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MONTHLY EVENTS

IRISH CENTER OF SO. CALIFORNIA “get-together” (first Sunday of the month) Sunday, **November 4, 2018**, at 1 p.m. lunch at Hill Street Café, 3301 N. Glenoaks Blvd., Burbank. Easy to find, between Hollywood Way and Buena Vista on Glenoaks (right next to St. Leon’s Cathedral). Hill Street Café telephone number is 818-845-0046. A separate dining room for 40-50 people. Parking right beside the building. Order what you want – a cup of coffee to full breakfast or lunch – and pay separately.

FRIENDS OF IRELAND Breakfast meeting (1st Tuesday of the month) Tuesday, **November 6, 2018**, at 9:00 a.m. at Katella Restaurant, 4470 Katella Avenue, Los Alamitos, CA 90720. RSVP (Pete Walsh, 714-200-7365) pbeireanua@att.net

ST. CORNELIUS CHURCH HALL, IRISH SOCIAL (2nd Sunday of the month) from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. at 5500 E. Wardlow, Long Beach, CA 90808. Good food, good music, good conversation, singing and dancing. Music by Dennis Murray. Thanks to the Pastor, Fr. Michael Gleeson and the organizer, sister Alicia from Castleblaney, who says “Please come and bring a friend and a dish.”

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BINGO every Tuesday at 6.30 pm in St. Eleanor Hall, St. Robert Bellarmine Church, 143 N. 5th Street, Burbank. CA 91501. Info: 818 846 3443.

CELTIC ARTS CENTER, Mondays Celtic Irish Dance and workshop at the Mayflower Club, 11110 Victory Boulevard, North Hollywood, CA 91606.

ACCORDIONAIRES – Enjoy Accordion Music at Victorio’s Ristorante, 10901 Victory Blvd., No. Hollywood, CA 91606 (Vineland/Victory) on the third Tuesday of the month. (November 20, 2018)

KEN O’MALLEY
events calendar: <https://kenomalley.com/shows>
Continuing: Twilight Lords 2nd Fridays each month at Ireland's 32 in Van Nuys, solo show Auld Dubliner in Long Beach each Thursday at 5 p.m. and Finn McCool's in Santa Monica with John Breen 3rd Tuesdays at 7 p.m..

Brendan's in Camarillo, November 9, December 7, January 4.

Tam O'Shanter in LA (Los Feliz) November 3.

Sign up now for the IrelandCon Conference and networking on Thursday, November 1st with this discount code: IRISHCTR (see pg.14)

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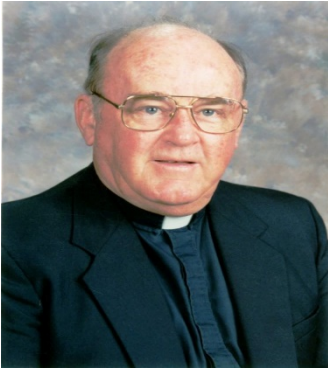
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REST IN PEACE



Rev. Robert I. O'Rourke, SSC, 86 passed away on October 3, 2018 at St. Elizabeth Manor. Born on June 13, 1932 he was the son of the late Eugene Joseph O'Rourke and Mary Bridget (O'Connor) O'Rourke. He was the brother of the late Joseph, Timothy, Richard, Eugene, Br. Terrance O'Rourke of Glenmary Home Missions, Margaret Baffoe and Loretta Coogan. He is survived by many nieces and nephews. Young Bob attended St. Ailbe's Grade School and Quigley Prep. He later attended St. Mary of the Lake Seminary and after spiritual year at St. Columbans, he went to St. Columbans Major Seminary in Milton, MA. He was ordained on December 20, 1958 in the Seminary Chapel by Most Rev. Eric MacKenzie. In the summer of 1959 Fr.

Bob did a course in Social Science in Antigonish, Nova Scotia and in December 1959 he was appointed to Burma.

In November 1962 he arrived in Myitkyina and began language study in Tingsing. The following November Fr. Bob was assistant in Makawzup in the Myitkyina diocese and in October 1965 he opened up a new parish in Kamaing about 65 miles west of Myitkyina. In September 1966 the Burmese government compelled Bob to leave Burma before the end of this year due to new visa restrictions.

