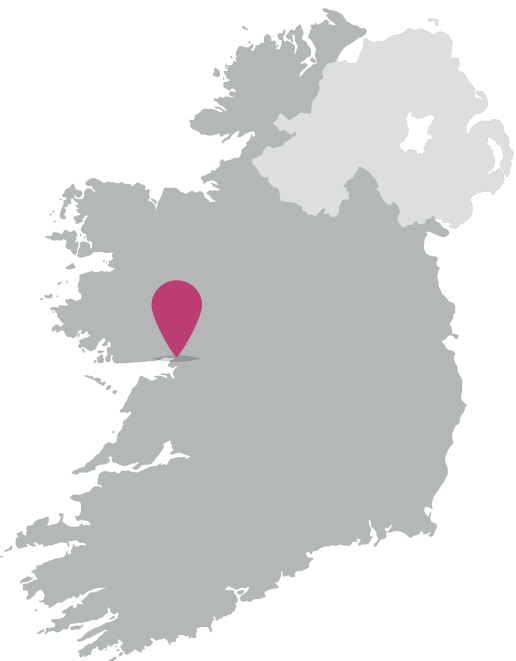


Why Galway for business?

Galway is a University City with a highly educated workforce. A global centre of activity for Medical Technologies & Information and Communications Technologies



Companies in the Area

Galway has developed into a focused global centre of activity for companies such as:



Demographics

400,000 people within a 60km radius

Access



Excellent road infrastructure – a 2 hr drive by motorway from Galway to Dublin



2 international Airports within 1 hr drive.
1 International Airport within 2 hr drive.



Excellent inter-urban rail connections to **Dublin and Limerick.**

Infrastructure

Parkmore Business and Technology Park is a c.80 hectare Park off the **M6 Galway to Dublin motorway**. The Park is occupied by many high end **manufacturing and international services clients** and continues to grow.

Talent



In the city of Galway there are two 3rd level Institutions – **National University of Ireland, Galway (NUIG)** and **Galway Mayo Institute of Technology (GMIT)** – with a combined student population of c.25,000.

Research Centres

Applied Research Centres at **NUIG** and **GMIT** include:

- Insight at NUIG, the Research Centre for Data Analytics
- The Regenerative Medicine Institute (REMEDI)
- SmartBay Galway
- The Galway Medical Device Technology Centre (GMedTech)
- Centre for the Integration of Sustainable Energy Technology

Lifestyle



Rich tradition in **literature, culture, arts** and **music**. The city is renowned for its festivals including the **Oyster, Arts** and **Galway Horse Racing Festivals.**



Galway Bay, the rugged **Twelve Ben mountains** and the beauty of **Connemara** to be enjoyed.