IRELAND AT A GLANCE

EASY TO GET HERE
• 5 international airports
• 200+ destinations
• US Customs pre-clearance
• 6 hours to US
• 45 minutes to UK
• 2 hours to mainland Europe
• Country-wide public transport network

WORLD CLASS EDUCATION
• 9 universities
• 12 Institutes of Technology
• 2 medical colleges
• 10,000 campus accommodation beds

HOME TO...
1,200+ Multinational Companies
Employing 200,000+

RDS – LARGE CAPACITY
• Banquet style: 2,970
• Plenary: 6,500
• Total exhibition space: 20,000+ sqm

SECTORAL STRENGTHS
Agriculture
Biopharmaceuticals
Engineering
Finance
ICT & Software
Medical

DID YOU KNOW?
• Top 15 most innovative countries in the world
• One of the best places in the world to do business (Forbes)
• Home to two UNESCO World Heritage Sites
• Longest driving coastal route in the world, the Wild Atlantic Way

TEACHING HOSPITALS
45+ hospitals

HOTEL BEDROOMS
60,000

CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE
45+

TOURISM
60,000 hotel bedrooms

VENUES AND HOTELS
230+ venues and hotels with capacity to host MICE events

EXCELLENT CONVENTION CENTRES
• The Convention Centre in Dublin:
  – Plenary capacity: 3,040
  – Total Exhibition Space: 4,700 sqm
• Killarney Convention Centre:
  – Plenary Capacity: 2,500
  – Total exhibition space: 4,300 sqm

GLOBAL DESTINATION SUSTAINABILITY (GDS) INDEX MEMBER

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