

# The Irish Crystallographic Association

## Cumann Criostalaghrafaíochta na hEireann

- Crystallography is a major source of structural information in Materials Science, Nanotechnology, Physics, Chemistry and Biology. The Irish Crystallographic Association has been formed to promote the science of crystallography in Ireland.
- The crystallographic properties of solids have important industrial applications which range from the pharmaceutical industry through semiconductors and electronics to mineralogy and cement production.
- The Association will promote education and research by organising conferences and meetings. It is affiliated to the International Union of Crystallography and the European Crystallographic Association.
- If you are interested in any aspects of crystal growth, crystallography and diffraction, then the association is for you. The annual membership fees are €25 for ordinary members and €10 for student members.
- To join the association fill in the application form by clicking on this [link](#) (You can fill in the form using the typewriter function in Adobe Reader). When you save the pdf you can send it by email to the secretary [Dr. Simon Lawrence](#).