After returning to the United States he was appointed to do vocation work in Los Angeles in March 1967. He was appointed superior of the Los Angeles house in 1969. In 1975 Fr. Bob was assigned to Lima Peru. Starting in May 1977 he began serving in Tahuantinsuyo where there was a charismatic ministry, youth groups and a catechumenate. In December 1983 he was assigned to Huasahuasi, (Tarma Pasco).

Fr. Bob O'Rourke and Fr. Michael Donnelly were the first resident priests in the parish for some time. Until leaving there in December 1989, they worked a pastoral program catering to the varied needs of the widespread parish. The majority of the people were potato farmers. During those years Tarma and adjoining areas were the scene of escalating terrorist violence on the part of the Maoist- Leninist group Sendero Luminoso "The Shining Path." Many towns were without police or other civil authority. Frs. Bob and Michael continued to carry out their pastoral work while the terrorists became more audacious and brutal, generating an atmosphere of fear and tension throughout the country, especially in isolated zones such as Huasahuasi. When the priests were told by a reliable person that they were on a death-list and that the terrorists were coming to the town at Christmas, Frs. Bob and Michael prudently decided to go to Lima and left within days for their respective countries where they recuperated from the stress. In January 1990 Fr. Bob was assigned to U.S. Region. He became associate editor of Columban Mission magazine and at Easter 1991 he became Editor of the Regional Newsletter.

In August 1992, Bob began work with the Spanish Apostolate at Immaculate Conception Church in Grand Prairie, TX. The people there appreciated his homilies for their stories and brevity. In 1998 Fr. Bob returned to Omaha as house bursar and presided over the 47th and final Annual Columban Festival there. The Festival was the last of a successful cycle that at its peak, in the early 70's, drew over 20,000 people to St. Columban's on a summer weekend, and raised over \$80,000 for the Society. Fr. Bob noted that the Festival was less about funding than connecting with the local community. In October 2001 Fr. Bob was elected as Chairman of the regional Reconciliation Board. Bob retired to Bristol, RI in March, 2004 where he resided in retirement, participating actively in community life for the last 14 years.

Memorial donations may be made to: Columban Fathers 65 Ferry Road Bristol, RI 02809.

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Margaret Philomena Howard, age 85, passed away peacefully at home in Huntington Beach, California on Wednesday September 19, 2018. Margaret was born in Dunaff, Urris, Donegal, Ireland on December 27, 1932. Margaret was one of twelve brothers and sisters born to her mother Rose Kerrigan and father Dominic Davis Doherty. Margaret finished her grammar school education at the age of 12, leaving Dunaff to work with her sisters and Aunt in the sewing factories of Buncrana. In 1953 her sister Kitty sent her a letter from New York City with \$500 to purchase a plane ticket to join her in America. Margaret landed in La Guardia in August 1953 with not much more than the heavy overcoat she wore and a small suitcase. In New York, Margaret settled into the work of nanny for Happy Rockefeller and her children. Margaret enjoyed her years with Kitty in New York, traveling up and down the East Coast Seaboard to the many Rockefeller homes. In 1957

Margaret headed West to California at the request of her brother Barney, in order to help raise their two younger brothers Dominick and Hubert. Once in Los Angeles, Margaret quickly landed a job as telephone operator at General Telephone Company. With support from her brothers Frank and Barney she was able to secure an apartment in Inglewood to house herself, Dominick and Hubert. Years later Margaret would fondly recall those days and the warm afternoons she spent with Dominick at Hollywood Park pretend betting nickels on the horses. In 1960 at an Irish Dance in Los Angeles, Margaret met a handsome brash young man from Cork, Mike Howard, who would become the love of her life. Six months later on August 27, 1960 they were married at Saint Kevin's Church in Los Angeles, where afterwards they had a short honeymoon to see the swallows at San Juan Capistrano Mission. In late 1961, Margaret and Michael would have the first of their five children Martin Dominic, and in short succession thereafter they would have two more sons William Patrick on December 16, 1962, and Michael James on October 1, 1964. Then in June of 1966 Rosemarie Patricia was born followed soon after by Catherine Christina on May 2, 1968. Margaret's children were her pride and joy. In these early years Margaret worked, like so many housewives of the era to build a family and attend to all their needs, she was short order cook, seamstress, driver, laundry clerk and night nurse, whatever the need, it was met. As her children grew and their needs changed Margaret went back to work as a sales clerk for JC Penny and later Mervyns. The clearance rack goods kept the family securely in the fashion of the day. As her children married and grew into adulthood, Margaret became mentor and mother to so many. Her house always had a steady stream Born: December 27, 1932 Place of Birth: , Ireland, Death: September 19, 2018, Place of Death: Huntington Beach, CA Occupation: Homemaker of family and friends stopping by or spending the night. Nothing brought her more joy than preparing a meal for family and friends. Later she would mentor the spouses of each of her children, Cindy, Khaimony, Rob and Erin and they would all become her confidants and partners in crime. But more than anything else Margaret relished her second motherhood, that of caring for and helping to raise her eleven Grandchildren. Granny as she was affectionately known, never felt more comfortable than with a grandchild in her arms or on a stroll at breakneck pace, grandchild swaddled, surrendering to a nap. On February 6, 2006, Margaret lost her love, her partner of 46 years. Mike's passing was painful for Margaret and it took many months until she managed to be herself again. Thankfully her children and especially her grandchildren gave her spirit a lift and the remedy for her grief. In her later years Margaret had the good fortune to travel back to her beloved home in Ireland. These trips gave her great joy and

