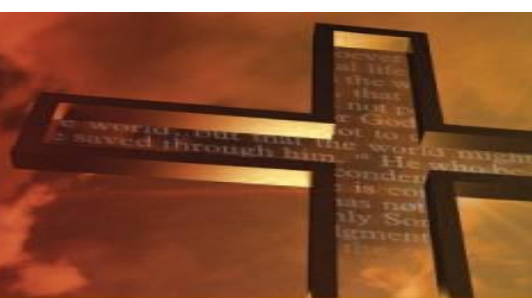


# EDUCATION IN CRISIS

May 21st & 22nd 2015



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## CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

### Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2015

14.00 - 17.00	Emerging Scholars' Symposium Chair: Prof Michael Howlett, WIT  Opening Remarks of Emerging Scholars' Symposium: Prof Eamonn Conway  Emerging Scholars' Presentations
17.00 - 18.30	<i>Registration</i>
18.45	Opening of the Conference Welcome by Dr Rik Van Nieuwenhove
19.15	Keynote Address: <b>Prof Frank Furedi</b> (University of Kent, UK) 'Why Child Centred Education is A Contradiction In Terms'  Chair: Dr Patrick Connolly Respondent: Dr Angela Canny
20.45	<i>Reception</i>

### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2015

09.00	Moment of Prayer
09.30 – 11.00	<b>Session: 1 Irish Education in Crisis?</b> Chair: Dr Fintan Lyons OSB and Dr Loic Guyon  Speakers: <b>Prof Conleth Hussey</b> (UL) 'Find Omega! Can Paul teach us how to teach?' <b>Prof Mary Gallagher</b> (UCD) 'Academic Armageddon Three Years on: Who Cares?'
11.00 – 11.30	<i>Break</i>
11.30 – 13.00	<b>Session 2: Catholic Education in Crisis?</b> Chair: Dr Eugene Duffy and Dr Amalee Meehan  Speakers: <b>Prof William Desmond</b> (KU Leuven) 'The <i>Paideia</i> of the Intimate Universal: On Catholic Education' <b>Dr Ron Nuzzi</b> (University of Notre Dame) 'The Transformative Dynamics of Catholic Education'
13.00 – 14.30	<i>Lunch</i>
14.30 – 16.30	<b>Session 3: Catholic Ethos in Crisis?</b> Chair: TBA  Speakers: <b>Prof Lieven Boeve</b> (KU Leuven) 'Catholic Education in a pluralistic and managerialistic culture' <b>Sr Mary Jo Martin</b> RSHM 'Mind the gap...between vision and reality' How one diocese has attempted to scrutinize and inspect the vision and provision of its Catholic education in the context of the present day culture.
16.30	Closing remarks by Prof Eamonn Conway