



# UCD Dignity and Respect Conference 2024

Building Capacity to Provide Support in Irish Higher Education

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May Astra Hall UCD, 9.30am to 3.30pm

**Host:** Prof Aoife Ahern, UCD Vice Principal for EDI

**Opening address:** Minister Jennifer Carroll MacNeill TD

**Morning session, Trauma Informed Support, Speakers:**

- Prof Maeve Eogan, National Clinical Lead SATU
- Michelle Caulfield, Galway Rape Crisis Centre & Gemma McNally, NUIG
- Catherine Tormey, UCD Dignity and Respect Support Service
- Dr Declan Fahie, UCD School of Education & UCD Dignity and Respect Support Colleague

**Morning panel discussion host:** Ms Marcellina Fogarty, EDI Senior Manager

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**Showcase:** Iva Sharma & Ellen Curran, UCD Dignity and Respect Student Ambassadors

**Afternoon session, Investigations, Speakers**

- Chris Down, Formal Investigator, Anglia Ruskin University
- Gavan Stanley, UCD ER Manager
- Mr Gerry Buttner, Centre for Cybercrime and Cyber Security
- Detective Sgt Lorna O'Connor, Protective Services Unit Garda Siochana

**Afternoon panel discussion host:** Mr Rory Carey, Director UCD Culture and Engagement

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