



A FRESH LOOK

**Community Engagement
and Public Policy:**
Toward Innovation & Best
Practice in Northern Ireland.

When // 10th June 2016, 8.30am –12.30pm.
Where // Ulster University, Belfast Campus, York Street
Cost // Free by Invitation
Breakfast buffet, refreshments provided.

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Community Engagement and Public Policy:

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A half-day collaborative symposium:

- To share creative approaches to public engagement and consultation in relation to the Fresh Start Agreement
- To appraise tools and processes that inform development policy for all stakeholders concerned with urban and rural regeneration across Northern Ireland.
- To launch a pilot digital platform for long-term sharing and growth of engagement best practice.

8.30-9.00 // Registration, Coffee, Breakfast buffet and introductions.

9.00-9.10 // Introduction: Tim Brundle, Dir. Research & Innovation, Ulster University

9.10-10.15 // Working breakfast: Case-study presentations & discussion:

- Saul Golden Belfast School of Arch.
- Augustina Martire/Nuala Flood QUB
- Lindesay Dawe Belfast School of Arch.
- Jenny McEneaney NICVA

10.15 -11.15 // Three working groups: Targeted discussion & outcomes.

1. Enhancing decision making in community engagement
2. The 'citizen expert' or the 'expert citizen' - process & tools for consultation and engagement in neighbourhood regeneration
3. Building capacity across the engagement process (social, political, policy implementation, and delivery).

11.15-11.30 // Coffee/Tea break

11.30-12.00 // Joint presentations/discussion on target outcomes & actions for report

12.00 -12.30 // Next Steps: presentation of 'pilot' digital platform project.

12.30 // Close

12.30 – 13.30 // Optional tour of Art & Architecture Degree shows

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