

'Ireland in a Roman World'
An International and Interdisciplinary Conference
Robert Emmet Theatre, Trinity College Dublin
20-21 October 2012

Sat 20th Oct

09:00 – 09:30 Registration

09:30 – 09:45 Welcome and Introduction (Terry Barry)

09:45 – 10:15 LIARI Team project overview and aims of conference – LIARI Project Team
(Jacqueline Cahill Wilson)

10:15 – 10:45 Paper 1 – *Ireland in Late Antiquity* (Conor Newman)

10:45 – 11:15 Paper 2 – *Linguistic and Literary Phantoms? Romano-British Influence in Early Ireland* (Edel Bhreathnach)

11:15 – 11:30 Questions

11:30 – 11:45 Tea/coffee

11:45 – 11:50 Introduction to papers 3 & 4 (Aidan O'Sullivan)

11:50 – 12:20 Paper 3 – TBC (Eamonn P Kelly)

12:20 – 12:50 Paper 4 – *A View Across the Irish Sea: Perspectives from Roman Iron Age Scotland*
(Fraser Hunter)

12:50 – 13:05 Questions

13:05 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 14:05 Introduction to papers 5 & 6 (James Eogan)

14:05 – 14:35 Paper 5 – *Frontier Cultures in the Roman West* (Andrew Gardner)

14:35 – 15:05 Paper 6 – *Beyond the Roman Frontiers: a Saharan Case Study* (David Mattingly)

15:05 – 15:15 Questions

15:15 – 15:30 Tea/coffee

15:30 – 15:35 Introduction to papers 7, 8 & 9 (Ingelise Stuijts)

15:35 – 16:05 Paper 7 – *Romans and Roman Finds in the Central European Barbaricum – A New View on Romano-Germanic Relations?* (Hans-Ulrich Voss)

16:05 – 16:35 Paper 8 – *Southern Scandinavia and the Romans Through the Centuries* (Thomas Grane)

16:35 – 17:05 Paper 9 – *The Roman conquest of Scotland and its implications for Ireland* (Bill Hanson)

17:05 – 17:20 Questions

17:20 – 17:25 Introduction to doctoral research papers (Ger Dowling)

17:25 – 18:05 Doctoral research papers (Fiona Gavin, Sean Daffy & Patrick Gleeson)

Fiona: *Silver Pins from Late Iron Age Ireland*

Sean: *Roman Finds from Southeast Ireland: Context and Significance*

Patrick: *Landscapes of Kingship in Late Iron Age Munster*

18:05 – 18:15 Questions

Sunday 21st Oct

09:30 – 10:00 Registration

10:00 – 10:15 Introduction to papers 10, 11 & 12 (Ragnall Ó Floinn)

10:15 – 10:45 Paper 10 – *From Pollen to Landscape: Can we Translate Pollen Diagrams into Vegetation Maps?* (Jane Bunting)

10:45 – 11:15 Paper 11 – *Isotope geochemistry: applications to archaeology* (Alistair Pike and Chris Standish)

11:15 – 11:45 Paper 12 – *A Review of Possible Contacts Between Ireland and Britain in the Iron Age and Early Medieval Periods as Revealed by the Irish Burial Record* (Elizabeth O'Brien)

11:45 – 12:00 Questions

12:00 – 12:15 Teas/coffee

12:15 – 12:20 Introduction to papers 13 & 14 (Gabriel Cooney)

12:20 – 12:50 Paper 13 – *Material Culture as Communication: Roman Objects in Dynamic Social Networks Beyond the Continental Frontiers: Potential Models for Ireland* (Peter Wells)

12:50 – 13:20 Paper 14 – *Ruins of Empire: Britain, Imperial Rome and Ireland* (Richard Hingley)

13:20 – 13:30 Questions

13:30 Overview of Conference and Close (Tomás Ó Carragáin)