

9th Conference of the International Committee for Charms, Charmers and Charming



Charms, Charmers and Charming: Innovation and Tradition

Friday 6th – Sunday 8th May, 2016

Hosted by:
Departments of Folklore and Ethnology
Early and Medieval Irish
& Study of Religions

College of Arts, Celtic Studies and Social Sciences (CACSSS),
University College Cork, Ireland



Dear Participant,

We are pleased to announce that this year's conference of the International Society for Folk Narrative Research (ISFNR) Charms, Charmers and Charming, which will take place Friday 6th to Sunday 8th May 2016, has sparked much interest.

The provisional programme is available here: <https://corkcharms.wordpress.com/provisional-programme/>

Each speaker is given a timeslot of 20 minutes to present his/her paper and 10 minutes is allowed for questions/discussion after each presentation.

Registration

You will need to register in advance online on the website:

<https://corkcharms.wordpress.com/conference-registration/>

Please fill in the online registration form by March 10th 2016.

There is no conference fee. If you wish to attend the conference dinner and/or the excursion, these are payable on arrival at the conference venue where there will be a registration desk. Your advance registration online will help us in organisational matters.

Venue

The conference will take place in the O’Rahilly Buidling, University College Cork. The university’s website provides information on travelling to Cork and a guide to finding the university: <https://www.ucc.ie/en/visitors/getting-here/>

Here is a map of the campus: <https://www.ucc.ie/en/visitors/maps/>

Accommodation

Conference participants are responsible for organising their own travel and accommodation and there are no special rates available. However, there is a wide variety of places to stay in Cork city, with many budget options. There are some accommodation options listed on the university’s website:

<https://www.ucc.ie/en/visitors/stay/>

There are also Bed and Breakfasts in close proximity to the university, not listed on the university’s website, which may be cheaper:

Fernroyd House: <http://fernroydhouse.com/>

Shandon Bells: <http://shandonbells.com/>

The *Fáilte Ireland* (Irish Tourist Board) website provides information on places to stay as well as other information about Cork city and county:

<http://www.discoverireland.ie/Activities-Adventure/cork-tourist-office/48282>

If you have any questions about the upcoming conference, feel free to email the conference organising team: corkcharms@gmail.com

We are looking forward to seeing you all in Cork in May!

Charms, Charmers and Charming 2016 Conference Organising Committee