



On Good Authority: Perspectives on Institutional Governance in Irish Higher Education

12pm **Opening of Webinar**

Brief welcome by the Chancellor of NUI, **Dr Maurice Manning** and short reflection on the governance role of the Senate of NUI.

Brief introductory address from the Minister for Further and Higher Education, Research and Innovation, **Simon Harris TD**.

12.10 **Session 1: A global bird's-eye view**

Chair: Colin Scott, Professor of Regulatory Governance, UCD

12.15 **Keynote:** Peter Maassen, Professor of Higher Education Studies, University of Oslo

Good institutional governance in higher education: the act of balancing academic, economic, organisational, socio-cultural and political objectives and realities

12.25 **Response:** Pat Clancy, Emeritus Professor of Sociology, UCD; member of NUI Senate

12.35 **Q&A**

12.45 **Session 2: Governing a university in Ireland**

Chair: Colin Scott, Professor of Regulatory Governance, UCD

12.45 **A Governor's View:** Dr Catherine Day, Chair of Governing Authority, University College Cork (UCC)

13.00 **An Academic's View:** Professor Pat O'Connor, Emeritus Professor of Sociology and Social Policy, University of Limerick; Visiting Professor, Geary Institute, University College Dublin

13.10 **A Student's View:** Cameron Keighron, former member of NUI, Galway Governing Authority, European Students' Union Quality Assurance Expert Pool

13.20 **Q&A with Panel**

13.30 **Close of Webinar**

Questions from the audience are welcome via the Q&A function on Zoom

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