Wider access, changing national demographics and international mass migration: implications for higher education reforms and policy

Higher Education Research Centre, Dublin City University
Wednesday 07 – Friday 09 September, 2016
Day 1: Wednesday 7th September 2016
Venue: The Library Building, St. Patrick’s Campus, Dublin City University

From 12:00  Registration (St. Patrick’s Campus, Library Building, foyer)
13:00  Tour of the Cregan Library (optional)

14:00 – 14:30  Welcome and Opening Session (Heaney Lecture Theatre, G114)
   Introduction to the 13th Higher Education Reform Workshop
   Maria Slowey, Chair, 13th HER Workshop, Professor and Director, Higher Education Research Centre (HERC), Dublin City University, Ireland
   Background to Higher Education Reform Workshop series
   Hans G. Schuetze, Emeritus Professor and former Co-Director, Center for Policy Studies in Higher Education, University of British Columbia, Canada
   Welcome: Widening access innovation at Dublin City University
   Professor Daire Keogh, Deputy President, Dublin City University, Ireland

14:30 – 15:30  Plenary Paper Session 1 – Chair: Shinichi Yamamoto, Professor, Graduate School of Higher Education Management, J.F. Oberlin University, Tokyo, Japan
   Mobility and migration: freedom and threat?
   Pavel Zgaga, Professor of Higher Education, Center for Educational Policy Studies, University of Ljubljana, Ljubljana, Slovenia

15:30 – 16:00  Refreshment break (Library Building, foyer)

16:00 – 17:15  Panel Session 1
   Wider access and changing migration patterns: implications for higher education reform and policy
   Convenor: Maria Slowey, Professor and Director, Higher Education Research Centre (HERC), Dublin City University, Ireland
   Panellists:
   - Lewis Purser, Director Academic Affairs, Irish Universities Association
   - Andrä Wolter, Professor of Higher Education, Institute for Educational Research, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany
   - María de los Ángeles Ortiz Reyes, Professor of Education, University of Puerto Rico, Puerto Rico, USA
   - Ita Tobin, Head of the Access Service, Dublin City University, Ireland

17:15 – 17:25  Introduction to Day 2 Open Space/Impulse Session
   Anne Ryan, Chair of Adult and Community Education, and Dr Conor Murphy, Irish Climate Analysis and Research Units (ICARUS), Maynooth University, Ireland

17:30 – 18:30  Plenary Paper Session 2 – Chair: Professor Daire Keogh, Deputy President, Dublin City University, Ireland
   Access to higher education – religion, gender, and ethnicity: some aspects of the Irish story at home and abroad
   Mary E. Daly, Emerita Professor of History, UCD and President of the Royal Irish Academy, Ireland
   Respondent: Professor Rosalind Pritchard, University of Ulster, Chair Royal Irish Academy Committee for Social Sciences

19:00 – 21:00  Welcome Reception hosted by Dr Pádraig Ó Duibhir, Dean of Institute of Education (Acting), Dublin City University, Ireland (Belvedere House, St. Patrick’s campus)
Day 2: Thursday 8th September 2016
Venue: St. Patrick’s Campus, Dublin City University

08:30   Registration continues

09:00 – 10:00   Plenary Paper Session 3 – Chair: Carol Kasworm, Emerita Professor of Adult Education, North Carolina State University, USA
                 Learning in retirement: a policy priority for the 21st century
                 David Istancé, Senior Research Associate, OECD

10:00 – 11:30   PARALLEL SESSION 1: Paper Sessions 1A, 1B, 1C (see detailed schedule)

11:30 – 12.00   Refreshment break

12.00 – 13.00   PARALLEL SESSION 2: Paper Sessions 2A, 2B, 2C (see detailed schedule)

13.00 – 14.00   Lunch break

14.00 – 15.15   Panel Session 2
                 Higher education for older adults: what is happening around the world, and what reforms are needed
                 Convenor: Walter Archer, Emeritus Professor and former President of the Canadian Society for the Study of Higher Education, University of Alberta, Canada
                 Panellists:
                 - Wietse de Vries, Instituto de Ciencias de Gobierno y Desarrollo Estratégico, Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla, Mexico
                 - William Kops, Professor, University of Manitoba, Canada
                 - Maria Slowey, Professor and Director, Higher Education Research Centre (HERC), Dublin City University, Ireland
                 - Shinichi Yamamoto, Professor, Graduate School of Higher Education Management, J.F. Oberlin University, Tokyo, Japan

15.15 – 16.00   Extended refreshment break and opportunity for “Open Space discussions”

