



The James Brosnan Scholarship: Foundations in AT

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Enable Ireland's National AT Training Service offers annually the *James Brosnan Scholarship*, in memory of a man who was an expert AT user, journalist, powerful advocate, artist, Liverpool fan and all-round renaissance man.

James followed his own path in terms of his use of technology, and he generously shared his extraordinary experience with others. His legacy is immense, and can be seen [HERE](#) in a video that charts just a fraction of his life story, through the lens of Assistive Technology.

This scholarship will enable the successful applicant to register for Enable Ireland's Foundations in Assistive Technology course, accredited by Technological University, Dublin (TU Dublin), free of charge. This course is a Level 6 course, with 5 ECTS (European Credit Transfers). The standard course fee is €950. For further information, please see *Foundations in AT Course 2026 information*

The next course will start in January 2026. It consists of 11 live webinars, with an additional 79 hours of self-directed learning.

Who Can Apply?

This scholarship is open to Assistive Technology users or prospective users, who wish to upskill in this area, and who are also willing to share their learning with others, through peer mentoring.

Applicants must be:

- 18 years or older
- Have a lived experience of disability
- Be committed to 100 hours of blended learning
- Be committed to submitting a project based on their learning

A strong internet connection is a pre-requisite for participation in the course.

***As this is an online course, applicants should be confident using either a computer or tablet to access websites and participate in web-based learning activities like quizzes and forums*.**

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The James Brosnan Scholarship: Foundations in AT Course: APPLICATION FORM

***Please note all applicants must be 18 years of age or older*.**

Name:

Address:

E mail address:

Phone Number:

Why do you want to do this Foundations in AT course?

What do you plan to do with your learning when you complete the course?

Please outline your experience with technology (mainstream technology and/or assistive technology) to date:

Are there any barriers preventing you from taking up this scholarship, should you be successful in your application?

YES ☐

NO ☒

I have a lived experience of disability

YES ☐

NO ☒

If yes, please provide some details of the nature of your lived experience of disability

I am committed to **100 hours** of blended learning

YES ☐

NO ☒

I am committed to submitting a project based on my learning

YES ☐

NO ☒

CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS: Wednesday 1st October 2025 @ 5 P.M.
Completed applications should be emailed to sdeakin@enableireland.ie