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were the source of countless memories. For Ireland and Donegal never left Margaret's memory it buoyed her in the toughest of times and provided great joy when she called upon the stories of old. Margaret never really left Ireland, she only stayed here for a while. She will be missed greatly by her family and friends and most of all by those amazing grandchildren she cherished so much. Margaret is survived by her three sons Martin (Cynthia), William (Khaimony), Michael (Erin) and her two daughters Rosmarie and Catherine (Robert), her 11 grandchildren, Caitlin, Michael, Liam, McKenna, Griffin, Quinn, Cuchullian, Seamus, Fionn, Josephine and Landon. Her two brothers George (Shawneen), Hubert (Ruth), her sister Bridie and all of her nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband Michael Joseph, her parents Rose and Dominick, her brothers Mickey, Barney, Frank, Joseph and Dominick, and her sisters Kitty, Mary Alice, and Rosie.

20TH CENTURY PROPHETS, PART I: W.B. YEATS AND T.S. ELIOT - READING BY JOE PRAML.

Joe Praml returns to Palms-Rancho Park Library to read his new compilation "20th Century Prophets, Part I: Poetry of T.S. Eliot and W.B. Yeats," two of the greatest poets of the 20th century, and both winners of the Nobel Prize in Literature.

Some of the poems Joe reads and explores are Yeats' "Song of the Wandering Aengus," "The Second Coming," "Easter 1916" and others, and Eliot's "The Waste Land," "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock," "The Hollow Men," "Gus, The Theatre Cat." Andrew Lloyd Weber's famous musical *Cats* is based on Eliot's *The Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats*.

Joe Praml graduated from the University of Minnesota with a Bachelor of Arts degree in English. He has worked in film, TV, radio, and stage, as an actor, writer, director, and journalist, here in Los Angeles and in London where he lived for 14 years. Joe is now active as a performance storyteller and reader of poetry at various Los Angeles venues. Since coming to Los Angeles, he has directed plays and coordinated multiple events at the Celtic Arts Center, and while there won a Drama-Logue Award as a director. He later became a tenants' rights activist/counselor with the Coalition For Economic Survival's Tenants' Rights Clinic, and was a Rent Stabilization Commissioner for the City of West Hollywood. Aside from readings of classical and modern poetry, he now devotes his time to writing fiction and nonfiction.

Saturday, November 3, 2018, Noon to 2:00 p.m., Palms-Rancho Park Branch Library, 2920 Overland Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90064. Tel: (310) (See Flyer)

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Letters to the Editor



From: [David McDonnell](#)

To: [Thomas McConville](#)

Sent: Thursday, October 4, 2018 6:13 AM

Subject: Irish storytelling

I am an author and storyteller. My new book, *Buy The Horse A Guinness*, was released a few weeks ago and I am planning an extensive book and storytelling tour for 2019. It will take be throughout North America in the spring and summer, and to Ireland in the fall.

Buy The Horse A Guinness is a collection of eight short stories, all of which are in my repertoire of oral stories, written and told in the tradition of an Irish seanchí. My first book, *ClanDonnell: A Storied History of Ireland*, won three literary awards and universally positive book reviews.

