

Strengthening strategic partnerships

to effect system change



Programme | Wednesday 19 October

PLENARY 09.00 - 10.10	
Partnership and the Technological Universities	Dr Orla Flynn, President, Atlantic Technological University
Collaboration and Development in ETBs	David Leahy, CE, Galway and Roscommon Education and Training Board
Moving Forward in Partnership: <i>University of Galway</i>	Professor Ciarán Ó hÓgartaigh, President, University of Galway
Forging Partnerships in Adult and Community Education: <i>Hope, Possibility, Justice, and Action</i>	Dearbháil Lawless, CEO, AONTAS
The Unified Tertiary Education System: <i>a presentation by the Department of Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science</i>	Stephanie Thompson, Assistant Principal Officer, Strategic Policy Unit, Department of Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science (DFHERIS)
Break 10-15m	



CONCURRENT SESSIONS 10.20 - 11.10	
<p>Refreshing the Irish Doctoral Framework (NFDE) and the significance of collaboration in research and doctoral education</p> <p>Reflections and Visions for Modernization: <i>Why doctoral education needs tech</i></p> <p>Developing a Framework to Enhance Research Integrity in Research Collaboration</p>	<p>Professor Barbara Dooley, Acting Registrar and Deputy President UCD</p> <p>Professor Robert Harris, Academic Vice President of Doctoral Education and head of the International Council, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden</p> <p>Dr Jennifer Brennan, Director of Research Development and Innovation, THEA</p>
<p>Enterprise and Education in Partnership: <i>Connecting programmes and employability</i></p>	<p>Session chair: Professor Irene Sheridan, QQI Board member</p> <p>Lightning Talks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dawn O'Connor, IADT• Sandra Mooney, Innopharma Education• Anne McGlynn, the Insurance Institute of Ireland• Siobhán Griffin, Munster Technological University• Dr Ita Kennelly, National College of Ireland• Dr Trish O'Brien, O'Brien Governance• Dr Sinéad Burke, UL
<p>Panel discussion: <i>Representatives from the ETB inaugural review sectoral report group</i></p>	<p>David Jones, OBE DL, Chair of Qualifications Wales, Joint Chair, ETB Review Sectoral Report Team</p> <p>Frida Hengeveld, Joint Chair, ETB Review Sectoral Report Team</p> <p>Anna Jakobek, Learner Representative, ETB Review Sectoral Report Team</p> <p>Shauna Dunlop, Director of Research, Data and Strategic Engagement, SOLAS</p> <p>Blake Hodkinson, QQI Board member</p> <p>Session chair: Keith Brumfitt, Sectoral Report Writer</p>



<p>The Future of StudentSurvey.ie in the Higher Education policy landscape: A Design-Thinking Workshop</p>	<p>Dr Threase Kessie, Assistant Lecturer & Manager of Innovation Projects Maynooth University Innovation Lab</p> <p>Ms Derry Akin, Research Assistant Maynooth University Innovation Lab</p>
<p>Networking, coffee break and poster exhibition</p> <p>11.10</p>	
<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</p> <p>11.30 - 12.15</p>	
<p>Panel discussion: Combatting the Global Threat to Academic Integrity: What Can Be Done?</p>	<p>William Kelly, Chair, National Academic Integrity Network (NAIN); former Deputy Registrar and Dean of Teaching and Learning, DCU</p> <p>Dr Helen Gniel, Director, Higher Education Integrity Unit, Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency</p> <p>Professor Cath Ellis, Associate Dean (Education) in the Faculty of Arts, Design and Architecture at UNSW, Sydney</p> <p>Professor Michael Draper, Deputy Pro Vice Chancellor Education, Swansea University; ETINED (Council of Europe)</p>
<p>Digital Transformations Impacting on Programme Delivery and Student Experience</p>	<p>Session chair: Professor Jacqueline McCormack, VP for Equality, Diversity & Inclusion and Online Development, ATU</p>
<p>Embedding a Culture of Student-Staff Partnership: Reflections on successful student-staff collaborations</p>	<p>Session chair: Oisín Hassan, Manager, NStEP</p>



PLENARY 12.20 - 12.45	
Microcredentials and Microqualifications	Dr Lynn Ramsey, Director of MicroCreds, IUA Mary Lyons, Director, Enterprise, Employees and Skills, SOLAS
PLENARY 12.50 - 13.00	
Closing Remarks	John Walshe, award-winning journalist, consultant and commentator on educational issues
CANAL CAFÉ 13.00 - 14.00	
Lunch Pod with leaders of the Doctoral Education breakout session	Professor Barbara Dooley and Professor Robert Harris