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# Fulbright Information Event

## 28th of September 2018

### Venue: Global Lounge, UCD

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#### Programme

**11.00 Dr Amanda Kelly**

**(Fulbright Ambassador for UCD and Assistant Professor in the School of Archaeology & Beijing-Dublin International College):**

Welcome, Introduction & Briefing

**11:10 Ms Emma Loughney**

**(Communication & Administration Manager for Fulbright Ireland):**

The Fulbright Awards, application process and how to make a successful application

**11:30 – Break (15 minutes)**

**11:45 Dr Tom Curran (Fulbright Scholar 2017-2018)**

Tom Curran is a lecturer in the School of Biosystems and Food Engineering and Director of the MSc Environmental Technology Programme at University College Dublin. As a Fulbright-TechImpact Scholar, he was hosted by North Carolina State University to develop an early warning system for sewer network blockages caused by 'fatbergs'. In recent years, Dr Curran has developed a European wide reputation as a specialist in 'fatbergs' and has made frequent media contributions on this issue. You can read more on Tom's Fulbright and fatbergs here <http://www.ucd.ie/fog/fogblog/>

**12.00 Dr Judith Harford (Fulbright Scholar 2018-2019)**

Judith Harford is a Professor in the School of Education, Vice Principal for Equality, Diversity and Inclusion and an elected member of the Academic Council at UCD. As a Fulbright Scholar, Judith undertook research into Irish American women teachers and the rise of the Irish American elite in Boston in the period 1880–1920.

**12.15 Dr Aggeliki Georgiopoulou (Fulbright Scholar 2017-2018)**

Aggeliki Georgiopoulou is a Lecturer in Sedimentology at UCD. As a Fulbright-GSI Scholar, Aggeliki visited the USGS Woods Hole Coastal and Marine Science Center in Massachusetts to investigate submarine landslide scarps using diving equipment video data. Submarine landslides can cause tsunamis that can affect any coastline of the Atlantic. During her Fulbright stay at USGS she looked at data from offshore New Jersey, Puerto Rico and the middle of the Atlantic Ocean

**12.30 Dr Tomás Ceallaigh (Fulbright Scholar 2017-2018)**

Tomás Ceallaigh completed his masters in Nua-Ghaeilge at UCD. He taught Irish at the UBO University in Brest in France, and prior to that he worked as a journalist and television producer with RTÉ. Tomás has a keen interest in Irish-language songs and is an avid user of these as a teaching aid in the classroom. As a Fulbright FLTA, Tomás taught the Irish language and took courses at Idaho State University.

**12:45 - Q&A**

**13:30 – Closing Statement - Amanda Kelly**



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