I will no doubt be traveling to Southern California and might be able to do an event for your members. Please let me know if you are interested and hopefully we can arrange something. I'd be happy to send you some additional materials for your review.

David McDonnell--

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Dear Tom,

I write in my biennial fashion to alert you to an event at Caltech, a reading open to the public by our visiting poet, Eavan Boland. Free and open to the public. **Flyer attached**. I would be grateful if you could include it in your newsletter, and any other possible promotion. Thank you!

Best,

Kevin

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From: [Black Pool Film](#)
To: [Undisclosed recipients](#)
Sent: Tuesday, October 16, 2018 6:17 PM
Subject: **BLACK POOL: AN INTENSE NEW IRISH THRILLER BY DUSTIN MORROW**

Hi there. My name is Dustin Morrow and I'm dropping you a line to tell you about my new Irish film, and how my collaborators and I can use your help.



Along with a small but dedicated cast and crew, I've recently produced and am readying for release a new narrative feature film called [Black Pool](#), which continues my interest in Irish history and culture. This is the 14th film I've shot at least partially in Ireland.

About the film

The film is a white-knuckle, cat-and-mouse thriller set against the conflict that has threatened Northern Ireland for decades. It is a prescient film, in that it seeks to comment on immigration, imprisonment, post traumatic stress disorder, and other serious issues at the center of America's political and ethical landscapes.

[I talk more about the film in this video.](#) We need your help

Black Pool is a microbudget film, where the cast and crew worked for no pay or for a small honorarium—it truly was a labor of love for all involved. We are currently raising funds via the [crowdfunding website IndieGoGo](#) and via the online payment site Paypal, to assist with the film's theatrical distribution. The funds generated by this campaign are crucial to the successful release of the film.

You can learn more about the film by [watching this video](#), or visit our website, www.blackpoolfilm.com, for trailers, photos and interviews, and other information about the film.

Pledges can be made at [Black Pool's IndieGoGo page](#).

If you prefer, you can also make donations directly through Paypal to the following account: morrow4@pdx.edu Any donations made through Paypal will also receive the same [rewards listed on the IndieGoGo page](#).

Any amount helps and will be greatly appreciated. If you cannot pledge at this time, you can still help us by sharing our IndieGoGo link (<http://bit.ly/blackpoolfilm>) to your social media, or forwarding this email to your friends.

Without people like you, we don't get to tell our stories and create work that makes a difference. Thank you for supporting independent filmmakers and artists.

Best,
Dustin

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A chara,

I am writing to invite your organisation to participate in the third annual [International Herstory Light Festival](#) on the 4-7th January 2019.

A new Ireland is emerging

A new wave of compassionate feminism is emerging in Ireland, creating a wonderful grassroots movement towards equality. I hope your organisation will join us in this special celebration of women and equality - a true expression of who we are and what it means to be Irish. This will be the most spectacular start to 2019!

From the shadows into the light

Launched by the Irish Herstory Movement in 2017, the Herstory Light Festival went viral around the island of Ireland with castles, museums, libraries, theatres, sculptures, churches, and offices illuminating in honour of women. In January 2018, the festival generated 26 million Twitter impressions worldwide, and went international with participation in the USA, UK, Spain, Sweden, France, Lithuania, Slovenia, and Poland.

Sparking a global celebration of equality

Following the success of the 2018 festival, the Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade (DFAT) made Herstory a *Cultural Ambassador of Ireland*. The DFAT has commissioned Herstory and EPIC, The Irish Emigration Museum, to create an exhibition entitled *Blazing a Trail*, celebrating Irish Diaspora heroines, which launches across the Irish embassy network on the 21st November 2018. The Department of Foreign Affairs is championing participation in the 2019 Herstory Light Festival across the Irish Embassy network worldwide.

A liberating discovery

There are [four festival themes](#) and for 2019, and the big focus is the *World of Equals* theme, inspired by our discovery that in nearly every remarkable woman's biography there was a man who saw her as an equal. They were fathers, brothers, husbands, teachers and friends. Of course, this theme includes same-sex partnerships too. Equality is human nature. When we see it we have to celebrate it!

How to participate

This is a festival for the people and there are a number of ways your county can participate – below are some ideas to start. For advice on sourcing images and commissioning new portraits, [please click here](#). To have your light installation or event featured in the official festival programme, please complete the [online application form](#) by the 30th November.

