




# Conference Social Story:

<p><b>Arrival and Parking</b></p> <p>When you arrive at MU, the nearest car parks to the Iontas building (where the conference is taking place) are car parks 5, 5a and 8</p> <p>Our conference team will be wearing high-vis vests and can direct you to the Iontas building</p> <p>There is accessible parking in locations marked on the map attached</p> <p>Parking is free for the duration of the conference</p>	<p><a href="#">View Campus Maps</a></p> <p>Accessible parking</p> 
<p><b>Location</b></p> <p>The conference is being held in the Iontas building, It is building no. 48 on the <a href="#">map</a>.</p> <p>Our conference team will be wearing high-vis vests and x color t-shirts and can direct you to the Iontas building.</p> <p>Green signposts also direct you to the building</p> <p>The front of the building has wide automatic doors</p>	<p>Campus map</p>  <p>Front of Iontas</p> 
<p><b>Arrival at Iontas Building</b></p> <p>When you arrive in the Iontas building, you will be directed to register for the event at either of the 2 Welcome Desks. These desks will be situated on the right-hand side as you come into the building.</p> <p>Members of the MU EDI team will be at the desk to welcome you. You will receive a lanyard with your name on it.</p> <p>You will also receive a Welcome Pack</p> <p>Volunteers will be wearing Orange? T-shirts. They can help you with any queries you may have.</p> <p>Registration will take place between 10:30 and 11:00</p>	<p>Picture of Foyer and position of where welcome desk will be</p> <p>Pic of lanyard and welcome pack</p> <p>Pic of welcome bag</p>
<p><b>The program: Day 1</b></p>	<p>Main Theater:</p>

Link to the program is [here](#)

11:00 to 11:15 Will be the welcome and housekeeping (In Iontas Main Lecture Theater)

- Logging onto the Wifi
- Info on Parking
- Venue-specific information:
  - o Restrooms
  - o Quiet room/Prayer room
  - o Emergency Exits
  - o Fire Assembly Points
  - o Closest Defibrillators

11:15 to 11:45 Commencement Plenary (In Iontas Main Lecture Theater)

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11:45 to 12:45 The first session, keynote speech in the main hall on the ground floor. There is free seating in the lecture theatre.

12:45 to 13:45 Lunch will be served in the Foyer of the Iontas building directly after the Keynote session. This will take the form of a 'standing lunch' but attendees are welcome to take their lunch outside.

- A selection of sandwiches, tea/coffee and water
- There will be 3 separate lunch stations in the foyer. All food options will be clearly marked.

Following lunch, breakout sessions will take place in various locations between 13:45 and 14:45 which will be clearly marked in the Iontas building

- The workshop session in room 2 (1<sup>st</sup> floor 1.37) where you may be expected to speak and participate

A poster session will follow, in the foyer from 14:45 to 15:15.

More breakout sessions between 15:15 and 16:15.

- The workshop sessions in room 2 (1<sup>st</sup> floor 1.37) and 4 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor 2.31) may involve more speaking or participation

Between 16:15 and 17:00 we will have our final session of the day, in the main lecture theater in Iontas.

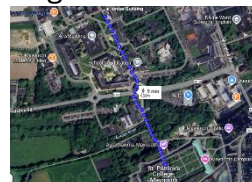
The conference will finish at 17:00.



Foyer:



Google maps directions to Pugin from Iontas




Pugin hall:



