

	<p>‘Diversities: Interpretations in the context of SPHE’</p> <p><i>A conference organised by the SPHE Network 10th November 2018 Mary Immaculate College, Limerick.</i></p>	
Time	Activity	Room No.
8.30 – 09.15	Registration & Tea/Coffee Posters & Resource Fair	Tara Forum
09.15 – 9.30	Welcome and Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Margaret Nohilly, Chairperson, SPHE Network Prof. Eugene Wall, President, Mary Immaculate College 	T 1.16
9.30 – 10.30	Keynote Dialogue: <i>‘Education and Resistance to Injustices: Matters for SPHE’:</i> Kathleen Lynch, Full Professor of Equalities, UCD	T1.16
10.30-11.00	Break	Tara Forum
11.00 – 12.30	Parallel Paper Sessions	
Multiculturalism	<p><i>‘Supporting the needs of the multicultural and multilingual school: The role of SPHE’:</i> Dr. Carol O’ Sullivan, Mary Immaculate College.</p> <p><i>‘SPHE: An effective curricular space for promoting respect for diversities and challenging racism (s)?’:</i> Dr. Anne-Marie Kavanagh DCU, Institute of Education.</p> <p><i>‘Catering for diversity in the Irish primary classroom: A sequential mixed-methods approach’:</i> Ciara Connolly and Brigid Golden, Mary Immaculate College.</p>	T2.11
Wellbeing	<i>‘The central role of SPHE in promoting pupils’ wellbeing: Pupils’ perspectives’:</i> Dr. Fionnuala Tynan and Dr. Margaret Nohilly, Mary Immaculate College.	T2.12

	<p><i>'The challenges that face the primary school teacher in coping with grief and loss in the culturally diverse classroom: A mixed-methods study': Carmelita McGloughlin, Mary Immaculate College.</i></p> <p><i>'The diverse nature of mental health and wellbeing in Irish primary and post-primary schools': Eric O' Connor, Presentation Monastery NS, Killarney.</i></p>	
Gender	<p><i>'Celebrating Diversities: A European project to tackle gender-based violence in the context of SPHE': Dr. Bernie Collins and Dr. Seline Keating DCU, Institute of Education.</i></p> <p><i>'Exploring Gender Identity and Gender Norms in primary school: The perspective of educators and parents of transgender and gender variant children': Dr. Aoife Neary, University of Limerick and Catherine Cross, Transgender Equality Network of Ireland.</i></p> <p><i>'Rebel Becomings: Queering school spaces with young people': Dr. Leanne Coll, Deakin University.</i></p>	T2.13
Diversity Challenges	<p><i>'How can SPHE engage with primary school children's peer-citizenship interactions at school?': Caitriona Fitzgerald, Maynooth University.</i></p> <p><i>'A snapshot of teaching: Capturing the narratives of minoritized ethnic young people interested in becoming a primary teacher': Aoife Titley, Maynooth University.</i></p> <p><i>'The dilemma of diagnosis: Acknowledging and celebrating diversity': Dr. Fionnuala Tynan, Mary Immaculate College.</i></p>	T2.14
12.30-2.00	<p>Lunch</p> <p>Poster Session and Resource Fair</p>	<p>MIC Restaurant</p> <p>Tara Forum</p>

14.00-15.30	Workshop Sessions	
Workshop 1	<i>'Taking Care of Whose Body? - SPHE for the child with physical disabilities in a mainstream context'</i> : Barry Morrissey, Scoil na Naomh Uilig, Newbridge.	T2.11
Workshop 2	<i>'Supporting increasing cultural diversity in Irish classrooms through SPHE'</i> : Brigid Golden, Mary Immaculate College.	T 2.12
Workshop 3	<i>'Myself and Others: Diversity in the Staffroom'</i> : Marion Flanagan, Professional Development Service for Teachers.	T2.13
Workshop 4	<i>'Seeing myself in picture books, seeing myself in school: The importance of representation in picture books'</i> : Paul Knox, Castaheany Educate Together NS. <i>'Exploring Diversity through picture books: learning from the stories of refugees and asylum seekers'</i> : Dr. Anne Dolan, Mary Immaculate College.	T2. 14
15.30 – 16.30	Keynote Dialogue and Conference Close	
	Keynote Dialogue: Ms. Sinéad Burke, Academic, Writer, Activist Closing Remarks: Dr. Margaret Nohilly, Chairperson, SPHE Network	T.1.16