

Volunteering for a New Decade

5 December 2019

Conference Programme

9.00am	Tea, coffee	
9.30am	Welcome	Helen Mark Denise Hayward, Volunteer Now
9.35am	Keynote address	Future(s) of Volunteering How Volunteering may change in the coming decade - Rob Jackson, Rob Jackson Consulting Ltd What does voluntary action look like in the 21st century? - Aarathi Krishnan, International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent
10.15am	Workshops (Tea break included) <i>After booking you will be asked to choose workshops from the following topics</i>	Sharing Practice <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. What will volunteer management look like in the next 10 years? Rob Jackson, Rob Jackson Consulting Ltd.2. Managing "Flexivols" – one-off, episodic and ad hoc volunteers. George Gillespie, Volunteer Now Enterprises Ltd.3. Involving volunteers in a digital world. Belen Satorre, Be Collective4. Social action – empowering young people. Gavin Connolly & Nicola Reid, Volunteer Now Youth Team5. Making volunteering meaningful. Clare Orr, Habitat for Humanity6. Older volunteers and wellbeing – the research picture. Sarah Reid, Public Health Agency
12.00pm	Keynote address	Connections and Inclusion - George Thomson, Volunteer Scotland
12.15pm	Interactive Plenary Session	Leadership and Volunteering <ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Dr Finian Buckley, Dublin City Universityb. Lorraine Tansey, NUI Galwayc. Stephen Mathews, Cedar Foundation
1.15pm	Lunch & Networking	
2.00pm	Masterclass <i>(Optional – places are limited)</i>	Community Bubble – George Thomson In 2017, George completed a 10-week study leave into why volunteering isn't growing and isn't more inclusive...and how the invention of the community bubble aims to help create a new way of looking at the wonderful assets in all our people. The idea, the method, and the experience and the fun so far will all be shared with you!
3.00pm	Close	