



**Limerick
Chamber**
Advancing business together

BECOME A MEMBER

Better for Limerick Better for you

Championing business growth &
investment, dedicated to fostering a
thriving Limerick and Mid-West since 1805.



Welcome to the Chamber



Dee Ryan
CEO

Welcome to our mixed sector business community of 420 members supporting approximately 50,000 jobs. Our members are ambitious, committed and passionate about improving the Mid West.



Donnacha Hurley
President

Joining Limerick Chamber is one of the best investments you can make for your business. We are a grassroots business movement for change in the Mid West. Our goal is to improve the operating environment for all.

Our Vision

To be the leading business representative organisation for a vibrant city and region with global ambition, recognised as the proactive and collaborative driver of economic growth.

Message from the CEO

Thank you for your interest in joining our 420 member strong community representing businesses in Clare, Tipperary, and Limerick the highest concentration of which are located in wider Limerick – Shannon metropolitan area.

By becoming a member of the Mid West's largest business group you will access member supports to raise your profile and grow your business.

The majority of our members are SME's and we have strong support from the largest employers in the region, including institutes of learning, multi-national IDA clients and scaling Mid-West businesses trading internationally.

As the independent voice for business in the region Limerick Chamber is a recognised stakeholder and on behalf of our members is engaged in a wide range of activities, forums and committees focused on economic development. My team and I engage with members on a regular basis to ascertain their views on a broad variety of matters, and the Chamber is governed by a Board of 16 local business leaders elected from within the membership to strategically direct the operations of the organisation.

Throughout the pandemic we have seen a strong desire for members to support each other and the Chamber facilitates that through our events, e-newsletter, business awards and membership magazine.

In joining I urge you to get involved, join our high value online events, avail of our funding for training and most importantly refer to our membership directory when next you are seeking a service provider, supplier or trusted partner.

Together we can build a better Limerick.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'D. B.', is positioned below the text 'Together we can build a better Limerick.' The signature is fluid and cursive.

CONNECT

Connect with members by join our 25 + annual events, including our flagship Regional Business Awards and our Economic Outlook series. Raise your profile by sharing your news and views through our active social and digital communications channels including our dedicated member database 'Chamber Master'.

LinkedIn

4,189
FOLLOWERS



Facebook

1,642
FOLLOWERS



Twitter

7,903
FOLLOWERS



Email Database

1,800
CONTACTS



TRAIN



Growing Together

The power of our member network

The name "Skillnet" reflects the marriage of the two core aspects of what we facilitate, upskilling and networking.

Limerick Chamber Skillnet is funded by Skillnet Ireland and member companies. We offer businesses in the Mid-West subsidies of up to 20% towards Training Programmes and Staff Development. We also offer funding for Future Skills Training and Development for the development of new programmes for various sectors and for Skills Connect Programmes.



INFLUENCE

Strengthen your
business voice

Our strength is our
member network



Our Influencing Toolkit



Representation & Lobbying

A proven track record in being a strong and active representation voice and influencer on regional and national policy issues.



Stakeholder Engagement

Strong collaboration with stakeholders for mutually beneficial end goals.



Research & Analysis

A designated Chamber Economist. Collaboration with external parties on research projects, where appropriate.

Your priorities are our priority

A nighttime photograph of a modern cityscape, likely Limerick, Ireland. The image shows several multi-story buildings with illuminated windows and balconies. A prominent feature is a tall, curved glass skyscraper that reflects the ambient light. The buildings are situated along a river, and their lights are reflected in the calm water. The sky is a deep blue, suggesting dusk or dawn. The overall atmosphere is one of a vibrant, modern urban environment.

1 A Connected Limerick

- Shannon Airport support and strategic route development
- Limerick Shannon Metropolitan Area Transport Strategy
- M20 Motorway to Cork

2 A Living & Thriving Limerick

- Public realm improvement, O'Connell Street development, increase city centre commercial and residential focus
- Limerick Northern Distributor Road

3 A Future for Limerick

- Mid West Economic Insights
- Shannon Estuary Area Development & supporting Offshore Wind
- Local Government Reform in Limerick

Representing You **Our Board**

Our Board is annually elected from within our membership each February. The Board sets the priority focus for the Chamber, reflecting the views of our diverse Mid West business community.



Donnacha Hurley
President
General Manager
Absolute Hotel



Graham Burns
Director CPL Regional
Offices, CPL Resources



Paul Ryan
Site Lead,
WP Engine



Maria Gleeson
Business Development
Manager, Holmes
O'Malley Sexton



Lavinia Ryan
Corporate Business
Manager, South & West
Region, VHI



Donal Cantillon
Vice President
Partner
Focus Capital Partners



Leanne Storan
Director,
EY



Mairead Connolly
Partner,
PWC



Dr. Liam Brown
Vice President Research,
Development &
Innovation, LIT



Noel Gavin
Senior Vice President,
Northern Trust



David Jeffreys
Past President
Founder & CEO
Action Point



Eoin Ryan
Partner, HLB McKeogh
Gallagher Ryan



James Ryan
Owner Centra William St.
& O'Connell St. Limerick



Mick Ryan
Head of Business Banking
Mid-West, Bank Of
Ireland



Kieran Considine
Head of Business Banking
Clare & Limerick, AIB



Miriam O'Connor
Partner
Sellors

Working
Together

*Celebrating
Together*



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How to Join

There are three ways by which you can join the Limerick Chamber:

1. Online
[Click here](#)

2. By Telephone
Call 061-217600

3. Download an Application Form [here](#)
Email it to: info@limerickchamber.ie
or post it to: Limerick Chamber, 96 O'Connell St, Limerick.

Membership Fees 2021

Category	Number of Employees	Current Rate	Votes at Chamber Elections
SME	1 - 50	€440	3
Business	51 - 200	€950	7
Corporate	200+	€1,500	10

Membership Benefits

- ✓ Business Excellence Series x 4
- ✓ Exclusive Online Member Area's Business Directory, Offers, Jobs and Events
- ✓ Take advantage of our many business advertising and marketing opportunities
- ✓ Attend High Value briefings on matters that impact your business including Legislative Changes and annual budget briefings
- ✓ Profile your business by entering the Regional Business Awards
- ✓ Complimentary access to 24+ annual Member Events
- ✓ Organisation-wide membership for your team including subscription to our regular Regional Business E-Newsletter
- ✓ Independent Pro-Business Policy Development focused on Mid West specific issues
- ✓ Your views represented through regular lobbying at Local, National and European Level
- ✓ Stakeholder Collaboration to optimise the regional economy
- ✓ Funding for training to support your workforce development
- ✓ Vote in Chamber Board Elections



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