



Making our own Decisions: Sharing Stories & Creating Change

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Date: 22 November 2017

Venue: Institute for Lifecourse and Society, NUI Galway.

08.30 – 09.00 **Registration**

Chair: Áine Flynn

09.00 – 09.10 **Welcome/Opening Address**
Dr. Charles O'Mahony

09.10 – 09.20 **An Overview of the VOICES Project**
Dr. Eilionóir Flynn

09.20 – 10.00 **Personal Narrative**
Olga Runciman

10.00 – 10.10 **Q&A**

10.10 – 10.50 **Keynote Address**
Dr. Michael Bach

10.50 – 11.00 **Q&A**

11.00 – 11.15 **TEA & COFFEE**

11.15 – 11.45 **Illustrating our Journey**
Hatiye Garip

Parallel sessions with discussion with the storyteller and respondent pairs and previews of their chapters based on their thematic areas. Please choose one session. Each pair will only present once.

11.45 – 12.45 **Parallel Session 1**
Contract 1
Moderator: Dr. Michael Bach
Pairs: Helen & Moira, Joy & Emer, Sheila

or

Consent to Treatment 1

Moderator: Professor Gabor Gombos

Pairs: Reshma & Roxanne, Fiona & Bo, Sitawa & Andrea

12.45 –14.00

LUNCH

14.00 – 15.00

Parallel Session 2

Criminal Responsibility

Moderator: Professor Amita Dhanda (TBC)

Pairs: Nick & Chloe

or

Consent to Sex

Moderator: Dr. Maria Laura Serra

Pairs: Ronnie & Jana, Sarah & Maria

15.00 – 16.00

Parallel Session 3

Contract 2

Moderator: Alex Ruck Keene

Pairs: Paul & Michelle, Dermot & Jan, Claire & Donna

or

Consent to Treatment 2

Moderator: Dr. Eilionóir Flynn

Pairs: Cath & Piers, Lavanya & Maths

16.00 – 16.30

Concluding Remarks

Professor Theresia Degener