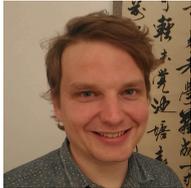


# John P. McCrae



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**Location:** Galway, Ireland

**Citizenship:** United Kingdom

**Date of Birth:** 17th April 1984

**Gender:** Male

## Achievements

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- Leading researcher in natural language processing, knowledge graphs and linked data.
- Obtained €3,315,619 in funding, including IRC Consolidator Laureate Award, Co-ordinator of H2020 Project, Collaborative projects with Fidelity Investments, Huawei and Genesys.
- 210 publications at EMNLP, COLING, LREC etc. (6319 Citations; h-Index: 42). [Full Publication List](#).
- Supervised 5 PhD students to completion (7 ongoing).
- Chair and Founder of [Language, Data and Knowledge Conference Series](#).
- Led departmental self-assessment team to Athena SWAN Bronze Award (for gender equality).
- NUI Galway President's Award for Research Excellence.
- Lectured courses on Natural Language Processing, Knowledge Graphs, Linked Data and Semantic Web and the University of Galway and Bielefeld University using PyTorch, TensorFlow, NLTK, RDFlib, SPARQL, etc.

## Education

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**National University of Ireland, Galway** Sept 2020 to 2021

University Rd, Galway

Postgraduate Certificate in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

**National University of Ireland, Galway** Sept 2017 to 2019

University Rd, Galway

Diploma in Irish (B2)

**National Institute of Informatics** Oct 2006 to Sept 2009

Hitotsubashi 2-1-2, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo-to, 101-8430, Japan

Three-year PhD course "Automatic extraction of logically consistent ontologies from text corpora" - Supervisor: Nigel Collier

**Imperial College London** Oct 2002 to June 2006

South Kensington Campus, London, SW7 2AZ, UK

MSci Maths and Computer Science (First Class with Honours)

**The Judd School** Sept 1995 to July 2002

Brook Street, Tonbridge, Kent, TN9 2PN, UK

4 A-Levels: Maths(A), Further Maths(A), German(A), Physics(A) 10 GCSEs (Grade A or A\*)

## Work Experience

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**University of Galway** Jan 2017-

Assistant Professor

**National University of Ireland, Galway** Aug 2015-Dec 2016

Research Fellow

**Cognitive Interaction Technology Excellence Cluster, University Bielefeld** Oct 2009- Aug 2015

Postdoctoral Research Associate ("Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter")

**National Institute of Informatics** Oct 2008- Sept 2009

Research Assistant