On behalf of the Herstory team,

Yours Sincerely,

Melanie Lynch

Founding Director of Herstory

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September 6, 2018

WAITRESS

CHRISTINE DWYER STEPS INTO THE ROLE OF JENNA ON THE NATIONAL TOUR OF WAITRESS!

November 13 – 25, 2018 in Segerstrom Hall
Tickets on sale now

"**WAITRESS** is a little slice of heaven!" says *Entertainment Weekly* and "a monumental contribution to Broadway!" according to *Marie Claire*. Now, **Christine Dwyer** will put on the apron and bake across the country as she steps into the role of Jenna in the national tour of **WAITRESS** - the Broadway musical from Grammy Award® nominee Sara Bareilles inspired by Adrienne Shelly's 2007 motion picture. **WAITRESS** comes to Segerstrom Center for the Arts November 13 – 25, 2018 in Segerstrom Hall. Dwyer has previously appeared in the national tours of *Finding Neverland* as Sylvia, *RENT* as Maureen and on Broadway and the 2nd National Tour of *Wicked* as Elphaba.

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Poetry Reading

NOVEMBER 13, 2018
7:00 P.M.

DABNEY LOUNGE

Eavan Boland is at once a distinctively Irish and an international voice in contemporary poetry. Born in Dublin, and educated in London and New York, she currently directs the creative writing programs at Stanford University. An acknowledged heir to Yeats, she has decisively introduced the voice of the woman poet to the Irish lyric tradition. In the words of the Irish Book Review, "modern Irish poetry would be unthinkable without her presence." A 2016 inductee to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, Boland is a recipient of the Lannan Foundation Award in Poetry and the PEN Award for creative nonfiction.

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Nathan Carter at the Wilshire Ebell Theatre



Come witness one of Ireland's biggest country stars, Nathan Carter! Nathan began playing the accordion at just four years old and has since topped U.K. album charts with several album releases. Nathan has out sold major performers like Michael Buble and Irish media nominates him as one of the world's biggest stars of country and Irish music. PBS SoCal invites you to experience a spectacular performance by Nathan Carter at the Wilshire Ebell Theatre on May 22, 2019. Donate for tickets today! A pair of tickets to the show in the Orchestra (Rows G – R) section is available at the \$120 donation level. A pair of tickets to the show in the Orchestra (Rows A – F) section plus pre-show meet and greet passes are available at the \$200 donation level.

THE QUINN FAMILY
WITH MICK CUNNINGHAM & SEÁN PIERCE

will be playing at
Dargan's Irish Pub
Friday | 11.9.2018
from 6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Aoife will be home from Ireland for a visit so be sure to come down to listen to some great Irish music and watch some Irish dancing by Aoife & Brigid!

Dargan's Irish Pub | 18 East Ortega Street | 805.568.0702

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From: greenbes
To: tomirishhour@msn.com
Sent: Sunday, October 21, 2018 10:32 PM
Subject: Adding Event to Calendar

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Sean Greenberg; I teach philosophy at the University of California, Irvine; I write to see about the possibility of posting an event to your calendar that may be of interest. **On November 13, at the University of California, Irvine, Fran O'Rourke, an accomplished and rather well-known musician, will be performing songs from James Joyce's *Ulysses*. (Here's a link to the advertisement of O'Rourke's performance, which will be part of UCI's Illuminations series:**http://illuminations.uci.edu/events/2018_11_13_An_Evening_of_Music_from_James_Joyce%20.html)

Please let me know if you need any further information for the event to be posted to your calendar, as I very much hope it will.

I thank you for your consideration!

Sincerely,
Sean Greenberg

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New Shop Hours

Many of you have asked about evening hours for the shop.

We are shifting our schedule to accommodate those who can't make it in before our usual closing time at 6pm.

As of today, we have new posted hours.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday..3pm to 8pm

Thursday, Friday and Saturday..11am to 6pm
Sunday..12pm to 4pm

Traditional Music Session

Every Tuesday night beginning at 8 pm.

All are welcomed to participate by playing, dancing or just enjoying the music. Admission is **FREE** and open to all members of Clan Craic and their guests

Stop by any Tuesday night! Cold frothy refreshments are always available.

Welcome to the Clan! We have created a non-profit, cultural wing that will be known as

Clan Craic

It will host all our events as private function fundraisers. This will allow us to offer food and beverages to our "members" in the least complicated way.

