



HTAI National Conference 2019

Date: 11th - 12th October

Location: Mullingar Park Hotel

Theme: *History & Commemoration: Teaching Controversial Issues*

Friday 11th October 2019

6.30 - 7.30 - Registration and Refreshments

7.30 - Official Opening of 2019 Conference: Déirdre Mac Mathúna, *President HTAI*

Workshop - *Demonstration of teaching strategies for new Junior Cycle* - Marie-Claire Tuite

Wine reception

Saturday 12th October 2019

8.30 - 9.00 - Registration

9.00 - 10.00

<i>Review of the Leaving Certificate History exam, Granú Dwyer, Advising Examiner, St. Mary's, Nenagh</i>	or	<i>Review of the Junior Certificate History exam, Jacqueline Kiernan, Chief Advising Examiner, Mercy College, Sligo</i>
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10.00 - 11.00 - Keynote speaker: Eamonn McCann, '**Neither Green, nor Orange, but up for the fight**'.
Journalist, Politician, Political Activist and Councillor

11.00 - 11.30 **Break** Tea and Coffee & visit to stands, book companies, tours groups etc.

11.30 - 12.30 - Resource Showcase 1

'Registers, scrolls, rolls and pictures'- new documents pack for teachers on The Famine; GAA and The Treaty.....and lots more!

Presentations from the National Archives, National Library and the Royal Irish Academy.

12.30 - 1.00 **AGM**

1.00 - 1.45 **Lunch**

1.45 - 2.45

<i>Practical approaches to Teaching the Case Studies in Topic 6: The United States & the World 1945-1989 - Leaving Cert Case Study</i> - Gregg O Neill, Author, CBC Monkstown	or	<i>Review of the Junior Certificate History exam</i> Jacqueline Kiernan, Chief Advising Examiner, Mercy College, Sligo
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2.45-3.15 Resource Showcase 2

'Exploring People, Culture and Ideas-The Public and State response to WW2.'

New on-line documents on The Emergency for teachers of Junior Cycle, Transition Year and Leaving Certificate History.

Presentation from John Gibney, RIA, Documents on Irish Foreign Policy.

3.15 - 4.15 Looking at preparing for CBAs in the new Junior Cycle - Aindriú Mac an Rí, Coláiste Iosagáin

8pm **Conference Dinner** - Hotel Restaurant

Booking details to follow

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