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1st - 2nd September 2006

Conference Co-Ordinator: Dr. Terence Dooley

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FRIDAY, 1ST SEPTEMBER, 2006

Venue:	John Hume Building, Theatre 1, North Campus, NUI Maynooth
6.00p.m.	Registration
7.15p.m.	Welcome:
	PROF. JOHN HUGHES (President NUIM)
7.30p.m.	KEYNOTE ADDRESS:
-	Chair: Professor R.V. Comerford,
	NUI Maynooth
	'The Irish Heritage Trust: The way forward for
	Irish Historic Houses?'
	(Speaker to be announced)
9.00p.m.	Wine Reception in Pugin Dining Hall,
1	South Campus

SATURDAY, 2ND SEPTEMBER, 2006

Venue: 8.30a.m. - 9.00a.m.	John Hume Building, Theatre 1, North Campus, NUI Maynooth Registration	
SESSION I	Chair: Camilla McAleese,	4

	The Honorable Society of King's Inns
9.00a.m.	'The Long Houses of South-West Norway'
	Frans-Arne Stylegar
9.30a.m.	'Government policy, public attitudes and the Belgian
	Country House'
	Francois-Emmanuel de Wasseige

10.00a.m. Tea/Coffee

Session II	Chair: Frances Bailey,
	Curator, National Trust Northern Ireland
10.30a.m.	'Fundraising and Lobbying for Chateau de
	Versailles, 1987-Present'
	VICOMTE DE ROHAN
	(Président de la Société des Amis de Versailles)
11.15a.m.	'Restoration at Castle Howard: Looking back and
	looking forward'
	CHRISTOPHER RIDGWAY
	(Curator at Castle Howard)
12.00p.m.	LUNCH (Provided, North Campus Dining Hall)

SESSION III Chair: Dr. Desmond FitzGerald, Knight of Glin

- 1.30p.m. 'Glorious Goodwood: Art, Sport and Family at the Home of the Dukes of Richmond' ROSEMARY BAIRD (Curator at Goodwood)
- 2.15p.m. 'The Country House in England Today: an Overview'
 GILES WATERFIELD (Director, Attingham Trust; Associate Lecturer, Courtauld Institute of Art)
- 3.00p.m. 'Challenge and Change: the Big House in Northern Ireland, 1923 to the Present'
 OLWEN PURDUE (Institute of Irish Studies, Queen's University, Belfast)
- 3.45p.m. Tea/Coffee

SESSION IV Chair: Ms. Patricia Friel, Office of Public Works/CSHIHE

 4.15p.m. ""Reprieve the Tottering Mansion From its Fall": The Remarkable Rise of the Country House in the Irish Midlands' KEVIN MULLIGAN

(Architectural Historian)

 5.00p.m. 'Protecting Irish Country House Heritage: Bridging the Gap Between Private Owners' Finances and Sources for Grant Aid' GEORGE GOSSIP (Hidden Ireland)

- 5.45p.m. 'Can the Right Planning Permission Sustain Irish Historic Houses?' JEREMY WILLIAMS (Architect)
- 6.00p.m. **Discussion**
- 6.30p.m. Close of Conference
- 8.00p.m. BANQUET IN PUGIN DINING HALL

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