

Kenmare **— 2009**

Dublin Economic Workshop

32nd Annual Economic Policy Conference

16 - 18 October 2009

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Friday 16 October

5.00pm Registration at Park Hotel, Kenmare

6.00pm **Session I**
The Macroeconomic Way Forward

Lessons for Ireland from the Finnish Crisis
Reeta Suonpera - IBEC

The Path to Recovery for the Irish Economy
John Fitzgerald - ESRI

The Bubble Economy and How to Recover from it
Joe Durkan - UCD

8.00pm Dinner at Park Hotel

Saturday 17 October

10.00am **Session II**
Banking Matters

Banking Regulation: A view from the Industry
Pat Farrell - IBF

Towards a Banking System fit for Ireland's Purpose
Pat Ryan

The Economics of Bankrupt Banks
Morgan Kelly - UCD

11.15am Coffee

11.30am **Session III**
Is the 'Smart Economy' Smart Enough?

Routes to Economic Recovery
Batt O'Keeffe - Minister for Education and Science

Preceded by presentation to the Minister and launch of Irish Education Policy and Economic Growth - Perspectives for Development and Reform, by Charles Larking and Jacco Thijssen - (UCD), sponsored by FBD Trust

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Has the 'Smart Economy' any Economic Content

Eoin O'Leary and Declan Jordan - UCC

The Unsmart Economy - Can we Avoid Property Bubbles?

Derek Brawn - Author

1.00pm Session Ends - Lunch

Afternoon Free

6.00pm ***The Paul Tansey Symposium
Chair; Olivia O'Leary***

**Session IV
Fiscal Policy Revisited**

Audit of Policy Advice

Jim O'Leary - NUIM

Managing Public Expenditure

Jane Suiter - TCD

Public Expenditure Issues & An Bord Snip Nua

Colm McCarthy - UCD

8.00pm Dinner at the Park Hotel

Sunday 18 October

10.30am **Session V
Regulation and Competition Policy**

The Role of Competition in the Irish Economy
Malachy Fox - The Competition Authority

The Future of Regulation and Competition Policy
Pat McCloughan - The Competition Authority

The Gains from Successful Deregulation - The Taxi Case Study
Bernard Feeney - Goodbody Stockbrokers

CAR Regulation and Risk
Cathal Guiomard - CAR

1.00pm **Conference Ends**

Accommodation and Fee Details

The Kenmare Conference sessions will be held in the Andrew Carneige Hall (Next door to Park Hotel).

Both Conference dinners will be held in the Park Hotel.

Accommodation is available in the Park Hotel and a number of guest houses within 0.5km of the Park Hotel.

Room availability, as ever, is exceptionally tight and priority is given to applicants who are willing to share a room. Where a single room is allocated, a supplement of €120 is payable in respect of the Park Hotel & Sheen Falls, €70 elsewhere.

Those travelling by train may avail of the return bus from Killarney to Kenmare provided by the Workshop. There will be a charge of €20 payable at the time of application for the return bus journey.

The Conference Fee is €80.

Accommodation (including dinner on both Friday and Saturday night) is available at the following rates per person sharing:

Park Hotel	€380
Sheen Falls	€380
Guest Houses	€290

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