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Institiúid Teicneolaíochta Leitir Ceanainn  
Letterkenny Institute of Technology

**School/Department:** Law and Humanities

**Date:** 12 June 2019

**Title of the Programme:** Diploma In PE Studies

**Chairperson:** Ann Campbell

**Members of the Panel:** Michael Mc Geehin, Director, Sports Ireland Coaching, Dr Gavin Breslin, Senior Lecturer in Sport & Exercise, Ulster University, Lisa Moore, Research Masters Student, Letterkenny IT and Kieran Collins, IT Tallaght

**Secretary:** Mr Thomas Dowling

**LYIT Staff:**

Siobhan Cullen, Suzanne Kennedy, Karl Lacey

### **Criteria for the Validation of a New Programme**

1. The Programme Aims and Objectives are clear and consistent with the Award sought.
2. The Programme concept, implementation strategy are well informed and soundly based.
3. The Programme's Access, Transfer and Progression arrangements are satisfactory.
4. The Programme's written curriculum is well structured and fit for purpose.
5. There are sufficient qualified and capable programme staff.
6. There are sufficient physical resources to implement the programme as planned.
7. The learning environment is consistent with the needs of the programme learners.
8. There are sound Teaching, Learning and Assessment Strategies.
9. Learners enrolled on the Programme will be well informed, guided and cared for.
10. The Programme will be well managed.

(For the attention of the Academic Council)

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**Commendations:**

1. The panel commend the team on the quality of the documentation.
2. The panel were impressed by the level of preparation and engagement from the Programme Team; and that the programme had been well thought through.

The Panel of Assessors advises the Academic Council that the Institute and the School/Department should take cognisance of following recommendations:

1. Update the reading lists as required.
2. Include CARA as a resource.

The Panel of Assessors advises the Academic Council that approval of the programmes subject to general conditions of approval together with the following additional conditions:

None

**Response to Panel Report**

The Head of Department and Programme Team would like to thank the panel for its careful consideration and endorsement of the proposed new programme.

In relation to recommendations, we would like to respond as follows:-

1. Update the reading lists as required.

The reading lists have all been reviewed and updated texts have been included where appropriate.

2. Include CARA as a resource.

This is now explicitly referred to within the P.E and Adapted Physical Activity syllabus at page 31.

**PART 4 PROPOSED PROGRAMME SCHEDULE(S) please attach final schedule to bottom of the report.**

Title of Award: Diploma in Physical Education Studies  
 Area Of Specialisation: Fulltime/Part-time  
 Learning Mode Offered: September 2019  
 Date Effective: Award  
 Stage: Award

Semester	Module Title	Subject status	ECTS		Hours						Allocation of marks (%)			
			Level	Number	Lecture	Tutorial	Lab/Studio/ Practical	Online	Independent Learning	Total	Coursework	Final Exam	Total	
<b>SEMESTER 1</b>														
1	Movement Studies: Gym & Dance	M	7	10	1	-	4	-	13	18	100	-	100	
1	PE & Adapted Physical Activity	M	7	10	3	-	2	-	13	18	50	50	100	
1	Athletics and Games	M	7	10	1	-	4	-	13	18	100	-	100	
<b>SEMESTER 2</b>														
2	Adventure & Aquatics	M	7	10	1	-	4	-	13	18	100	-	100	
2	Work Placement – Teaching Practice	M	7	20	Meetings						33	100	-	100

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Programme Evaluation Report Approved by:

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Chair to Panel

(Former President, Dundalk IT)

Date 8/7/19

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(VP for Academic Affairs and Registrar,  
Letterkenny IT)

Date 12/7/19.