

Irish and Scottish Migration and Settlement: Political Frontiers Conference Programme



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9:30 – 9:45: Registration (Humanity Manse)

9:45 – 10:00: Opening

10:00 – 11:00: Session 1

Kathleen Middleton (Trinity College Dublin)

Exploiting Jurisdictions: The Practical Uses of Multiple Identities in Scotland and Ulster, 1689-1715

John Sherry (University of Ulster)

The Scottish Diaspora in Ulster and the Consolidation of the Anglo-Irish Ascendancy, 1692-1714

11:00 – 11:30: Tea & Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:30: Session 2

John Gibney (NUI Galway)

The 1641 rebellion and the making of a confessional state in Ireland, c.1641-c.1731

Olive Barnes (Oxford Brookes University)

Crossing a Frontier – The Irish Contribution to Catholicism in England, 1800-1914

12:30 – 13:30: Buffet Lunch

13:30 – 14:30: Session 3

Patrick Walsh (NUI Maynooth)

Free Movement of People? Government Responses to Emigration from Ireland and Scotland, 1690-1730

Stephen Dornan (University of Aberdeen)

Independence, Insurrection and Indians: Irish and American Frontiers in the Novels of James McHenry (1785-1845)

14:30 – 14:45: Break

14:45 – 15:45: Session 4

Melodee Beals (University of Glasgow)

The Sojourning Settler: The Creation and Destruction of the Scots-Virginian Transatlantic Identity

Peter Ludlow (Queen's University Belfast)

"A few stubborn Scotsmen": Ethnic Tension Between the Newfoundland Irish and the Scottish Catholics of Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, 1890-1919

15:45 – 16:00: Break

16:00 – 17:00: Keynote Address

Patrick Griffin (University of Virginia)

**Searching for Turner:
The Irish and Scots on the Eighteenth-century American Frontier**

17:00: Drinks

19:00: Conference Dinner