

# REVISED PROGRAMME – Dublin Castle 12th July 2002

The EU Sixth Framework Programme for research, technological development and demonstration (2002 - 2006)

8.30-9.30

Registration (Tea/Coffee available)

9.30-10.45

Plenary Session

Opening Address – Ms Mary Harney, TD,  
Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment

Introduction – Richard Escritt, Director, DG Research,  
EU Commission

Irish experience in EU Framework Programmes – a participant's account  
Cork City Council – Ian Winning  
University College Cork – Fergal O'Gara

Chairperson – Martin Cronin, CEO, Forfás

10.45-11.15

Tea/Coffee

*Priority Areas – Your questions answered by the responsible officials  
from DG Research, EU Commission*

		A	B	C	D
11.15-12.00	Parallel Session 1	Genomics & Biotechnology for Health  Bruno Hansen	Nanotechnologies, Nanosciences, etc  Herve Pero	Sustainable Development, Global Change & Ecosystems  David Miles	Human Resources & Mobility  Raffaele Liberali
12.00-12.45	Parallel Session 2	Aeronautics & Space  Herbert Von Bose	Citizens & Governance  Peter Fisch	Specific SME Measures (CRAFT)  Marc Van Achter	Human Resources & Mobility  Raffaele Liberali
12.45-13.30	Parallel Session 3	Food Quality & Safety  Bruno Hansen	Information Society Technologies  Khalil Rouhana	Specific SME Measures (CRAFT)  Marc Van Achter	Integration of Foresight into Thematic Areas  Günter Clar

13.30-14.45

Lunch

14.45-15.15

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Co-operation with Associated Candidate Countries –  
A Hungarian Perspective

Andras Siegler, Deputy State Secretary for R&D, Ministry of Education, Budapest

15.15-15.45

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Rules for Participation – Megan Richards, DG Research, EU Commission

15.45-16.30

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SMEs in the thematic priority areas – Panel Discussion with EU Commission Speakers

16.30-16.45

Plenary Session

Closing Address – Paul Haran, Secretary General,  
Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment