

## WEEK 1

### Sunday 15 June

11am onwards Participants check-in to UCD accommodation  
6pm **Eavan Boland** in conversation with **Paula Meehan** at the **Abbey Theatre**. Tickets €10, Email eclowry@nd.edu

### Monday 16 June **Bloomsday**

7.15am Trip to Forty Foot, Dun Laoghaire by coach. Meeting point: UCD bus park,  
7.10am - **SIGN-UP required**

7.30am Early Bloomsday swim!

8.15am Traditional Irish breakfast at FitzGerald's Joycean Pub - sausages, rashers,  
pudding...

10am Free to enjoy Boomsday in Dublin.

6.30-7pm **Opening Reception at RIA**

7-8.30pm **Madden Rooney Public Reading- Paul Muldoon**

### Tuesday 17 June

10-10.30am Coffee

10.30-12noon **Diarmuid Ó Giolláin** - Introduction: Thinking about the Vernacular

12noon-1pm Lunch

1-2.30pm **John Kelly** - 'Writing "the book of the people" -- validating the vernacular in modern Irish literature'.

2.30 - 3pm Coffee

3-4.30pm **Katie Trumpener**: "Snow is General All Over Ireland": Joyce, Synge, Yeats and the Drama of Northern Europe

4.30-6.30pm The Irish Revival Handbook Seminar led by **PJ Mathews & Declan Kiberd**. Spaces limited, **SIGN-UP required**.

6.30-8pm Launch of the *Irish Studies Review* Special Issue: 'Organised Spaces: Revival Activism and Print Culture', guest edited by Giulia Bruna & Catherine Wilsdon

### Wednesday 18

#### June

10-10.30am Coffee

10.30-12noon **Barry McCrea**: Joyce and the Vernacular Imagination

12noon-1pm Lunch

1-2.30pm **Cliona Ó Gallchóir**: Maria Edgeworth, Vernacular Language and Revolution

2.30 - 3pm Coffee

3-4.30pm **Joe Buttigieg**: "Gramsci's 'subaltern': Genealogy of a Concept"

5pm Walking Tour of Dublin led by **Donal Fallon**

### Thursday 19 June

10-10.30am Coffee

10.30-12noon **Chris Fox:** 'Some small subaltern or second-hand Politeness': Swift and the Vernacular  
 12noon-1pm Lunch  
 1-2.30pm **Kevin Whelan:** The Vernacular imagination as expressed in settlement patterns  
 2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
 3-4.30pm **Claire Connolly** - Gerald Griffin and Vernacular Irish Romanticism

7-8.30pm **Madden Rooney Public Reading - Pat McCabe**  
 Venue: OCH wine and chesse reception

### Friday 20 June

10-10.30am Coffee  
 10.30-12noon **Declan Kiberd:** Joyce, Ellmann and the Discrimination of Modernisms  
 12noon-1pm Lunch  
 1-2.30pm **John Dillon:** Vernacular Anxiety and Global Modernisms: Dalí, Lawrence and Wittgenstein  
 2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
 3-4.30pm Visit to the **National Museum of Ireland**

**Sat 21 Sun 22 June** **Free Weekend**

## WEEK 2

### Monday 23 June

10am-4pm **RESEARCH MORNING**  
 4-6.30pm **Angela Bourke:** Elin Gow the Swordsmith from Erin and the Cow Glas Gainach

7pm-8.30pm **Madden-Rooney Public Lecture: James Clifford, University of California, Santa Cruz**  
 Country in the City: Indigenous Re-articulations of Loss, Resistance, and Renewal- OCH

### Tuesday 24 June

10-10.30am Coffee  
 10.30-12noon **James Clifford - Q&A**  
 12noon-1pm Lunch  
 1-2.30pm **Pat Crowley:** Vernacular Imagination and its Limits: Creolity and Creolisation in the Francophone Caribbean and Beyond  
 2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
 3-4.30pm **Malcolm Sen:** The Hungry Generation: Calcutta, Climate Change and Narrative Affect  
 5-6.30pm **Declan Kiberd:** The Language of Synge

### Wednesday 25 June

10.30am-12noon Visit to the Folklore Archives  
12-1pm Lunch  
1-2.30pm **XXX**  
2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
3-4.30pm **Ríonach uí Ógáin:** The Bicycle Diaries. Séamus Ennis: piper, singer, song collector

#### **Thursday 26 June**

10-10.30am Coffee  
10.30-12noon **Henry Glassie** - Imagination at Work in a Small Irish Place  
12noon-1pm Lunch  
1-2.30pm **Clair Wills:** Clay is the flesh: Looking at Manual Labour  
2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
3-4.30pm **Henry Glassie seminar** - Field Study of Vernacular Imagination  
  
7-8.30pm **Madden Rooney Public Reading - Deirdre Madden**  
Venue: OCH wine and chesse reception

#### **Friday 27 June**

10-10.30am Coffee  
10.30-12noon **Éilís Ní Dhuibhne:** The Inner Core and the Upper Crust. Reflections on the relationship of folklore and literature in 20th century Ireland  
  
12noon-1pm Lunch  
1-2.30pm **Anne-Marie Thiesse** - Vernacular Fiction and Imagined Communities in the Postmodern Age: Writers' Museums, Literary Routes and Cities of Literature'  
2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
3-4.30pm **Q&A with Anne-Marie Thiesse**

#### **Saturday 28 June**

9am Depart Dublin for Day Trip to Ulster Folk and Transport Museum - SIGN-UP required

**Sunday 29 June** Field trip to Croke Park TBC - **SIGN-UP required**

### **WEEK 3**

#### **Monday 30 June**

10am-4pm **RESEARCH MORNING**  
4-6.30pm **Patrick Griffin:** Provincial Cultures in the Atlantic World  
  
7-8.30pm **Madden-Rooney Public Lecture- Clair Wills:** Digs and Lodging Houses: Post-War Migrant Multicultures

#### **Tuesday 1 July**

10-10.30am Coffee  
10.30-12noon Visit to the **National Library of Ireland**  
12noon-1pm Lunch  
1-2.30pm Visit to the **National Gallery of Ireland**  
2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
3-4.30pm **Guy Beiner:** Vernacular History in Ulster

**Wednesday 2  
July**

10-10.30am Coffee  
10.30-12noon **Vincent Morley:** The Irish past in the vernacular imagination  
  
12noon-1pm Lunch  
1-2.30pm **Neil Buttimer:** Poetry and Praxis: Amhlaoihbh Ó Súilleabháin (ob. 1838) re-imagining St Patrick  
2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
3-4.30pm Visit to the **Royal Irish Academy**

**Thursday 3 July**

10-10.30am Coffee  
10.30-12noon **Amy Mulligan:** Landscape in Vernacular: naturalizing Patrick and Pilgrimage in Acallam na Senórach  
  
12noon-1pm Lunch  
1-2.30pm **Roundtable discussion: Diarmuid O'Giollain, Declan Kiberd and Amy Mulligan**  
2.30 - 3pm Coffee  
3-4.30pm Visit to the **Chester Beatty Library**  
  
7-8.30pm **Madden Rooney Public Reading - Kevin Barry**  
Venue: OCH wine and cheese reception

**Friday 4 July**

11am-12noon **INDEPENDENCE DAY**  
**Diarmuid Ó Giolláin** - Closing Remarks to Irish Seminar 2014  
  
6pm **IS14 Closing Reception** - Bus departs **OCH** for Howth at 6pm.  
7-9.30pm 4th July Celebration at **Drumleck, Howth Head** hosted by Rachael and Fergal Naughton at their home. Drumleck is widely regarded as the finest private residence in Dublin city.  
10pm Bus arrives back at UCD.

**Saturday 5 July**

10am Participants check-out of accommodation

KEY	EXPLANATION
OCH	O'Connell Houe
RIA	Royal Irish Academy