

1.	Title of Programme(s): (incl. Award Type and Specify Embedded Exit Awards)	BA (Hons) International Hotel Management BB in Hotel and Catering Management
2.	NFQ Level(s)/ No. ECTS:	Levels 8 and 7 240 and 180 ECTS
3.	Duration:	4 and 3 years
4.	ISCED Code:	1013
5.	School / Centre:	Galway International Hotel School
6.	Department:	Department of Service Industries
7.	Type of Review:	Differential Validation
8.	Date of Review:	22 nd March 2022
9.	Delivery Mode:	Full-time
10.	Panel Members:	Dr. Shelia Flanagan, Registrar & Vice President Academic Affairs, Dundalk Institute of Technology Professor Una McMahon Beattie, Professor in Hospitality Management, Ulster University Business School. Dr. Noel Murray, Head of Department of Tourism & Hospitality, Munster Technological University, Cork Mr. Niall Rochford, General Manager Ashford Castle Estate, Cong, Co. Mayo Ms. Alex Bourke, Sous Chef, Éan Restaurant, Galway Ms. Carmel Brennan, Assistant Registrar (Quality) (Secretary)
11.	Proposing Staff:	Ms. Cait Noone Ms. Jacinta Dalton Mr. Diarmuid O'Conghaile Mr. Tom Edwards Ms. Beatrice Colleran Ms. Margaret Gannon Mr. Brian Morrissey Ms. Deirdre Fahy Ms. Michelle Glynn Mr. Barry McMillan

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12.	Rationale for Changes:	<p>The proposal to amend from a BA to a BB was driven by feedback from graduates, the desire to align with other programmes within the School, and the fact that the original reason which was to do with Teaching Council requirements is no longer valid.</p> <p>The term hospitality reflects the broad nature of the programme and the fact that the industry has changed including diverse areas such as glamping, Air B&B and bars. The proposed title reflects the nature of the industry and the content of the programme.</p>
13.	Overview of Changes:	<p>Amend the title BA (Hons) in International Hotel Management to Bachelor of Business (Hons) in International Hotel and Hospitality Management.</p> <p>Amend the title Bachelor of Business in Hotel and Catering Management to Bachelor of Business in International Hotel and Hospitality Management.</p>
14.	Resource Implications:	None.
15.	Findings and Recommendations:	<p>General: The panel approve the proposed changes.</p> <p>Commendations: 1. The stakeholder input into the review process and how this has informed changes to the programme.</p> <p>Special conditions attaching to approval (if any): None.</p>

		Recommendations of the panel in relation to award sought: None.	
16.	FAO: Academic Council:	Approved:	X
		Approved subject to recommended changes:	
		Not approved at this time:	
	Signed:		
		Chair	Secretary