

## 8.4 Study Plan

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN, TRINITY COLLEGE  
School of Computer Science and Statistics  
SCSS STRUCTURED PHD STUDY PLAN

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As per local School regulations, research students must accumulate a minimum of 20 ECTS during their first 18 months of study comprised of the following:

- At least 5 ECTS in Research Methods;
- At least 10 ECTS in Research Integrity and Impact in an Open Scholarship Era;
- At least 5 ECTS in an approved SCSS module ;
- Other optional modules.
- Directed Study

See: <https://scss.tcd.ie/postgraduate/structuredphd/current/modules1819.php> for the most up to date list of approved modules. Other modules in the School or College can be taken but only with the permission of the Structured PhD programme director.

The composition of the 20 ECTS that constitute the student's study plan need only be approved by the Programme Director if you wish to substitute for either the Generic Research Methods or Introduction to Statistics modules.

March entrants to the PhD Programme must return completed forms by 1<sup>st</sup> April and September entrants by 1<sup>st</sup> October.

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(1) Research Methods - please select at least one of the following.

- CS7039 (Oct) (5 ECTS)



(2) Research Integrity and Impact in an Open Scholarship Era (10 ECTS)



(3) Remaining ECTS (minimum of 5 ECTS).

You must complete at least 5 ECTS of SCSS approved modules. If agreed with your supervisor you may wish to undertake additional modules or directed studies. Please indicate the modules to be taken under the following headings:

- Taught Modules (please include module codes for taught modules and ECTS)  
e.g. CS7006 Computer-Human Interaction (5 ECTS)
- Directed Studies Modules. For each, please complete a separate Directed Study, Summer School or Internship Module.
- Other (summer schools and internships). For each, please complete a separate Directed Study, Summer School or Internship Module.

Signed:        (Student)        \_\_\_\_\_        Date:        \_\_\_\_\_

Signed:        (Supervisor)        \_\_\_\_\_        Date:        \_\_\_\_\_

Signed:        (Programme. Director)        \_\_\_\_\_        Date:        \_\_\_\_\_

Once signed by student and supervisor, please forward to Natasha Blanchfield, School of Computer Science and Statistics, O'Reilly Institute, College, for signing by the programme director.