional level as appropriate;
- Respecting other students and College staff members.
- Respecting facilities at NCAD, and adhering to health and safety instructions.

What happens next?

- Feedback to my teachers is shared with the Head of Department and informs discussions about programme enhancement with my Head of School, at meetings of the School Board/First Year Student Council, at the NCAD Quality Assurance Steering Committee, at Academic Council, and by Senior Management;
- The Department and/or School's response to student feedback is recorded as part of a report on their Annual Planning meeting and from there informs the Enhancement Statement published on the College website;
- An Bord (the governing authority of the College) has oversight of this process through reports on student surveys and receiving an Annual Quality Assurance Statement from the Quality Assurance Steering Group. This statement forms the basis of the Quality Enhancement Statement published on the website.

I can see how my contribution is informing Quality Enhancement by reading:

- The brief summary of changes made as a result of student feedback given at the start of the annual end-of-year student survey;
- The Annual Quality Enhancement Statement published on the NCAD website.

I can identify that my contribution makes a difference when:

- Positive changes are made to programmes;
- Delivery of programmes is improved;
- Programmes are more organised;
- Issues raised by students and student reps are addressed;
- My study is more manageable;
- I have better opportunities to improve my own development.