



Paul Dodd

Vice-President for Engagement. University of Galway, Ireland.

Paul Dodd took up the role of Vice President for Engagement at University of Galway in January 2022. Paul is a member of the university management team and plays a central role in connecting the university with local, national and global partners. Building on the University's long tradition of deep engagement with its surroundings, he is developing strategies and plans to maximise the impact of the university's research and educational activities. In holding previous leadership positions in industry, government agencies and universities, Paul developed an extensive global network of collaborators and colleagues.

Paul has spent the last decade in a research leadership role at one of the largest and most diverse research universities across the globe, University of California. During this time, he catalysed interdisciplinary research centres and institutes to tackle some of the world's most challenging problems – from climate change and energy-efficient buildings to global pandemics.

