



Third Quarterly SDG Champions Meeting University of Galway, 20 February 2024 Agenda

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Time	Agenda and Speakers
10:30	Arrival at IdeasLab, tea and coffee
11.00	 Meeting Introduction Richard Manton – University of Galway Fiona McManus/Aisling Kirwan – Department of the Environment, Climate and Communications
12:30	Session 1 (SDG17 Partnership) Presentations SDG Champions SDG Geohive - Rachael Kelly, Tailte Éireann (online) Accelerating Action and J.E Cairnes School of Business – Tom Lindsay, Accelerating Action; Ann O'Brien, University of Galway Presentations on CUSP – Michelle O'Dowd Lohan and Richard Manton, University of Galway Guided walk along University of Galway Biodiversity Trail and SDG Trail
12:30	 Guided walk along University of Galway Biodiversity Trail and SDG Trail Gesche Kindermann and Caitriona Carlin, University of Galway Stop-off on the trail: Outline of Geofit and the Distillery Road Retrofit – Michael Curran, University of Galway Group photo - Aengus Mc Mahon, Photographer
13:15	Lunch in IdeasLab provided by Saol Café
14:00	Session 2 (SDG13: Climate Action) Opening Remarks - Prof Pól Ó Dochartaigh Flash presentations - University of Galway climate projects: Learn-Live-Lead approach • Learn - Peatlands and People - Christine Domegan • Live - Student-led sustainability - Molly Hickey • Lead - Partnership with the Mary Robinson Centre - John Caulfield University of Galway; Brendan Smith - Galway National Park City
14:30 15:45	Presentation and Workshop on Climate Engagement - Niall McCaffrey, Director of Ipsos Ireland Next Steps and Closing Remarks
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