Active Leadership & Strategy
Limerick Institute of Technology

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An Active Leadership Association of thought leaders from Industry, Business, the Public Sector, Community and Alumni.
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Active Leadership In Higher Education
LIT has 8 centres:
• Main Campus at Moylish Park, Limerick
• Integration of Tipperary Institute creating LIT Thurles and LIT Clonmel
• Other LIT centres: Limerick School of Art and Design in Clare Street, Downtown Centre in George’s Quay, National Franchise Centre on O’Connell Street in Limerick, Regional Learning Centre in Ennis and Pallaskenry.
• Founder Member of Shannon Consortium (UL, MIC, ITT, LIT)
• National Strategy for Higher Education (Hunt Report)

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Active Leadership in Education and Training fusing Theory and Practice

• Commended by International panel for real implementation of mission/philosophy
• Active Learning philosophy and student-centred ethos
• LIT was the best performing Institute of Technology in 2009/10 EU Student Barometer
• Personable approach
• Delivered 8,631 graduates in past 6 years
• 7,000 students registered 2010/11, 7,500 students forecast for 2011/12
• Includes 4,730 fulltime, 1,000 part-time, 530 apprentices, 120 post grads
• Excellent track record in employability in region, nationally and internationally
• Proactive in creating graduate internship places

Active Leadership in Enterprise Development, Knowledge Transfer and Regional Socio-Economic Development

• Hartnett Enterprise Acceleration Centre
• 50 high profile award winning technology companies
• Proven track record in attracting Venture Capital Funds
• National Franchise Centre launched Jan 2011 – 1st in Ireland and 1st in Europe.
• Based in Limerick city centre, 30 budding entrepreneurs on 1st programme
• 2 more enterprise centres planned by mid 2012.
• Advanced research since 2005 partnering with 271 companies
• 1st FP7 KBBE Biotech project awarded to Ireland
• Research in biotechnology and consumer foods
• Renewable energy
• Environmental monitoring and management
• New technologies in sustainable development
• Creative media and digital security
• Curatorial practice in art and design

Active Leadership in the Community

• Strong links with industry and community
• Work Based Learning (WBL) programmes and work placements
• Working closely with Limerick Regeneration Agency
• Student Guided Initiative in Voluntary Engagement (GIVE) e.g. with Learning Hub, Limerick
• Labour Market Activation and European Globalisation Fund programme support
• Tusnu
• Sports facilities and Millennium Theatre made available to local community