**Dublin Chemistry Graduate Assistant Module CHEM40340 (Demonstrator Module) Student Survey**

Dear undergraduate student,

Many thanks for agreeing to take part in the survey. Your demonstrator has opted to take a module aimed at improving the teaching skills and performance of demonstrators in the undergraduate laboratory. Thus, your feedback is an important part of assessing the demonstrator’s progress.

This survey is anonymous and voluntary. It should only take 3-5 mins to complete. Both praise and (where justified) criticism in the ‘comments’ section are welcome. Please avoid any comments of a personal nature. **Two surveys will be taken. The second survey (several weeks later) will allow the demonstrator to see if they have made any improvements after receiving the feedback from the first.**

It should be noted that an important part of the laboratory for an undergraduate is working things out for themselves (*e.g.* certain calculations, yields). The primary role of the demonstrator is to ‘demonstrate’ techniques and help students understand the underlying chemistry. In certain cases a demonstrator may not answer a question (*e.g*. How do I calculate this? What is the answer to the lab-book question?) if (s)he feels it is part of the experiment for the student to work it out themselves. This is being a good demonstrator and should not be interpreted as being unhelpful.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Dónall Mac Dónaill (Director of Teaching and Learning Postgraduate)

**Year (JF, SF etc.): Lab (Organic, Inorganic, Physical etc.): Date:**

Please circle the answer which best matches your opinion on the statement given.

**My demonstrator is always on time and well prepared**

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

**My demonstrator is approachable if I have questions**

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

**My demonstrator engages with the group throughout the lab and encourages me to ask questions**

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

**When I ask questions my demonstrator either knows the answer or finds out quickly**

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

**I have the impression that the demonstrator understands the aims and underlying chemistry associated with the experiment.**

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

**The demonstrator can explain the underlying chemistry to me in clear terms**

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly disagree

**Overall I would rate my demonstrator as being**

Very knowledgeable and helpful Very helpful Helpful Neutral Unhelpful

**Comments**