

‘A Vision for North South Co-operation?’

North South Symposium on Health and Environment.

Seminar Three, The Royal Irish Academy, 18th February 2025

10.30 - 11.00am	Registration
11.00 – 12.00	<p>Keynote Address by the two Chief Medical Officers on the Island of Ireland</p> <p>Speakers: Prof. Sir Michael McBride, Chief Medical Officer, (CMO) to the Department of Health, Northern Ireland and Prof. Mary Horgan, Chief Medical Officer (CMO) at Department of Health, Ireland.</p> <p>Chair: Prof. Brian Walker, President, The Irish Association.</p>
12.00– 1.00	<p>Health Practitioners' perspectives</p> <p>Panellists: Suzanne Costello, CEO, Institute of Public Health. Tom Daly, Former Director General, CAWT Co-Operating and Working Together and Deirdre Heenan, Prof. of Social Policy, Ulster University (UU).</p> <p>Chair: Prof. Brian Walker, President, The Irish Association.</p>
1.00 – 1.45	Lunch
1.45 – 2.05	<p>The Special EU Programmes Body</p> <p>Speaker: Gina McIntyre, CEO, Special EU Programmes Body (SEUPB).</p>
2.05– 3.00	<p>Environment Practitioners' perspectives</p> <p>Panellists: Senator Malcolm Noonan, former Minister for Heritage. Dr Ciara Brennan, Director, Centre for Environmental Justice and Prof. Mark Emmerson, Co-Centre for Climate, Biodiversity and Water, Queens University Belfast (QUB).</p> <p>Chair: Dr Conor O'Malley, Secretary, The Irish Association.</p>
3.00 – 4.30	<p>Summing Up - Analysts' perspectives</p> <p>Panellists: Turlough O'Donnell, SC, Member of the Climate Bar Association. Ian Marshall OBE, Head of Business Development and Policy, Centre for Advanced Sustainable Energy (CASE) Queens University Belfast. Prof. Brian O Gallachóir, University College Cork (UCC) and Caitriona Mullan, International Centre for Local and Regional Development (ICLRD).</p> <p>Chair: Dermot O'Doherty, Vice President, The Irish Association.</p>