

Critical Thinking: The Galway Symposium on the Future of Universities Programme

Arts Millennium Building, NUI Galway

Thursday 5 June 2008

Time	Session	Venue
8.00am	Arrival & Registration	
9.15am	<i>Conference Opening & Keynote</i> Mr Michael Kelly , Chair of the Higher Education Authority Dr James J. Browne , President NUI Galway	Ó hEocha/ AM250
10.00am	<i>Keynote</i> Professor Mary Evans , London School of Economics 'Universities and the Challenges of Realism'	Ó hEocha/ AM250
10.45am	Tea/Coffee	
11.00am	<i>Parallel Workshops:</i> <i>Theme: Links between Teaching and Research</i> 'Delivering Undergraduate Research for all Students' Led by Professor Alan Jenkins , Oxford Brookes University	Ó hEocha/ AM250
	<i>Theme: Civic Engagement</i> 'An Introduction' Led by Professor Ronaldo Munck , Dublin City University	Siobhan McKenna Theatre
	<i>Theme: The Doctorate</i> Led by Professor John Hinde , NUI Galway	Fottrell/ AM200
	<i>Theme: Globalization</i> 'Investing in Higher Education: Risks and Rewards for Developing Countries' Led by Dr Rajani Naidoo , University of Bath	Ó Tnúthail/ AM150
12.30pm	Lunch in the Restaurant	
1.30pm	Poster Session in the Arts Millennium Foyer	Foyer
2.00pm	<i>Keynote</i> Professor Michael Shattock , London Institute of Education 'Managing Mass Higher Education in an Age of Austerity' Respondent: Professor Ferdinand von Prondzynski , President Dublin City University	Ó hEocha/ AM250
3.00pm	<i>Parallel Workshops:</i> <i>Theme: Creativity in Higher Education</i> 'Words and Weaving with Air. A Poetic Exploration of Creativity in Higher Education' Led by Professor Alison Phipps , University of Glasgow	Ó hEocha/ AM250
	<i>Theme: The Doctorate</i> Led by Professor John Hinde , NUI Galway	Fottrell/ AM200
	<i>Theme: Globalization</i> 'Investing in Higher Education: Risks and Rewards for Developing Countries' Led by Dr Rajani Naidoo , University of Bath	Ó Tnúthail/ AM150
	<i>Special Workshop</i> 'Key strategic issues for the new Irish Higher Education Strategy' Led by David W. Duffy of Prospectus Strategy Consultants	Siobhan McKenna Theatre
4.15pm	Tea/Coffee	

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4.30pm	<i>Keynote</i> Dr Don Olcott Jr , CE of the Observatory on Borderless Higher Education 'Rock n' on the International Stage: Global Universities and Cross-Border Higher Education'	Ó hEocha/ AM250
7.00pm	Social Event in the College Bar	

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9.30am	<i>Keynote</i> Professor Kathleen Lynch , University College Dublin 'Care-Less Cultures: New Managerialism and the "Care Ceiling" in Higher Education'	Ó hEocha/ AM250
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	<i>Theme: Civic Engagement</i> 'An Introduction' Led by Professor Ronaldo Munck , Dublin City University	Siobhan McKenna Theatre
	<i>Theme: Distance Education</i> 'Critical Issues and Institutional Strategies' Led by Dr Don Olcott Jr , Chief Executive of the Observatory on Borderless Higher Education	Ó Tnúthail/ AM150
11.30am	Tea/Coffee	
11.45am	<i>Keynote</i> Professor Alison Phipps , University of Glasgow 'Drawing Breath: Creative Elements and their Exile from Higher Education'	Ó hEocha/ AM250
12.30pm	Lunch in the College Bar	

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