



PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

(as of 15 May 2023)

08.30 – 09.00	Registration with Tea/Coffee
09.00 – 09.05	LES Britain & Ireland President’s Welcome Patrick Cantrill - General Counsel, Getech Group Plc Welcome to Trinity College Dublin
09.05 – 09.15	Introduction to the Irish Knowledge Transfer Association (IKTA) Gordon Elliott - Senior Patents and Licensing Manager, Trinity College Dublin
09.15 – 09.45	KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Joe Doyle - Intellectual Property Manager, Enterprise Ireland
09.45 – 10.45	Panel: “Commercialisation from the Research Base – A Case Study involving CropBiome Ltd, an innovative new Irish agritech company with exploration of the university, company and investment perspectives” Chair: Samantha Williams, Licensing Manager, Trinity College Dublin Speakers: Noel Daly - Senior Development Advisor, Enterprise Ireland Kieran Gaughin - CropBiome Ltd Stacey Kelly - Case Manager, Knowledge Transfer, Agriculture, Food and Veterinary Science, University College Dublin Emma O’Neill - Technology Transfer Case Manager, Life Sciences, Trinity College Dublin
10.45 – 11.15	Tea/Coffee Break
11.15 – 12.15	Session/Panel: “Green Economy and Innovation” Speakers: Hugh O’Reilly – Project Manager, Scilling Digital Mining Brendan O’Riordan - Green Gas Certification Lead, Gas Networks Ireland
12.15 – 13.15	Panel: “The use of AI-related technologies in different sectors” Chair: Hayley French - Director, HPF Bio Limited Speakers: Neil Brady – CEO, Caliber AI Brian McElligott - Head of AI, MHC Nikos Minas - European Patent Attorney, APTIV
13.15 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 14.30	KEYNOTE SPEAKER: John Power, CEO, Aerogen
14.30 – 15.30	Panel: “How businesses manage IP disputes” Chair: Fiona Nicolson - Consultant, Burness Paull Speakers: Tom Davill – Senior Associate (Intellectual Property), Bird & Bird LLP (<i>English perspective</i>) Colin Hulme – Head of IP, Burness Paull (<i>Scottish perspective</i>) Jeanne Kelly – Partner, Browne Jacobson (<i>Irish perspective</i>)

15.30 – 16.00	Tea/Coffee Break
16.00 – 17.15	Session/Panel: “Current Issues in Licensing Space, Data Protection and UPC” Chairs: Tom Gaunt – Partner, Lewis Silkin Nikos Minas - European Patent Attorney, APTIV Speakers: TBC
17.15 - 17.30	Closing Address
19.00	Dinner