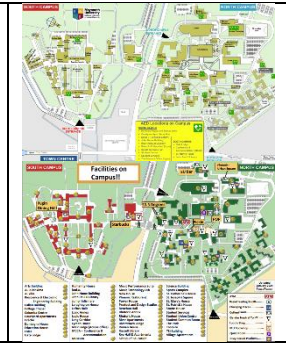
Iontas Map



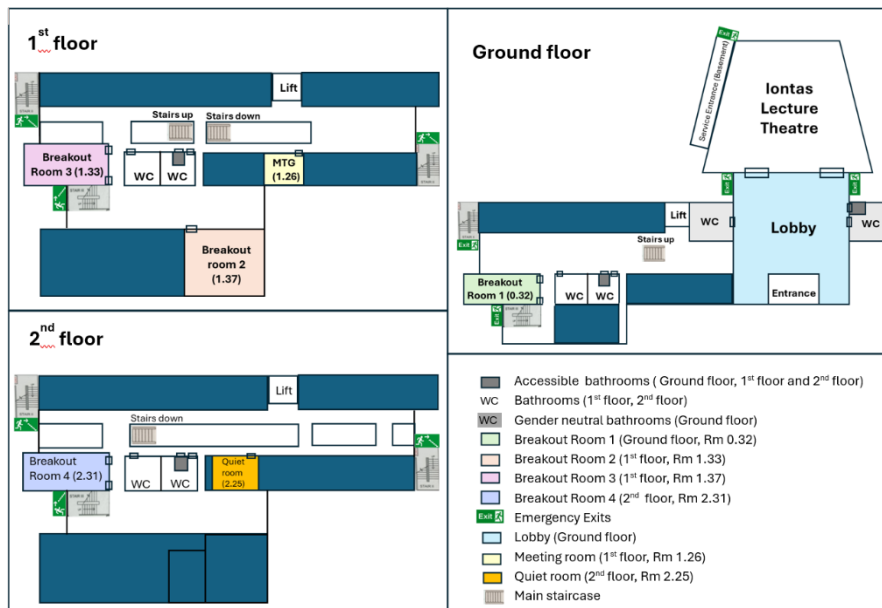
<p>Attendees are welcome to join a walking tour which will meet in front of Iontas at <u>17:15</u>.</p> <p>If you have signed up for dinner in Pugin Hall, this is located on the South Campus and is marked on the map and will take place at <u>18:00</u>. It is an older building that was once part of the seminary.</p> <p>Pugin Dinner Sit down meal with options</p> <p>The dinner will end at <u>20:00</u></p>	
<p><b>The program: Day 2</b></p> <p><u>9:00</u> to <u>9:30</u> Will be registration, welcome and refreshments</p> <p><u>9:30</u> to <u>10:15</u> the first session of the day will be in the main lecture theater in Iontas</p> <p><u>10:15</u> to <u>11:00</u> a plenary session will take place in Iontas</p> <p><u>11:00</u> to <u>11:30</u> there will be a break for refreshments and socializing</p> <p><u>11:30</u> to <u>12:30</u> We will break into parallel sessions and workshops in different rooms in Iontas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The workshops in room 2 (1<sup>st</sup> floor 1.37) and room 4 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor 2.31) may involve speaking or participation</li> </ul> <p><u>12:30</u> to <u>13:30</u> Lunch will be at the Phoenix Restaurant.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- This is a sit-down buffet-style meal.</li> </ul> <p><u>13:30</u> to <u>14:30</u> Parallel sessions will run in different rooms</p> <p><u>14:30</u> to <u>15:30</u> Closing Plenary in main lecture theater in Iontas</p> <p><u>15:30</u> to <u>16:30</u> Post Conference tea, coffee and networking in foyer</p> <p>Conference finishes at <u>16:30</u></p>	<p>Google maps directions to Phoenix from Iontas</p> 

## Other information

1. Defibs on campus
2. Facilities on Camps (Breastfeeding room, Gender neutral toilets, Quiet room, ATM etc.)



## Conference spaces and their schedules



## Foyer

- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June
  - o 10:30 to 11:00 Registration, Refreshments
  - o 12:45 to 13:45 Lunch
  - o 14:45 to 15:15 Poster Session
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June
  - o 9:00 to 9:30 Registration and Refreshments
  - o 11:00 to 11:30 Refreshments
  - o 15:30 to 16:30 post-conference tea/coffee and networking

## Iontas Main Lecture Theater

- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June
  - o 11:00 to 11:15 Welcome and Housekeeping
  - o 11:15 to 11:45 Commencement Plenary
  - o 11:45 to 12:45 Keynote Address: Sinéad Burke

## Main Lecture Theatre



## Breakout room 1 (0.32)



## Breakout room 2 (1.37)



## Breakout room 3 (1.33)



## Breakout room 4 (2.31)

- 16:15 to 17:00 Plenary: Ending Sexual Violence and Harassment
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June
  - 9:30 to 10:15 The Gender Pay Gap in Higher Education
  - 10:15 to 11:00 Plenary Session
  - 14:30 to 15:30 Closing Plenary



#### Breakout room 1 – Ground Floor Room 0.32

- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June
  - 13:45 to 14:45 Parallel Session: Disability and Accessibility
  - 15:15 to 16:15 Parallel Session: Policy development
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June
  - 11:30 to 12:30 Parallel Session: Race Equality
  - 13:30 to 14:30 Parallel Session: Intersectionality

#### Breakout Room 2 – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor 1.37

- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June
  - 13:45 to 14:45 Practical Workshop: Inclusive Recruitment Workshop
  - 15:15 to 16:15 Practical Workshop: Improving Facilitation Skills to Support EDI Interventions
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June
  - 11:30 to 12:30 Workshop: *‘There’s nothing we can do it’s the policy’*

#### Breakout Room 3 – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor 1.33

- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June
  - 13:45 to 14:15 Parallel Session: Excellence in Exile
  - 15:15 to 16:15 Parallel Session: Teaching and Learning
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June
  - 11:30 to 12:30 Parallel Session: Ending Sexual Violence and Harassment and Religion
  - 13:30 to 14:30 Parallel session: Gender and Care

#### Breakout Room 4 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor 2.31

- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June
  - 13:45 to 14:45 Parallel Session: Gender Equality, Intersectionality and Leadership
  - 15:15 to 16:15 Practical Workshop: Bystander Intervention and Allyship in RCSI
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <u>11:30 to 12:30</u> Pilot Workshop: Engaging Men in Gender Equality in Irish Higher Education Institutions</li><li>○ <u>13:30 to 14:30</u> Parallel Session: Teaching and Learning</li></ul>	
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