



UCD School of
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UCD College of Health Sciences

4th Action Research Colloquium 19th – 20th June 2014

Overview

The 4th Action Research Colloquium is being held at University College Dublin on June 19th and 20th 2014.

The Action Research Colloquium seeks to develop interest in and support for action Research. This colloquium provides a forum for practitioners, academic staff and researchers to meet and engage in conversations about their work.

Who Would Benefit?

- Anyone considering undertaking action research.
- Action researchers undertaking real-world work-based projects
- Anyone contemplating the introduction of a change initiative (such as a quality initiative in their workplace)
- Doctoral and masters students undertaking action research
- Supervisors and mentors of action researchers

Theme for the Colloquium

“Creating a Space for Action”

Speakers

Judi Marshall is a Professor of Leadership and Learning at Lancaster University Management School, UK. She joined Lancaster in early 2008 after many years at the School of Management, University of Bath, where she was a core member of the Centre for Action Research in Professional Practice (CARPP). Her contributions to action research include a sequence of papers on the development of first person action research approaches, including that of living life as inquiry, and developing action research based management education, for example, with colleagues, the MSc in Responsibility and Business Practice at Bath. How we can adequately pay attention to environmental sustainability is a strong theme in her current work, given the pressing challenges involved. In 2011, Judi co-authored Leadership for Sustainability: An action research approach (Greenleaf). Other current interests include: systemic change, the gendering of corporate responsibility, and ‘responsible’ careers.

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How can I register?

[Registration](#) costs €85 per person and includes attendance at one of the Pre-Colloquium Workshops (optional).

Dinner in Le Pont Restaurant on Thursday 19th June is €26 for two courses (drinks not included) and booking is essential.

Unable to attend the full Colloquium and would like to attend one of the Pre-Colloquium Workshops?

Register to attend the workshop only and the cost is €25.

How to get here?

<http://www.ucd.ie/gettingtouncd.htm> has plenty of useful information on travelling to UCD and if you click on http://www.ucd.ie/maps/UCD_Map_2014.pdf you can find the venue. The UCD Health Sciences Centre is Building 29 on the map

Where to stay?

We have a choice of accommodation nearby depending on your preferences.

Stillorgan Park Hotel we have rates of €79 room only, Single B+B €89 and Double B+B €99. Click the link to the Stillorgan Park Hotel and use the Online Booking code UCD14 - [Click here »](#)

Quote the Reservation Confirmation number **148628** if booking by phone or email.

UCD Campus Accommodation we have single en-suite rooms available in student residences for €53 room only and €59.50 including a voucher for continental breakfast in restaurant - [Click here »](#)

[Website](#)

Schedule

Thursday 19th June 2014

- 09.30 Registration for Pre-Colloquium Workshop Participants
- 10.00 Pre-Colloquium Workshop
- 12.30 Lunch and Registration for Colloquium
- 13.30 Keynote Speaker - Judi Marshall
- 15.00 Paper Presentations
- 18.00 Dinner (optional)

Friday 20th June 2014

- 09.00 Plenary Session
- 10.00 Coffee Break
- 10.15 Paper Presentations
- 12.00 Open Space
- 13.00 Finish