

ASEM Lifelong Learning Hub Forum 2020

Hosted Online by University College Cork, Ireland
October 13th – 15th 2020 (Each Day 8 am GMT – 12 pm GMT)

Additional Details: <https://asemlllhub.org/>

Day One October 13th (8.30 am GMT): Lifelong Learning Research & Policy Review

8: 00 am *Welcome to Delegates and Outline of Forum Format & Aims*

8: 30 am *Research Network Retrospective & Prospective*

Each Research Network (RN) will present on key policy priorities in their field of enquiry. This will include drawing on existing research evidence and policy proposals emerging from the work of each RN during the past five years. It will also identify key international policy contexts for informing current and future directions within their fields, including the ASEM Education draft strategy 2030. It will contextualise discussion around enhancing cooperation and common goal-setting between Asia and Europe, addressing key global challenges like Climate Change, Sustainable Development Goals, Migration Post-Covid19 Normal and emerging social and economic challenges. It will also, where possible, make links to significant international reports/policies like those emerging from the International Labour Organisation (The Future of Work); UNESCO; OECD, etc.

10: 30 am *Off-line break for Delegates*

11: 00 am *Keynote: Lifelong Learning Challenges 2020 and Beyond*

12: 00 pm *Close of Day One*

Day Two October 14th (8.30 am GMT): Drafting of ASEM LLL HUB Plan

8:00 am *Showcase Ireland*

- *Lifelong Learning in Ireland: Research & Learning*
- *Third Level Ireland: Research & Learning*

10: 00 am *Off-line break for Delegates*



An Roinn Oideachais
agus Scileanna
Department of
Education and Skills



An Roinn Gnóthaí
Eachtracha agus Trádála
Department of
Foreign Affairs and Trade

Ireland: Host Country for ASEM Education & Research Hub for Lifelong Learning
Chair: Dr Séamus Ó Tuama, University College Cork, Ireland

10: 30 am Drafting the Five Year ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan

In plenary the meeting will propose a Draft ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan. This will include a set of overall ASEM LLL Hub priorities for 2020-2025, with each RN proposing a programme of activity for 2020-21 and an outline road map for activity in the period 2021-2025. This draft plan will shape the agenda for Day Three.

12: 00 pm Close of Day Two

Day Three October 15th (8.30 am GMT): Adoption of ASEM LLL HUB Plan

8: 00 am Joint-Plenary: Presenting ASEM LLL Hub Draft Five Year Plan

The Draft ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan will be presented in plenary to all delegates including members of both the Intergovernmental Senior Officials Forum and the Asia-Europe Council of Senior University Managers Forum.

9:00 am Commencement of Parallel Fora

- *Intergovernmental Senior Officials Forum*
- *Asia-Europe Council of Senior University Managers Forum*

The parallel fora of Intergovernmental Senior Officials Forum and the Asia-Europe Council of Senior University Managers Forum, will engage in detailed discussions on the Draft ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan.

10: 00 am Off-line break for Delegates

10: 30 am Plenary to Adopt ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan.

The Plenary will adopt the ASEM LLL Hub Five Year Plan. ASEM members will pledge of support for the implementation of the plan. Presentation from each RN on key priorities and initial milestones.

11: 30 am Closing Remarks

12: 00 pm Close of ASEM LLL Hub Forum 2020

