**Disability/Visibility Draft Conference Schedule**

8.30-9.00 *Registration*

9.00-9.15 *Welcome and Introductions*

Eilionóir Flynn, NUI Galway

9.15-9.45 *Keynote Speech – The Role of Disability Research in Securing Human Rights & Equality*

Robbie Sinnott, Blind Rights Alliance

9.45-10.00 Q&A

10.00-11.15 *Roundtable: The Future of Disability Research Promoting Human Rights and Equality in Ireland*

Chair: Eilionóir Flynn, NUI Galway

Participants: Eithne Fitzgerald, Irish Disability Studies

Association

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11.15-11.30 Coffee Break

11.30-12.45 *Research Challenges and Co-Production*

Chair: Jenny Dagg NUI Galway

Presenters: Caroline O’Nolan and Gráinne Collins (NDA)

Clíona de Bhailís (NUI Galway)

Nancy Leddin, Joan Body, Brian Donohoe, (Inclusive Research Network)

Margaret Turley, Christine McGee, Sandra McCullagh (Inclusion Ireland)

12.45-1.45 Lunch

1.45-3.00 *Operationalising Human Rights and Equality Instruments*

Chair: Catriona Moloney, NUI Galway

Presenters: Maria Ní Fhlartharta (NUI Galway)

Meredith Raley (DFI)

Lorraine Lally (Epilepsy Ireland)

Donna McNamara (DCU)

3.00-3.15 Coffee Break

3.15-4.30 *Models and Storytelling for Social Justice*

Chair: James Casey, Independent Living Movement Ireland

Presenters: Susan Carton and Peter Kearns (St Angela’s Sligo)

Darlene Corry (Disability Action)

Áine Sperrin (NUI Galway)

Fionn and Jonathan Angus (Fionnathan Productions)

4.30-4.45 Closing Remarks: János Fiala-Butora NUI Galway