16.00 – 17.30   PARALLEL SESSION 3: Paper Sessions 3A, 3B (see detailed schedule) and
                 Panel Session 3 – Higher education expansion and aging population in Latin America
                 Convenor and panellist: Germán Álvarez Mendiola, Professor, Center of Educational Research and Advanced Studies, Mexico City, Mexico
                 Panellists:
                 - Ana Ivenicki, Professor of Education, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
                 - Rosalba Ramirez, Center of Educational Research and Advanced Studies, Mexico City, Mexico

19:30 for 20:00   Workshop dinner – 1838 Restaurant, Glasnevin Campus, Dublin City University
                 (Note: pre-booking essential for dinner)

Dinner speaker
We are delighted to welcome Dr Mary Shine Thompson, Fellow Emeritus, St. Patrick’s College, Drumcondra, specialist in twentieth century Anglo-Irish literature, who will speak on the theme *Last things and first things* introducing the work of Seamus Heaney, Nobel Laureate in Literature (1995).
Day 3: Friday 9th September 2016
Please note, change of venue: Arts Building, Trinity College Dublin

Hosted in collaboration with the Cultures, Academic Values and Education Research Centre (CAVE)

09:00 – 09:15 Introduction to Day 3 (Lecture Theatre, Arts Building, Trinity College Dublin)
Maria Slowey, Chair 13th HER Workshop, Professor and Director, Higher Education Research Centre (HERC), Dublin City University

09:15 – 09:30 Escorted walk to venues for Parallel Session 4

09:30 – 10:30 PARALLEL SESSION 4: Paper Sessions 4A, 4B, 4C (see detailed schedule)

10:30 – 11:00 Refreshment break (opportunity for informal discussions)

11:00 – 12:00 Panel Session 4
Good intentions but not reality (yet)? University reforms to embrace lifelong learning (LLL)

Convenor: Hans G. Schuetze, Emeritus Professor and former Co-Director, Center for Policy Studies in Higher Education, University of British Columbia, Canada

Panellists:
- Ana Ivenicki, Professor of Education, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Carol Kasworm, Emerita Professor of Adult Education, North Carolina State University, USA
- Shinichi Yamamoto, Professor, Graduate School of Higher Education Management, J.F. Oberlin University, Tokyo, Japan
- Hae-Joo Lee, Professor, Korea National Open University, Republic of Korea

Discussant: Maria Slowey, Professor and Director, Higher Education Research Centre (HERC), Dublin City University, Ireland

12:00 – 12:45 Plenary Paper Session 4 – Chair: Hans G. Schuetze, Emeritus Professor and former Co-Director, Center for Policy Studies in Higher Education, University of British Columbia, Canada

Globalising the Academy – The Existential Challenge
Thomas Collins, Chair of the Governing Bodies of Dublin Institute of Technology and Institute of Technology Blanchardstown, Ireland

12:45 – 13:00 Report from Rapporteurs of the 13th HER Workshop

13:00 – 13:15 Presentation on the 14th HER Workshop 2017, University of Hiroshima, Japan

13:15 – 13:30 Conclusion of the 13th HER Workshop

14:30 Tour of Trinity’s historic Long Room Library including the Book of Kells
https://www.tcd.ie/visitors/book-of-kells/ (NB: this is arranged courtesy of Trinity College Access Office. There is no charge: however, places are limited and allocated on a ‘first come first served’ basis at the Registration Desk on Wednesday, 7th September)
Detailed Parallel Session Schedule
Thursday 8th September

10:00 – 11:30  PARALLEL SESSION 1 (St. Patrick’s Campus, Dublin City University)

Paper Session 1A, Chair: Richard Knopf, Arizona State University, USA (Room 206)
- The Ageing Population: An Impetus for Reform of the Community-Engaged University, Walter Archer, University of Alberta and William Kops, University of Manitoba (Canada)
- Higher Education for the Aged in China, Sumin Li, Tianjin Normal University (China)
- The Role of Higher Education and Its Institutional Management in an Aging Society: The Case of Japan, and Implications for Others, Shinichi Yamamoto, J.F. Oberlin University (Japan)

Paper Session 1B, Chair: Hans G. Schuetze, University of British Columbia, Canada (Room 205)
- The Impact of Recent Demographic Changes and Migration Patterns on Higher Education in Puerto Rico, María de los Ángeles Ortiz Reyes, University of Puerto Rico (Puerto Rico, USA)
- Higher Education in an Increasingly Multicultural Society: The Example of Brazil, Ana Ivenicki, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)
- Canada’s Response to Global Economic and Demographic Challenges: Mobility and Enrolment Trends in British Columbia’s Higher Education System, John FitzGibbon, BC Council on Admissions and Transfer (Canada)

Paper Session 1C, Chair: Rosalind Pritchard, University of Ulster, UK (Room 203)
- Migration and Higher Education in Germany, Andrä Wolter, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Germany)
- Adult Refugees in Higher Education in Ireland: Implications for Policy and Practice, Vera Sheridan, Dublin City University (Ireland)

