



Waterford Institute of Technology and Queens University Belfast as part of an initiative funded by AISHE (All-Ireland Society for Higher Education) are hosting an interactive workshop.

MAPPING CREATIVITY IN HIGHER EDUCATION IN IRELAND

Friday 5th March 2010 10am – 4pm

Skylon Hotel, Drumcondra, Dublin 9.

The workshop is aimed at professionals from all disciplines in higher education who are interested in creativity in teaching and learning.

PROGRAMME

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| 10:00 – 10:30 | Registration |
| 10:30 – 11:00 | Introduction Ned Costello, CEO Irish Universities Association |
| 11:00 – 11:15 | Coffee |
| 11:15 – 12:00 | Keynote Address: Recognising Students' Creativity through a Life-wide Curriculum Professor Norman Jackson, University of Surrey |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | Creativity in Action in Irish Higher Education Presentations by Workshop participants |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00 – 15:00 | Workshops: Mapping Creativity |
| 15:00 – 16:00 | Plenary Session: Feedback from workshops, comments, recommendations for the future. |

Ned Costello: is Chief Executive Officer of the Irish University Association (IUA), with particular responsibility for issues impacting on third and fourth level research and innovation in Ireland. He is a representative on the Irish Expert Group on Future Skills Needs which recently published the report entitled 'Creativity, Design and Innovation' (2009).

Norman Jackson is Professor of Higher Education and Director of the University of Surrey Centre for Excellence in Professional Training and Education (SCEPTrE). In 1996, he was joint editor of a book entitled *Developing Creativity in Higher Education: An Imaginative Curriculum* Routledge-Falmer. He is currently developing the idea of a life-wide curriculum as a means of encouraging and facilitating students' creative development and a Creative Academy to encourage creative teachers to invent new designs and to foster learners' creativity.

Workshop places limited. Apply by email pgace@wit.ie on or before Friday 26 February 2010.