



KEYNOTE ARENA

- Welcome Address**
10.10-10.15 **Dr Paul Davis**, Associate Professor, Dublin City University
- Minister Address**
10.15-10.25 **Emer Higgins TD**, Minister of State, Department of Public Expenditure, NDP Delivery and Reform
- Keynote Address**
10.25-10.35 **Sharon Smyth CBE**, Deputy Secretary, Construction and Procurement Delivery
- Keynote Address**
10.35-10.55 **Anne Stewart**, Assistant Secretary General, Head of Public Procurement Policy, Service Delivery and Digitalisation, Office of Government Procurement
- Keynote Address**
11.10-11.30 **Gareth Morton**, National Director of Procurement, Health Service Executive
- Keynote Address**
11.30-11.50 **Linda O'Hare**, Assistant Director, Procurement, Business Services Organisations PaLS
- Addressing the Challenges Facing the Provision of Public Procurement in Ireland**
11.50-12.10 **Philip Gurnett**, Director and Head of Sourcing Education, Education Procurement Service
- Panel Session: Procurement Strategies to Maximise Supplier Engagement**
12.10-13.00 **Office of Government Procurement and Irish Prison Service**



Digitalisation & Innovation Skills Development Zone

- Selecting the Most Appropriate Procedures for Digital Projects**
11.20-11.45 **Philip Browne**, Senior Associate Consultant, Greenville Procurement
- Streamlined E-Invoicing Compliance: Unifying Departments**
11.50-12.15 **Phil Bailey**, Head of Expansion and Interoperability Partnerships, Pagero
- Understanding the eTenders Platform**
12.20-12.45 **Mags O'Callaghan**, eTenders Platform Project Manager, Office of Government Procurement
- Innovating to Accelerate Sustainability**
13.20-13.45 **Tom Lindsay**, Founder and Co-Director, Accelerating Action
- Implementing Digitalisation in the Health Sector**
13.50-14.15 **Representative of Business Services Organisations PaLS**



Procurement Skills & Supplier Development Zone

- How Can SMEs Tender More Successfully?**
11.10-11.35 **Caroline Sweeney**, Trade Manager, InterTradelreland
- Bid-Rigging: What is it and How to Avoid it**
11.40-12.05 **Joseph Walser**, Deputy Director of Cartels, Competition & Consumer Protection Commission
- The HSE Procurement Strategy**
12.10-12.55 **The HSE Procurement Team**, Health Service Executive
- The EPS Procurement Category Strategy**
13.10-13.35 **Maria Owens**, Portfolio Manager, Education Procurement Service
- The Future Skills for Procurement Professionals**
13.40-14.05 **Michael Swan**, Senior Procurement Consultant and Trainer, Greenville Procurement
- Engaging SMEs and Micro Firms in Public Procurement**
14.10-14.35 **Dr Paul Davis**, Associate Professor, Dublin City University
- Alternative Procurement Routes to Facilitate MMC**
14.40-15.05 **William Bell**, Quantity Surveyor & MMC Project Manager, The Housing Agency Ireland



Green Procurement & Social Value Skills Development Zone

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- Buying Social in Ireland**
11.00-11.25 **Chris Gordon**, CEO, Irish Social Enterprise Network
- Accelerating the Green Transition in the Built Environment**
11.30-11.55 **James McConville**, Architect and Director, ACT
- Measuring Social Value in Public Procurement**
12.00-12.25 **Colin Jess**, Chief Executive, Social Enterprise Northern Ireland
- The Evergreen Assessment and the Revised Procurement Policy Note on Social Value**
12.30-12.55 **Representative from Business Services Organisations PaLS**
- Procurement Policy Developments**
13.00-13.25 **Edwina Steele**, Principle Officer, Office of Government Procurement
- A Real Alternative to New: The OGP Framework for Remanufactured Notebooks**
13.30-13.55 **Steve Haskew**, Director of Sustainability and Growth, Circular Computing, & **Anthony O'Dea**, Commercial Director, GreenIT
- More Than a Home: Social Housing as the Starting Point for Social Value**
14.00-14.25 **Kevin Logan**, Assistant Director of Procurement, Northern Ireland Housing Executive
- The Reality of Sustainable Procurement**
14.30-14.55 **Francesca Novello**, Procurement Consultant, Greenville Procurement

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