Only our patrons that are on our email list will be allowed to attend and partake of the concerts, live theater, classes, music sessions, readings, televised sporting events and refreshments available.

There is no cost to join, **you don't have to do anything**, your email is your membership pass to Clan Craic. If you know anyone that would like to

join the Clan, have them stop by the shop or just email us at joinclanraic@gmail.com.

The Wren Theater *Hollywood's Biggest Small Theater*, a performance space that can seat up to 40 people has been added to the

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From: [Nunez, Maria \(LAN-RCN\)](#)
To: tomirishhour@msn.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 17, 2018 2:09 PM
Subject: IrelandWeek + IRELANDCON in Los Angeles

Hi there,

I'm reaching out to invite you and members of the Irish Center of Southern California to attend **Ireland Week** - a week-long conference with cultural festivities covering live music, theatre, visual art, film, TV, sports, tech, trade and animation. The signature event of the week is **IRELANDCON**, a full-day conference that features a series of panel discussions and keynote speeches celebrating creativity and innovation across tech, trade, culture and entertainment. Full details on IRELANDCON are below, and we would like to provide the Irish Center of Southern California with a **code** that provides a great **discount** to the IRELANDCON general admission ticket. To receive this discount, please enter the code **IRISHCTR** at checkout.iii

Tickets can be purchased here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/irelandweek-presents-irelandcon-the-ireland-conference-lmu-playa-vista-campus-silicon-beach-tickets-50422771868>

For more information, please visit www.irelandweek.com



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October 11, 2018

IrelandWeek Announces Return of IRELANDCON in Los Angeles

Speakers include a who's who of film, TV, tech, and trade on November 1 in Silicon Beach

LOS ANGELES, CA / DUBLIN, IRELAND (October 11, 2018) -IrelandWeek (www.IrelandWeek.com) is proud to announce the return of IRELANDCON Thursday, November 1 in Los Angeles, California. With a key focus on celebrating innovation in tech, trade, entertainment and cultural ties between Ireland and Los Angeles, this year's flagship conference is moving right into the heart of Silicon Beach to LMU's new Playa Vista campus. A portion of the all-day conference features film, TV and animation industries, those establishing themselves in Los Angeles, and those that offer the great opportunity and tax incentives to make productions in Ireland. Limited Early Bird tickets are available [here](#).

Through a myriad of events covering live music, theatre, visual art, film, TV, sports, tech, trade and animation, IrelandWeek's focus is to bring Ireland to the world, and the world back to Ireland.

For more information on IRELANDCON, please visit <https://www.irelandweek.com/events/>.

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Irelandcon, the one stop shop for doing business with AND in Ireland. With a key focus on celebrating innovation in tech, trade, entertainment and cultural ties between Ireland and Los Angeles, this year's flagship conference is moving right into the heart of Silicon Beach to LMU's new Playa Vista campus.

SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

- John Corser** - Vice President of Production, NBC Universal Cable Productions
 - Stephen Cheung** - President, World Trade Center
 - Robbin D. Crabtree, Ph.D.** - Dean of the Bellarmine College of Liberal Arts at LMU
 - Marianne Grant** - Senior Vice President, Motion Picture Association Of America
 - Nina Hachigian** - Deputy Mayor of International Trade, City of Los Angeles
 - Kieran Hannon** - CMO, Belkin
 - Skarpi Hedinsson** - CTO, LA Stadium & Entertainment District
 - John Houlihan** - Senior Vice President of Music, 20th Century Fox
 - Conor Houston** - Strategic Business and Government Advisor
 - Mick Kiely** - CEO and Founder, Xhail Technologies
 - Mary McKenna** - Tech entrepreneur, Learning Pool Co-founder
 - Michelle Loughran** - IDA Ireland, VP Biz Dev Emerging Technologies/High Growth Companies at IDA Ireland
 - Dr. Brian Moore** - CEO and Co-founder, Orreco
 - Brian O'Leary** - Senior Vice President, Tax Counsel, NBC Universal Cable Productions
 - Dean Peggy Rajsky** - LMU School of Film and TV
 - Nora Ryan** - Chief of Staff, Epix
 - Kirsten Sheridan** - Writer, Director, Producer
 - Jacinta Tobin** - CMO, Hustle
- [Check out www.irelandweek.com for more speakers..](http://www.irelandweek.com)

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2 Performances:

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