

8th Children's Rights Research Symposium.

5-6th December 2022, University College Cork, Cork City, Ireland

[University College Cork](#) is pleased to host the 8th Children's Rights Research Symposium in association with [CREAN](#). The Children's Rights Research Symposium is an annual event inviting doctoral candidates and supervisors from different universities and disciplines (law, sociology, education, anthropology, psychology, history, etc.) to come together to discuss, explore and develop research related to children's rights. Due to the Covid-19, there has been no such event since 2019. In keeping with the seven prior symposia (Liverpool 2013, Cork 2014, Antwerp 2015, Leiden 2016, Geneva 2017, Belfast 2018, Liverpool 2019). This year's event will be the opportunity for doctoral students to present their research to their colleagues and academic supervisors working on children's rights, and to exchange and learn from each other. The theme for 2022:

Children's Rights in times of challenge / crisis

Since 2019, the world has faced a global pandemic, and research has shown that children were disproportionately affected by measures taken during this worldwide crisis. Moreover, children around the world continue to face numerous crises with devastating impacts on their rights, such as war and armed conflict, the climate crisis, increasing poverty, hunger and famine. In these tumultuous times, it is primordial that children's rights research continues. This event will focus on the challenges, risks and opportunities of researching children's rights issues that arise in times of challenge / crisis, as well as of conducting research in such times.

Program of the event:

Program, keynote speakers and themes of workshop will be announced in due course.

Call for Papers:

Doctoral students from the children's rights field are invited to present their research by submitting an abstract of **no more than 300 words**. **Deadline for submission of short abstracts is October 31st**. Please **send your abstract to CPaul@ucc.ie**. The themes and issues proposed should allow for discussions between participants on a range of disciplines and methodologies. Preference will be given to doctoral students who have at least one year of research experience.

Deadlines:

- **October 31st**: deadline for 300-word abstract.
- **November 15th**: all pre-selected students must confirm their supervisor's attendance

and the name of their attending supervisor.

- **November 15th**: all pre-selected students must submit an extended 1,000 words abstract and include full references.

Selection Notification

Please save a copy of your submission. Applicants will be notified via email of the Symposium Reading Committee's selection decision.

Key information:

A schedule of events will be announced in due course.

Here for more information about [travel to UCC](#) and on [UCC's location](#).

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Here for more information about the [CREAN Children's Rights Research Symposium](#).

If you any questions, please do not hesitate to send your query at CPaul@ucc.ie