



# AMERICAN COLLEGE DUBLIN



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**Dear Friends of American College Dublin,**

It is a very exciting time for us here in Dublin. We are in the midst of celebrating our 25th anniversary and are preparing for all of the changes the college is undergoing. In July, I took over as the second President of the College as our founding President, Dr. Donald Ross, retired. Since that time, many new and interesting opportunities have presented themselves and it is my goal to embrace them as part of our strategic growth and development.

Throughout our evolution, the college has seen many changes. We have expanded facilities, added programs of study, sought and received Irish and US accreditation, and hired and nurtured a wonderful faculty and staff. These developments have given a solid foundation to the American College Dublin, which, in our next phase as an institution, will allow us to grow and prosper.

Currently, we have several prime initiatives that we are prioritizing and hope to make happen in the near future.

**Here are some of those priorities:**

- Expand our facilities to include additional teaching and training outlets. Add facilities to enrich student life including a fully renewed Speranza's Café. Develop new staff and faculty office and lounge space.
- Recruit new students for degree and semester abroad programs. Recruit new faculty and staff to provide the best experience for our students. Develop and reward existing faculty and staff to give them the support they have long deserved.
- Develop strategic partnerships to expand the college's reach and academic offerings. Develop industry ties to give a voice to those who hire our graduates. Reach out to alumni to have them engage in the college community and become a resource for our current students.

As you can see, we have three general areas of focus with several initiatives within those areas. If we can achieve these goals, American College Dublin will continue to evolve and continue to serve as a model for higher education in Ireland.

Of course, all of these initiatives require various resources including funds that are presently not available through tuition and other current revenue streams. I am asking all of our stakeholders, friends, alumni, and others who believe in our mission to participate by making a donation towards our goals. The amount one gives is entirely personal. Any donation will be very appreciated and will go directly towards meeting our goals.

I appreciate your help in allowing American College Dublin continue its evolution into its next quarter century. These are indeed exciting times and we are excited for you to be a part of it. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Rooney  
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