12:00 – 13:00  PARALLEL SESSION 2 (St. Patrick’s Campus, Dublin City University)

Paper Session 2A, Chair: Rob Mark, HERC Dublin City University, Ireland (Room 206)
- Student Change and Faculty Roles: New Ways Forward for Higher Education, Martha Cleveland-Innes, Athabasca University (Canada)
- Talking About My Generation: Intergenerational Learning, a Response to the Challenges Facing Higher Education Policy and Reforms Today, Grace Kenny, Dublin City University (Ireland)

Paper Session 2B, Chair: Andrew Loxley, CAVE, Trinity College Dublin, Ireland (Room 205)
- Demographic Changes and Higher Education in Mexico, Germán Álvarez-Mendiola and Brenda Pérez Colunga, Center for Research and Advanced Studies (Mexico)
- Higher Education Policies in Mexico in View of Demographic Changes, Rosalba...
Genoveva Ramírez García, Center for Research and Advanced Studies (Mexico)

**Paper Session 2C, Chair: Ralf St Clair, University of Victoria, Canada, (Room 203)**

- The Impact of Trends, Ideas and Discourse on Institutional Change – For Example, the Consequences for University Governance of Cooperation and Competition in Networks, Rolf von Lüde and Richard Nägler, University of Hamburg (Germany)
- University Governance in Shrinking Higher Education Systems, Masataka Murasawa and Jun Oba, Hiroshima University (Japan)

**16:00 – 17:30 PARALLEL SESSION 3 (St. Patrick’s Campus, Dublin City University)**

**Paper Session 3A, Chair: Rolf von Lüde, University of Hamburg, Germany (Room 206)**

- The Shifting Future of U.S. Higher Education for Adult Learners and Workers, Carol Kasworm, North Carolina State University (USA)
- People Like Me: The University Experiences of the Daughters of Single Mothers in the United Kingdom, Jessica Gagnon, University of Portsmouth (UK)

**Paper Session 3B, Chair: Hans G. Schuetze, University of British Columbia, Canada (Room 205)**

- Gaokao Migration in China: Legal Issues and the Emerging Challenge, Suping Shen, Renmin University of China (China)
- Reflections on Multicultural Education in Korea, Hae-Joo Lee and Min-Seung Jung, Korea National Open University (Republic of Korea)
- Who Goes? Who Stays? Emigration Intentions of 715 University Students in China and Japan, Roger Boshier, University of British Columbia (Canada) and Seiko Ogawa, Aoyama Gakuin University (Japan)

**Panel Session 3: – Higher education expansion and aging population in Latin America (Room 203)**

**Convenor and panellist:** Germán Álvarez Mendiola, Professor, Center of Educational Research and Advanced Studies, Mexico City, Mexico (speaking on Chile)

**Other panellists:**

- Ana Ivenicki, Professor of Education, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Rosalba Ramírez, Center of Educational Research and Advanced Studies, Mexico City, Mexico (speaking on Argentina)

**Friday 9th September**

**9:30 – 10:30 PARALLEL SESSION 4 (Trinity College Dublin)**
Paper Session 4A, Chair: Joe O’Hara, Institute of Education, Dublin City University, Ireland

- Resurgence, Rigour and Resistance: Indigeneity in the Academy, Ralf St. Clair, University of Victoria (Canada)
- New Students, New Institutions: Challenges for Their Academic Legitimation and Social Sustainability in Mexico, Sylvie Didou Aupetit, Center for Research and Advanced Studies (Mexico)

Paper Session 4B, Chair: John Walsh, CAVE, Trinity College Dublin, Ireland

- The Role of Learning Outcomes in Supporting International Mobility, Mary Catharine Lennon, University of Toronto (Canada)
- Transnational Institutions and Adult Learners in Mexico: The Case of Laureate International, Germán Álvarez-Mendiola, Center for Research and Advanced Studies (Mexico)

Paper Session 4C, Chair: Rosalind Pritchard, University of Ulster, UK

- The Impact of “Super-Diversity” on the Student Experience in Higher Education: Implications and Recommendations for an Enhanced Delivery of Modern Foreign Languages at Third Level, Jennifer Bruen, Dublin City University (Ireland)
- Higher Education, Migration and Political Change, Hervey Gibson, University of Glasgow (UK)
Photographs on the cover:
1) Dublin City: Halfpenny Bridge, erected 1816
2) Dublin City University: New Library Building, St. Patrick’s Campus
3) Bardini Gardens, Florence, Italy: Jean-Michael Folon ‘Partir’, 2002 - personal photograph taken by Maria Slowey