

UL European Studies at 50

**A morning to mark 50 years BA European Studies at the University of
Limerick**

Monday, 17 April 2023

Millstream Common Room, University of Limerick

- 9.00 Opening address by Prof. Shane Kilcommins, Provost, University of Limerick
- 9.10 Keynote lecture by Prof. Brigid Laffan, Emeritus Professor at the European University Institute, Florence
“The European Union and the dynamic of European integration today”
Followed by Q&A
- 10.10 Coffee
- 10.30 – 12.00 *European Studies at UL: Looking back – Looking forward*
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Introduction by Prof. Bernadette Andréosso-O’Callaghan, Jean Monnet Chair in European Economics, Kemmy Business School
- 10.35 Looking back: Reviewing 50 years of European Studies at UL (Prof. Joachim Fischer and Prof. Edward Moxon-Browne)
- 11.00 European Studies at UL: Looking forward
Introduction by Prof. Mairéad Moriarty, School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics

- 11.05 Panel discussion on the next 50 years of European Studies at UL
Chair: Prof. Mairéad Moriarty (with Dr Angela Farrell, Dr Sorcha de Brún and other panel members)
- 11.40 Q&A
- 12.00 – 12.30 *Studying European Studies*
Introduction by Dr Sandra Joyce, Dean, Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences
In conversation with students past and present (Dr Sorcha de Brún)
Experiences at the ConSIMium simulation exercise of the European Council in Brussels, 2/3 February 2023 (Niamh McMahon and Sarah Nunan)
- 12.30 Award ceremony for *EUROPA2073* creative writing/art competition with presentations of winning entries (Joachim Fischer, Donal Ryan and others)
- 13.00 Buffet Lunch
- 14.00 End of event

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