



Brexit, Ireland and the Future of Europe

Conference and Launch of DCU Brexit Institute

Thursday 25th January 2018
The Helix, DCU Glasnevin Campus





08.45	Registration, Ground floor foyer, Helix
09.30	Welcome remarks Federico Fabbrini, Director, DCU Brexit Institute
09.30-10.30	Opening Keynote Speech Michael D Higgins, President of Ireland Introduced by Brian MacCraith, President of DCU
10.30-11.30	Keynote Speech Hilary Benn, Chairman of the UK House of Commons Committee on Exiting the EU Introduced by Daire Keogh, Deputy President of DCU
11.30-12.45	Lunch, First floor, Helix
12.45-13.00	Presentation: "Citizens' Dialogue on the Future of Europe" Helen McEntee , Minister of State for EU Affairs Introduced by Daire Keogh , Deputy President of DCU
13.00-14.00	Keynote Speech Herman van Rompuy, first President of European Council
14.00-15.30	Panel discussion Brexit, Ireland and the Future of Europe Dearbhail McDonald, Irish Independent - Chair Daniel Kelemen, Rutgers University Noelle O'Connell, European Movement Ireland Etain Tannam, Trinity College Dublin
15.30-15.45	Refreshments
15.45-16.30	Concluding Keynote Speech Simon Coveney, Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade, with Special Responsibility for Brexit Introduced by Federico Fabbrini, Director, DCU Brexit Institute Event Close