

Research Seminar Programme 2007/8 (Part One)

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| Thursday 20 September 12.15-2.30 | Sarah Machniewski 2nd Year Cap PhD student Institute of Governance, Queen's | Sarah will discuss her PhD topic Crime in Perspective . There will be a comparison of the nature and extent of harms which the elderly suffer in N. Ireland, such as falls, poverty, crime and fear of crime. |
| Age Awareness Week 1st – 5th October | | |
| Wednesday 3rd October 12.15 – 2.30 | Dr Maeve Rea Public Health Medicine & Primary Care, Queen's | Maeve, will focus on the theme of Healthy Ageing in people aged over 90 years |
| October 4th October 10.00 – 16.00 | Dr Karim Khadjri School of Planning, Architecture & Civil Engineering, Queen's | Workshop on housing design with older people and Architects [Places are limited please contact u.lynch@qub.ac.uk or 028 90973650] |
| Friday 5th October 10.00 – 13.00 Venue Senate Room | Professor Rosemary Kirkpatrick Professor Geraldine MacDonald Dr Laura Dunne Rym Akhonzada and Margaret Anderson Institute of Child Care, Queen's | Children's perceptions of older people Rosemary and the team will host a half day seminar on the methodology and findings of Cap research which examined children's perceptions of older people. |
| Thursday 18th October 12.15 – 2.30 | Dr Albert Jordan Department of the Taoiseach, Dublin | Seniors and surfing Only about one in ten senior citizens in Ireland use the internet. Albert, will share the findings of his research into the reasons why so few older people use the internet. |
| Thursday 1st November 12.15 – 2.30 | Ms Máire Brolly Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency | The Northern Ireland Longitudinal Study Máire will provide an insight into the Northern Ireland Longitudinal study of 500,000 people (28% of the NI population). |
| Thursday 15 November 12.15 – 2.30 | Dr Una Lynch Institute of Governance, Queen's | Growing older Cuban style Una will share findings of her research into the reasons behind the success of the Cuban health system and the focus of older people within this. |
| Thursday 6 December 12.15 – 2.30 | Dr John Copelton Senior Careers Adviser, Queen's | Coast to coast lessons from the USA Due to demand, John has agreed to return to the Institute. This time he will provide an overview of his recent study tour of initiatives involving older adults in the USA |

Venue for most all of the seminars is Institute of Governance, 63 University Road.

Admission is free. A light lunch will be provided, to assist with **catering RSVP** to u.lynch@qub.ac.uk or telephone Una Lynch on 028 90973650

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