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# **Are Small Open Economies Still the Model? Denmark and Ireland in Comparative Perspective**

**Iontas Building, May 18<sup>th</sup> 2017**

***New Deals in the New Economy Project***  
**MUSSI and the Department of Sociology**  
**Maynooth University**

## **Conference Programme**

9.00-9.30 Coffee

9.30-11.30 ***Small Open Economies in European Development***

Chair: Joe Larragy, Maynooth

*The Return of the National: Implications for Ireland's Multiple Interface-Periphery Development Model*

Joe Ruane, UCC

*Financial circuits and the political economy of social housing in Ireland, Denmark and Austria*

Mick Byrne and Michelle Norris, UCD

*Denmark and Ireland - Assessing a decade of labour market trends and institutional reforms*

Bent Greve, Roskilde and Mary Murphy, Maynooth

11.30-11.45 Coffee

11.45-1.15 ***Institutions and Capitalisms***

Chair: Mary Murphy, Maynooth

*The Paradox of Vulnerability: States, Nationalism and the Financial Crisis*

John Campbell (co-author John A. Hall), Dartmouth

*Good Governance Gone Bad: Lessons for Denmark and Ireland*

Darius Ornston, Toronto

1.15-2.30 Lunch for all attendees

2.30-3.45 ***New Deals Research on Comparative Capitalisms***

*Politics, Work and Industrial Relations in Ireland and Denmark: Rethinking the Worlds of Capitalism*

Seán Ó Riain, Felix Behling, John Paul Byrne, Maynooth/SOFI Göttingen

3.45-4 Coffee

4-5 ***Discussion: Are Small Open Economies Still the Model?***

Chair: David Begg, Pensions Authority

David Soskice, LSE

Niamh Hardiman, UCD