

Migrant Domestic Workers, Gender Equality, and Human Rights

Aula Maxima, the Quad, University College Cork

Friday, 19 October, 2012

Conference hosted by the Irish Human Rights Commission and the Centre for Criminal Justice and Human Rights, Faculty of Law, University College Cork

This event is supported by the Irish Research Council and by the Faculty of Law, Gender Law and Sexuality research initiative

Programme

14.20 Registration opens (Tea / Coffee available)

14.40 Welcome

Professor Siobhan Mullally, Centre for Criminal Justice & Human Rights, Faculty of Law, University College Cork

Irish Human Rights Commission (tbc)

14.45 Opening Address

Kathleen Lynch TD, Minister of State for Disability, Equality, Mental Health and Older People

15.05 Protecting the Rights of Migrant Workers in International Law

- o Maria Grazia Giammarinaro, Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings, Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe

15.25 Panel 1: Protecting the Rights of Migrant Domestic Workers: International and Comparative Perspectives

- o Dr Jean D'Cunha, UN Women, Gender and Migration Adviser
- o Professor Janie Chuang, American University, Washington DC & Open Society Justice Fellow
- o Dr Bridget Anderson, COMPASS, Oxford University
- o Prof Siobhán Mullally (UCC) and Dr Clíodhna Murphy (UCC)

16.45 Questions & Answers

17.00 Break (Tea / Coffee)

17.10 Panel 2: Protecting the Rights of Migrant Domestic Workers: Legal and Policy Responses

- o Ludovica Banfi, Social Research Programme Manager, Freedoms and Justice Department, EU Fundamental Rights Agency
- o Siobhan O'Donoghue, Director, Migrant Rights Centre Ireland and Marriam Bhatti, Domestic Workers Action Group, Ireland

18.00 Open Forum Discussion

18.30 Close

This event is supported by an Irish Research Council Senior Fellowship Award. For further information on Migrant Domestic Workers and Migration Law in the EU, follow us on Facebook [here](#)

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