



ASEM Lifelong Learning
IRELAND 2020-2025

*Future Directions in Lifelong Learning:
Creating a vision for Lifelong Learning Research, Policy & Practice in Asia & Europe*

ASEM Lifelong Learning Hub Forum 2020

Hosted Online by University College Cork, Ireland

October 13th – 15th 2020 (Each day 8am GMT – 12pm GMT)

Additional details: <https://asemlllhub.org/>

Day One October 13th (8.00 am GMT) : Lifelong Learning Research & Policy Review

8:00 am Official Opening of the Forum

Introduction: Chair ASEM LLL Hub

Welcome Address

Senior Irish Politician (TBC)

Prof. John O'Halloran, President, University College Cork

9:00 am Research Network Retrospective & Prospective

Session Chair: Nadia Reynders, ASEM Education Secretariat

Presentations on Current & Future Research/Policy Agendas in ASEM Lifelong Learning

- RN1: Development of ICT skills, e-learning and the culture of e-learning in Lifelong Learning
- RN2: Workplace Learning
- RN3: Professionalisation of Adult Teachers and Educators in ASEM countries
- RN4: National strategies for Lifelong Learning
- RN5: Lifelong Learning Transitions (New)
- RN6: Learning Cities and Learning Regions (New)

10: 30 am Off-line break for Delegates

11: 00 am Keynote

Lifelong Learning Challenges 2020 and Beyond

Speaker: Professor Maria Slowey, Dublin City University

Session Chair: Lyndsey El Amoud, University College Cork

International Panel of Respondents: Dr Melinda dela Peña Bandalaria, Prof. Josef Schrader,
Prof. Karen Evans, Dr Suwithida Charungkaittiku

12: 00 pm Close of Day One

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Day Two October 14th (8.00 am GMT): The Future of ASEM Lifelong Learning	
8:00 am <u>The Irish Higher Education Sector</u>	
<p>Session Chair: Leonie Nagarajan, ASEF Keynote: Senior Irish Politician (TBC) Respondent: Senior Irish Official (TBC)</p>	
8:30 am <u>Showcase on Irish Higher Education</u>	
<p>Session Chair: Dr. Alexandra Ioannidou, Secretary ESREA <i>Showcase on Irish Higher Education</i> Introduction: Mr Giles O’Neill, Enterprise Ireland</p> <p><i>Showcase on Higher Education Lifelong Learning in Ireland</i> Introduction: Dr Gavin Clinch, President, HELLIN</p>	
10: 00 am <u>Off-line break for Delegates</u>	
10: 30 am <u>Drafting the Five Year ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan</u>	
<p>Session Chair: Chair ASEM LLL HUB Secretary: Nadia Reynders, ASEM Education Secretariat Support: ASEM LLL Hub Irish Team; ASEF Secretariat; ASEM Education Secretariat Drafting Committee Members Chair ASEM LLL Hub Coordinator of each ASEM LLL Hub Research Network Representatives of: Civil Society: Brikena Xhomagi University Leadership: TBC Government of Ireland (x2): TBC Intergovernmental Organisations: TBC</p>	
12: 00 pm <u>Close of Day Two</u>	
Day Three October 15th (8.30 am GMT): Adoption of ASEM LLL HUB Plan	
8:00 am Joint-Plenary: Presenting ASEM LLL Hub Draft Five Year Plan	
<p>Keynote Address: Senior Irish Politician (TBC) Session Chair: Mr Cesare Onestini, European Commission Presentation: Drafting Committee presents Draft Five Year Plan</p>	
9:00 am <u>Implementation Strategies for Draft ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan</u>	
Parallel Sessions	
<u>Roundtable University Leaders</u>	<u>ASEM LLL Hub Research Networks</u>
<u>Roundtable Ministers/Senior Officials</u>	RN1: Development of ICT skills, e-learning and the culture of e-learning in Lifelong Learning
<u>Roundtable Civil Society LLL</u>	RN2: Workplace Learning
	RN3: Professionalisation of Adult Teachers and Educators in ASEM countries
	RN4: National strategies for Lifelong Learning
	RN5: Lifelong Learning Transitions (New)
	RN6: Learning Cities and Learning Regions (New)
10: 00 am <u>Off-line break for Delegates</u>	

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10: 30 am Plenary to Adopt ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan

Session Chair: Chair ASEM LLL Hub

Presentation: Roundtables and Research Networks

11: 30 am Closing Remarks

Secretary General, Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade, Ireland (TBC)

Secretary General, Department of Further & Higher Education, Research, Innovation & Science, Ireland (TBC)

12: 00 pm Close of ASEM LLL Hub Forum 2020

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