



BREXIT: Making sense of the crisis

Conference examining the implications for Northern Ireland

Tuesday 6th September 2016 Baby Grand, Grand Opera House, Belfast

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What will the shock Brexit vote mean for Northern Ireland? It is difficult to think of an area of public policy where the European Union does not have an impact so what will life outside its borders look like in Northern Ireland and what will be the impact economically, politically and socially? Whatever the UK's negotiations with Europe bring, we are in for a seismic change, with the potential to have even more impact than the years of political unrest. **These issues will all be explored via a high profile panel of local and visiting speakers at agendaNi's Brexit conference – places are limited so secure yours now!**

Issues discussed will include:

- Examining our **new relationship** with Europe
- The **process for leaving** the EU
- What are our future trade options?
- Doing **business** post Brexit: opportunities & challenges
- How will our **agri food** industry respond?
- Brexit: a game changer for **local government**
- Future **funding** landscape
- Impact on **voluntary / community sector**
- Keeping Northern Ireland open for **tourism**
- How will **cross border relations** be affected?
- What will Brexit mean for **public services**?
- Maintaining **connectivity**
- Brexit and the **retail** sector

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Expert speakers include:

- Jane Morrice, Member & former Vice President, European Economic & Social Committee
- David Gavaghan, Chairman, CBI Northern Ireland
- Derek McCallan, Chief Executive, NILGA
- Declan Billington, Chair, NI Food & Drink Association
- Seamus Leheny, Policy & Membership Manager, Freight Transport Association
- Brian Ambrose, Chief Executive, George Best Belfast City Airport
- Dagmar Schiek, Professor of Law, Queen's University Belfast
- Aodhán Connolly, Director, Northern Ireland Retail Consortium
- Naomi Long, Deputy Leader, Alliance Party
- Mark Carruthers, BBC Northern Ireland
- Seamus McAleavey, Chief Executive, NICVA
- Mike Nesbitt, Party Leader, UUP

Full programme available online at www.agendaNi.com/events

Registration

Negotiated by NILGA, a **special discounted rate of £145 + VAT (full fee £195 + VAT)** is available for local government elected representatives and officers wishing to attend.

This offer is limited, to secure your place at the discounted rate, contact agendaNi directly on 028 9261 9933 or email registration@agendani.com and reference **NILGA**.