

30th Irish Conference of Historians, NUI Maynooth, 2011 Call For Papers

THIRTIETH IRISH CONFERENCE OF HISTORIANS

**organised by The Royal Irish Academy Committee for Historical Sciences, NUI
Maynooth and
St Patrick's College, Drumcondra
on the theme of**

DEATH & DYING

**Friday 17 – Sunday 19 JUNE 2011
Venue: Iontas Building, North Campus, NUI Maynooth**



The thirtieth Irish Conference of Historians will explore aspects of the theme 'Death & Dying'. Topics addressed will include the living and the dead in Irish pre-history; burial in early medieval Ireland; death in revolutionary France; the dead of 1798 in Ulster; martyrdom in Britain and Ireland; suicide; Famine deaths; death in early modern London; death in Irish folklore; obituaries; hunger strike; death during the Irish revolution; the Niamba massacre; death in eighteenth-century Dublin; communal death; Jewish death rituals.

Speakers include Guy Beiner, Ciara Breathnach, Edel Bhreathnach, Joseph Clarke, Gabriel Cooney, Vanessa Harding, James Kelly, David Lederer, William Murphy, Elizabeth O'Brien, Cormac Ó Gráda, Eunan O'Halpin, Clodagh Tait and John Wolffe.

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