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#### In 2024...

## 76 Scholars are participating in the programme

- 63 of those are new Scholars
- 13 received support to return for their second year

#### €3.3m awarded in scholarships

• €10m+ awarded to date

#### 10 Higher Education Institutions represented

## 19 counties across the island of Ireland represented

#### **2024 Scholar Demographics**

35 female, 25 male and 3 students who would prefer not to say

Scholars are enrolled at 33 universities across the US, continental Europe & the UK

Scholars are pursuing courses across 16 different academic disciplines



# WHO WILL BE SUPPORTED IN 2024?

- Up to 50 Scholars will be supported, for master's degrees in the USA, UK, Europe, Canada. Scholars may combine the award with other sources of support or other awards, e.g. Fulbright, Erasmus Mundus.
- Academic excellence and potential for impact are the main criteria for selection.
- Applicants may apply for support for either research or taught master's degrees, for a 1-2 year period.



## HOW DO I COMPLETE THE APPLICATION?

- Begin your application on <a href="https://www.mindaclient.com">www.mindaclient.com</a> on the 21st of October.
- Provide a research statement and a personal statement. Focus on your top course choice.
   Submission by 22<sup>nd</sup> of November.
- Ask two referees if they will complete and submit references for you by the 6<sup>th</sup> of December 2024. You will receive a link to send them, once you submit your application.
- Provide an estimate of all of your costs for the duration of study and the amount you would require to successfully complete the proposed degree.



# WHAT WILL IT MEAN TO BE A GEORGE MOORE SCHOLAR?

- Financial and personal support.
- Part of a cohort of excellent students making an impact internationally.
- Following in the footsteps of a trailblazing Irish graduate, who built one of the early data analytics companies.
- Evidence that you have been selected through a competitive process for an award that recognizes your ability and potential.



# QUESTIONS?



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