



Partnership between

## Just Forests and Galway Mayo Institute of Technology Letterfrack

The aim of this collaborative partnership is to embed a Development Education (DE) perspective into the programme syllabi of the following programmes:

- BSc (Hons) in Furniture Design and Manufacture
- BSc (Hons) in Furniture and Wood Technology
- BSc (Hons) in Design and Technology Education

Commencing in the next academic year (2012/13) Just Forests will visit GMIT Letterfrack and

- Present a seminar to all First year students during National Tree Week
- Host a workshop for local primary schools (incorporating the Woods of Life exhibition)
- Host a workshop for fourth year students on the issues surrounding sustainability and ethical procurement policies for businesses

Other areas of collaboration may include

- Establishment of a native woodland plot in Letterfrack for educational purposes
- Student placements
- Student project work aligned with the mission of Just Forests and the Learning Outcomes of relevant GMIT programmes

Signed on behalf of Just Forests

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