



Group for the Study of Irish Historic Settlement

50th Anniversary Conference 1969-2019

Dublin 29-31 March 2019

Registration - €50 (Student €25)

Session 1		Friday 29 March	Royal Irish Academy	Keynote Lecture
Time	Speaker	Title		
6.30-7.30		Opening Reception		
7.30-8.30	Professor Patrick Duffy Maynooth University	Keynote Lecture <i>Breaching disciplinary boundaries': a half century of explorations of Irish settlement landscapes</i>		
Session 2 (Settlements of Power/Defence)		Saturday 30 March	City Assembly House (Irish Georgian Society)	
9.30-10am	Dr James O'Driscoll University of Aberdeen	<i>High Society: Settlement Activity at Bronze Age Hillforts in Ireland</i>		
10-10.30am	Professor Elizabeth FitzPatrick NUI, Galway	<i>Filling out the Gaelic Settlement Picture: Landscapes of Pedigree and Power</i>		
10.30-11am	Dr Ivar McGrath University College Dublin	<i>Barrack-building and settlement as evidenced from the online mapping of Ireland's eighteenth-century army barracks</i>		
11-11.30am	Coffee/Tea			

Session 3 (Religious Settlement)			
11.30-12pm	Dr Tomás O' Carragain. University College Cork	<i>Ecclesiastical Landholding in Early Medieval Ireland: Archaeological Evidence from Cork and Kerry</i>	
12-12.30pm	Professor Colm Lennon Maynooth University	<i>"Bare, ruin'd choirs": the impact of monastic dissolution on urban topography</i>	
12.30-1pm	Dr Gillian O'Brien & Jessie Castle Liverpool John Moores University	<i>Hidden in Plain Sight: Presentation Convents in Ireland from Penal Era to Catholic Emancipation</i>	
1-2.30pm	LUNCH		
Session 4 (Rural Settlement)			
2.30-3pm	Dr Fiona Beglane Institute of Technology, Sligo	<i>Living on the edge: Upland settlement in Co. Donegal</i>	
3-3.30pm	Dr James Lyttleton AECOM UK and Ireland	<i>The castles of Plantation era Ireland: where the medieval meets the early modern</i>	
3.30-4pm	Dr Georgina Laragy Trinity College, Dublin	<i>Institutional burial and human settlement; communities of memory and forgetting in 19th and 20th century Ireland</i>	
4-4.30pm	Tea/Coffee		
Session 5 (Looking back)			
4.30-5.30	Dr David Fleming University of Limerick Treasurer, GSIHS	<i>Interviews with past-officers of the GSIHS</i>	
7.00 pm		Reception and launch of <i>Church and Settlement in Ireland</i> and <i>Religion, landscape and settlement in Ireland: From Patrick to present</i>	
8pm	Conference Dinner	Fallon and Byrne, Exchequer Street	

Session 6 (Urban Settlements) Sunday 31 March City Assembly House (Irish Georgian Society)			
9.30-10am	Dr John Soderberg Denison University, Ohio	<i>Religion, Urbanism, and Aggregated settlement in Early Medieval Ireland</i>	
10-10.30am	Dr Annaleigh Margey Dundalk Institute of Technolgy	<i>Plantation Towns and Villages</i>	
10.30-11am	Dr Ruth McManus Dublin City University	<i>Studying the Modern Suburbs</i>	
11-11.30am	Coffee/Tea		
Session 7 (Looking forward) Sunday 31 March			
11.30-12.40pm	Committee members of the GSIHS	<i>Emerging topics in Settlement Studies:</i>	
12.40-1pm		Closing Remarks	