

# UNIC LIFELONG LEARNING

## WORKSHOP SERIES

### WORKSHOP 3: Meeting Skills Needs through Microcredentials: Lessons from ACE at UCC

With the term 'microcredential' being the latest buzz word to capture the interest of education providers, this presentation will explore current practice in this field in an Irish university. Since 2020, over a dozen microcredentials have been designed and delivered through ACC at UCC in order to meet the needs of both enterprise and community organisations.

This presentation will explore ACE's partnership approach to the development of microcredentials. It will examine how microcredential curricula have been designed to meet the needs of a wide variety of adult learners at various levels of the national framework of qualifications. It will assess our flexible approach to delivery and our quality assurance mechanisms that help ensure that our microcredentials are a valuable proposition for learners. Finally, this workshop will discuss the potential of microcredentials for unlocking the lifelong learning agenda

**THURSDAY OCTOBER 6, 2022, 9.15AM (IRISH TIME) •  
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This workshop will be delivered via Zoom:  
Click the link to join <https://tinyurl.com/2sex6nhw>

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