

From Boundary Commission to Border Poll?

A Century of the Irish Border

*An interdisciplinary conference of the Institute of Irish Studies
and the Centre for International Borders Research, Queen's University Belfast, in
association with the Irish Association*

Wednesday 3rd December 2025

Barnett Room, The Harbour Office, Belfast

PROGRAMME

0930 Arrivals

1000 Welcome

Chair: Fearghal McGarry

1005 Keynote Paper

Diarmaid Ferriter: "Cutting Down Ulster? The Boundary Commission 1924-1925"

1045 Q&A

1100 Border Pasts

Chair: Cathal McManus

Cormac Moore

Margaret O'Callaghan

Ed Burke

1230 Lunch

1345 Border Cultures

Chair: Cathal McCall

Síobhra Aiken

Stephen O'Neill

Garrett Carr

1515 Break

1545 Border Futures

Chair: Katy Hayward

Brian Walker on the Irish Association's report on North/South cooperation

1600 Panel discussion

Susie Deedigan

Cathal McCall

Cathal McManus

1700 Thanks & Close

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