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University of College Dublin	4	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000
Trinity College Dublin	6	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Dublin City University	7	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000
University of Galway	9	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500
Technological University Dublin	9	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500
University College Cork	9	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500
Atlantic Technological University	10	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest	9	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 9,500
Dun Laoghaire Institute Art Design & Technology	10	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
Dundalk Institute of Technology	10	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
University of Limerick	9	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
Maynooth University	10	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
South East Technological University	10	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
Munster Technological University (MTU)	10	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000
	total	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000

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