Terms and Conditions

- 1. The Department of French, University College Cork, is offering a PhD Studentship in the form of an EU fee-waiver, tenable from the date of first registration and for a maximum of three years full-time.
- 2. The successful applicant will be expected to <u>apply for the PhD via CRM</u>, and complete registration prior to commencing their studies.
- 3. To be considered, applicants must have a minimum of a BA (or equivalent) in French Studies or other relevant discipline, and have achieved at least a Second Class Honours, Grade I, or equivalent, in their first or subsequent degree.
- 4. Applicants should have a working knowledge of English, and will be required to provide certification to this effect. More details on English language requirements are available here.
- 5. The successful applicant would normally be expected to be resident in Cork.
- 6. Applicants should include in their application a PhD research proposal, 2 letters of reference (to be sent directly to the department by the referees) and transcripts of their academic record. Graduates of University College Cork do not need to supply transcripts. All application materials should be submitted electronically.
- 7. Applications will be assessed by the Department of French Graduate Studies Committee. The successful applicant will be selected on the basis of their project proposal, academic record and references.
- 8. The successful applicant will be required, once registered for the PhD within the Department of French, to apply for research funding through the <u>Irish Research Council's Government of Ireland's Postgraduate Research Scholarship Programme</u> and through <u>UCC's Research Excellence Scholarships (PhD)</u> programme.

- 9. Should a successful applicant become the recipient of any other scholarship or grant of a like magnitude during the period of the Studentship, s/he will be required to forgo the Studentship.
- 10. The Studentship holder and her/his supervisor(s) must submit an annual report and make an oral presentation to a review panel. If the progress reports are deemed to be unsatisfactory, the Studentship will be terminated.
- 11. Applications should be sent, by the deadline, to Dr Mary Noonan, Head of the Department of French at: m.noonan@ucc.ie
- 12. The deadline for receipt of applications is midnight on Monday 19th December 2022.
- 13. The successful applicant must confirm her/his intention to take up the Studentship within two weeks of the formal offer.