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Object name: Class Photograph, TCD M.Sc. in Computer Practice Class of 1978-1979

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Synopsis: Trinity College Dublin, Class Photographs, with accompanying identification.

Description:

Professor J.G.Byrne of the Department of Computer Science, Trinity College Dublin, initiated the Computers in Education Diploma, a graduate diploma course first run in 1973-74. The higher-achieving students from the first four cohorts taking the diploma course were invited to proceed to a second year of study leading to the degree of Master in Computer Practice – another initiative of Professor Byrne's. The Master's course was run only once, starting in Autumn 1977, but it made a significant contribution, see Elizabeth Oldham's *History of Computing Education in Irish Schools* elsewhere in this catalog. Figure 1 shows Professor Byrne with the graduates on the occasion of their Commencements in summer 1979.

Many thanks to Elizabeth Oldham for donating this item, and for permission to publish it in this online catalog.

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*Figure 1: Graduates of the M.Sc. in Computer Practice, 1979, with Prof.J.G.Byrne
Photograph courtesy Elizabeth Oldham*

*Figure 2: Graduates of the M.Sc. in Computer Practice, 1979, with Prof.J.G.Byrne
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