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Designing Primary Schools for 21st Century Learners

Conference 7th March 2014

Printworks Conference Centre, Lower Yard, Dublin Castle

9:00	Welcome Tony Sheppard Chair OECD Centre for Effective Learning Environments, Technical Manager, Department of Education and Skills, Ireland.	12:00	Response to Competition Robin Mandal RIAI President
9:10	“Creating Best Design Value in Educational Environments” Angela Brady Immediate Past-President R.I.B.A., U.K.	12:15	“Building schools for better outcomes: The OECD Learning Environments Evaluation Programme (LEEP)” Hannah von Ahlefeld Analyst, OECD- Centre for Effective Learning Environments, Paris.
9:40	“Education for Transformation: Preparing 21st Century Teachers” Dr. Anne O’Gara President Marino Institute of Education, Dublin, Ireland.		12:45 – 14:00 <i>Lunch</i>
10:10	“Analysis of international research and 2013 post-occupancy study of current highest-quality Irish primary designs: informing the competition’s pedagogical brief.” Diarmuid Dullaghan Divisional Inspector, Department of Education and Skills, Ireland.	14:00	“Creating Space to Learn: Innovation by Design” Alastair Blyth Architect ex OECD - Centre for Effective Learning Environments.
	10:40 – 11:10 <i>Coffee</i>	14:30	“Pedagogy and Architecture: Examples from Finland” Reino Tapaninen Chief Architect, Finnish National Board of Education, Finland.
11:10	“Introduces Jury comments and reflections on competition entries” Alastair Blyth (Chair of Jury) Architect ex OECD- Centre for Effective Learning Environments.	15:00	“Innovation in Educational Environments” Panel Discussion 15:30 – 16:00 <i>Coffee</i>
11:40	Announcement of Winner & Commended schemes Ruairí Quinn T.D. Minister for Education & Skills	16:00	“Beyond Architecture” Prof. Takahara Tezuka Tokyo City University, Japan. 17:30 <i>Close</i>

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