

PRESS RELEASE

CIT OFFERS €2K JANSSEN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP

Cork Institute of Technology School of Mechanical, Electrical & Process Engineering has announced the inaugural CIT-Janssen Scholarship. Open to anyone who has applied through the CAO to study the Honours Degree in Mechanical Engineering (CR108) at CIT, it is worth €2,250 per annum for each of the four years of study.

The Scholarship selection committee are looking for a student with the personal determination to apply their knowledge and skills on graduation in the promotion of human health and well being and the potential to be creative and innovative in the design and implementation of solutions to engineering challenges. Applicants selected for interview will be assessed during April and May and final awarding of the scholarship will depend on both the interview performance and Leaving Cert results.

Janssen Supply Chain Ireland is part of the Johnson and Johnson group of companies and has two manufacturing facilities located at Little Island and Ringaskiddy in Cork.

Dr Ger Kelly, Head of Department at CIT's Department of Mechanical, Biomedical & Manufacturing Engineering said, "The Janssen Scholarship is a major vote of confidence by a world-leading company in CIT's B.Eng Honours Mechanical Engineering Programme. We see it as a major endorsement of the calibre of the students who have received the B.Eng Honours Award for many years now and as a testament to the enthusiasm, professionalism, and quality of the staff within the department and from across CIT."

The closing date for applications is Saturday, March 21st and all information is on www.cit.ie/mecheng

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