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My name is Inga Jóna Þórsdóttir. Currently I work as an Educational and Vocational Guidance Counsellor in Technical College of Hafnarfjörður.

My primary degree was in Pedagogy but I completed diploma in Guidance from University of Iceland 1996 and a Master's degree in Educational and Vocational Guidance 2007.

I have been working as guidance counsellor for 13 year or since I finished my diploma. First as a Job counsellor in an Employment Service Center for the unemployed. Soon after that I started to work as a Guidance counsellor in elementary school (6 to 16 years old) in Reykjavík. For the last six year I have been working here at Technical College of Hafnarfjörður.

In my current job as a counsellor I provide students from 16 to 65 years old guidance and support in issues concerning their studies, educational and vocational choices and private circumstances. I provide this service to all students, both those who do well in school and those have some learning disability or other problems and are at risk in some way.

My interests include traveling, hiking, reading a good book and listening to good music.

I am looking forward to learn about guidance system in Ireland, meet counsellors from other European countries and to share knowledge and ideas with colleagues in Dublin.

Best regards

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