

Transforming Higher Education Conference – Thursday, 3rd November 2022

Time	Agenda	Speakers
08:30 -09:00	Networking and Registration Analog Devices Building Atrium	-
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome Address by the University of Limerick Provost and Deputy President	Professor Shane Kilcommins
09:00 – 13:00	Disruption in Higher Education - Where now for workplace focused education?	
09:15 – 10:15	Disruption in Higher Education Growing the next generation of problem solvers - Innovation in curriculum design. More diversity, better integration – Diversity actions at the University of Oulu	<i>Chair: Professor Ian Solomonides</i> Professor Jeff Dusek, Baldwin Wallace University, USA Professor Minna Isomursu, University of Oulu, Finland
10:15 – 10:35	Tea & Coffee Break	-
10:35 – 11:35	Industry Co-Design and Co-Delivery 5 steps to success when designing programmes for workplace-based learners'	<i>Chair: To be announced</i> Professor Gilly Salmon, Education Alchemists Professor Ale Armellini, University of Portsmouth.
11:35 – 11:55	Student Voice	

	<p>UL@Work Professional Diploma:</p> <p>Data Analytics</p> <p>Strategic Leadership</p> <p>Generation Apprenticeship:</p> <p>Principal Engineer Apprenticeship, (Level 10, Doctorate Award)</p>	<p>Orla Treacy</p> <p>David Lamont</p> <p>Andrew Nolan</p> <p><i>More to be announced</i></p>
11:55 – 13:00	<p>Fireside chat: Reflections on UL innovation in transforming education.</p>	<p><i>Dr Sarah Kieran,</i> <i>Kemmy Business School</i></p> <p><i>Dr Michael Hennessy,</i> <i>Flexible Learning Unit</i></p> <p><i>More to be announced</i></p>
13:00 – 14:00	<p>Lunch</p>	-
14:00 – 15:30	<p>Establishing the value proposition for micro-credentials.</p> <p>Micro-credentials, meeting the challenge of assessment & integration.</p> <p>Professional Development at scale and the role of the modern University</p>	<p><i>Chair – Fiona Keogh,</i> <i>Analog Devices</i></p> <p>Professor Megan Benke, SUNY Empire State College</p> <p>Professor Josephine Lang, University of Melbourne</p> <p>Professor Martin Margala, University of Louisiana at Lafayette</p>

15:30 – 16:15	Closing debate: This house believes that the Traditional University Degree is a relic of a bygone age	<p>Professor Stephen Kinsella, University of Limerick</p> <p>Dr Carolina Alves, Girton College, Cambridge</p> <p>William Beausang, Department of Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science</p>
16:15 – 16:30	Closing Remarks	Professor Ann Ledwith