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**TII National Roads Conference 2019** 

**Tower Hotel, Waterford** 26<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> September 2019



## Conference Programme

## Day 1: Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019

**Registration and Coffee** 

Sessio	n 1: Welcome and official opening Cha	ir: Glen Jones, Tramore House RDO
10:00	Welcome to Waterford: Official Opening of Conference	Michael Walsh, Chief Executive, Waterford County Council
10:10	Address from TII Chief Executive	Michael Nolan, Chief Executive, TII
10:20	Intro to TII Poster Competition and Web based Participation Tool	Richella Mulvihill, TII
10:30	Sustainability in a transport environment	Jo Da Silva, Arup
11:00	Discussion	
11:10	Coffee & Networking	

Sessio	Session 2: Chair: Dr. Kieran Feighan, PM	
11:30	DTTaS Planning Land Use and Transport Outlook 2040	Dr. Claire Finn, DTTaS
		Tomás Campbell, DTTaS
11:50	Planning and Transport: National, Regional, City and Local	Eoin Farrell, NTA
12:10	Discussion	
12:15	Responding to Severe Weather Events as a road operator	Stephen Smyth, TII
12:35	An Innovative approach to assessment of aggregates	Dr. Richard Unitt, UCC
12:50	Discussion	
13:00	Lunch	

Sessio	Session 3: Safety and Standards Chair: Dr. Suzanne Meade, TII		
14:10	Safety and Urban Design – Managing transition zones on National Roads	Bryan Kennedy, TII Eimear Fox, TII	
14:30	Road Safety Inspections – Lessons Learnt	John Carton, Kildare RDO Farhan Nasiem, Laois Co Co	
14:50	Discussion		
14:55	TII Innovation Strategy and Implementation Guidelines	Tom Casey, TII	
15:15	2+2 Dual Carriageways – Experience to Date	Eoin Doyle, Arup	
15:35	Discussion		
15:40	Coffee & Networking		

Sessio	Session 4: Keynote Chair: Susan Gallagher,	
16:00	Engineers Ireland STEPS	Michelle Hoctor,
		Engineers Ireland
16:10	TII Training Brochure	Albert Daly, TII
16:20	Cultural Well Being – A Sporting Engineers Perspective	Tom Parsons, Jacobs
17:00	Discussion	
17:10	TII Poster Competition Voting using Web based Participation Tool	

17:15 Close of Day 1

19:30

Conference Dinner (dinner served 20:00)





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Session 6: Sustainability		Chair: Vincent O'Malley, TII
10:45	Landscape Maintenance from a Biodiversity Perspective	Dr. Úna Fitzpatrick, NBDR
11:05	[Decarbonisation of Transport]	Dr. Brian Caulfield Trinity College Dublin
11:25	Discussion	
11:30	The Circular Economy – Application to Roads Projects	David Smith, AECOM
11:50	Innovative approaches to the reuse of asphalt	Ole Grann Andersson
	pavements	Danish Technological Institute
12:10	Discussion	
12:15	TII Poster Competition Results	
12:30	Wrap-up session	

## 12:45

Lunch

14:00

**Conference End**