

***Economic and Social History Society of Ireland Annual Conference 2005
History Department, St. Patrick's College***

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“Economy, Settlement and Society”
Department of History
St Patrick's College, Drumcondra
Friday 11- Saturday 12 November 2005

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Programme

Friday 11 November 2005

2:00 – Registration, room D115 (and committee meeting, the boardroom E233)

Session 1 - room D115

3:30 Finbar McCormick (Department of Archaeology, Queen's University
Belfast)

Title: Economic and agricultural change in Early Medieval Ireland

4:30 Kevin Whelan (Keough Notre Dame Centre)

Title: Regional cultures in eighteenth and nineteenth-century Ireland

5:30 – Evening meal, Skylon Hotel (not included in conference fee)

Connell Lecture - room D115

7:00 Gabriel Cooney (Director, Graduate School, UCD College of Arts and Celtic
Studies)

Title: The relationship between archaeology and history: Things are seldom what
they seem

8:15 Wine reception, staffroom D106

Saturday 12 November 2005

Session 2 - room D115

9:30 Matthew Stout (Department of History, St Patrick's College, Drumcondra)

Title: Cattle economies after the Great Famines c. 540, 1845

10:15 David Dickson Garret (Department of Modern History, Trinity College Dublin)

Title: Garrett FitzGerald: A gentleman farmer in seventeenth-century Cork

11:00 – Tea/Coffee, staffroom D106

Session 3 - room D115

11:30 Colin Breen (School of Environmental Sciences, University of Ulster, Coleraine)

Title: Economic landscape change in the territory of the O'Sullivan Beare

12:15 W.J. Smyth (Department of Geography, University College Cork)

Title: William Petty and the construction of Cromwellian Ireland

1:00 – Lunch, dining room, St Patrick's College (included in conference fee)

2:00 – AGM, room D115

Session 4 - room D115

2:15 Jane Gray (Department of Sociology, NUI Maynooth)

Title: Gender and de-industrialization before the Famine: The puzzle of Fermanagh

3:00 Cormac Ó Gráda (Department of Economics, University College Dublin)

Title: Irish Jewry a century ago: Economic-demographic perspectives

3:45 – Tea/Coffee, staffroom D106

Session 5 - room D115

4:00 Post-graduate research papers

Anette Overland (Palaeoenvironmental Research Unit, Botany Department, NUI Galway)

Title: An upland on the Beara Peninsula: charting land-use and landscape change over the last two millennia.

Brian Gurrin (Department of History, NUI Maynooth)

Title: Challenging times: The impact of subsistence crises on County Wicklow, 1720-1740

Jennifer Kelly (Department of History, NUI Maynooth)

Title: Secret societies

5:30 Conference Close