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The 13th Annual Marine Economics and Policy Research Symposium

Wednesday 13th December 2023
Venue: Porter Shed, Market Street, Galway





09.00 - 09.30	Registration and Tea/Coffee	
09.30 - 09.35	Overview of Days Proceedings	Prof Stephen Hynes, SEMRU, University of Galway
09.35 - 09.50	Opening Address	TBC
09.50 - 10.00	Ocean Economy Update	Dr Kieran Reilly & Ms Jenny O'Leary, Marine Institute

Session 1.	Marine Networks and Systems Analysis	Chair: Dr Niall McDonough, Marine Institute
10.00 - 10.20	Network governance and reflexivity in fisheries management: A case study of Northern Ireland	Dr Ben McAteer, Queens University Belfast
10.20 - 10.40	Integrating marine ecosystem services into socio-ecological systems analysis frameworks. Methodological considerations and challenges	Dr Zacharoula Kyriazi, University College Cork
10.40 - 11.00	Challenges to eco-innovation in shipbuilding networks	Dr Natasha Evers, Trinity College Dublin
11.00 - 11.20	A systems thinking response to improving the quality of our blue spaces- The PIER Perspective	Dr Sinead Duane, University of Galway
11.20 - 11.30	Q&A including views and discussion on future research needs	
11.30 - 12.00	Tea/Coffee	

Session 2.	Innovative and Collaborative Marine Governance	Chair: Ms Jenny O'Leary, Marine Institute
12.00 - 12.20	National and regional implementation of Maritime Spatial Planning (MSP) – preliminary results from the REGINA-MSP project survey	Dr Anne Marie O'Hagan, University College Cork
12.20 - 12.40	Marine governance barriers to achieving the Green Deal, an overview of the PERMAGOV project	Dr Wesley Flannery, Queens University, Belfast
12.40 - 13.00	Examining community-led coastal socio-economic development in the Connemara Gaeltacht and the Aran Islands	Dr Alex Miller, Queens University, Belfast
13.00 - 13.10	Q&A including views and discussion on future research needs	

13.10 - 14.00 **Lunch**

Session 3.	Marine and Coastal Management and Policy	Chair: Dr Edel Doherty, University of Galway
14.00 - 14.20	Building coastal resilience in Europe	Dr Eugene Farrell, University Galway



14.20 – 14.40	Estimating the recreational value of a blue carbon ecosystem	Geraldine Doolan, University Galway
14.40 – 15.00	Incorporating social and economic data into ecosystem-based management and advice	Dr Debbi Pedreschi, Marine Institute
15.00 – 15.20	Science communication and marine pollution policy	Prof Kathrin Kopke, University College Cork
15.20 – 15.30	Q&A including views and discussion on future research needs	

Session 4	Marine and Coastal Tourism	Chair: Prof John McHale, University of Galway
15.30 – 15.50	Alternative approaches to measuring the value of tourism in marine and coastal areas	Prof Stephen Hynes, University of Galway
15.50 – 16.10	Marine tourism In South Korea’s ocean satellite accounts	Dr Jeong-In, Chang, Korea Maritime Institute
16.10 – 16.30	Sustainability in coastal and marine tourism through an integrated approach: evidence from Valentia Island	Prof Mary Cawley, University of Galway
16.30 – 16.50	Marine based tourism in Ireland, a supply-side perspective	Dr John Deely, University of Galway
16.50 – 17.00	Q&A including views and discussion on future research needs	
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