

**'Knowledge Democracy: the potential of participatory and deliberative democratic research in applied academy, community and policy contexts'.**

NUI offices, Merrion Square, Dublin  
10am-1pm, Monday April 7, 2014.

*9.30am Registration*

10.00am **Introductory Remarks**, Dr. Gemma Carney, School of Sociology, Social Policy and Social Work, Queen's University Belfast.

10.05 am Lorraine McIraith, PI of *Campus Engage* '**Civic Engagement within Higher Education in Ireland - from periphery to core**'

10.15-11.00am KEYNOTE: Professor Gerry Stoker (University of Southampton) '**Using Research to See Like a Citizen**'

11.15am – 11.40am Dr. Clodagh Harris, UCC, '**Making Political Science relevant: the role for participatory and deliberative democracy research**'

12.00-12.20pm Dr. Deiric Ó Broin, DCU, Politics, Participation and Power at Local Level in Ireland: towards a public sphere of empowerment and participation?.

12.20-12.45pm Discussion and Questions.

1.00pm Close.

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