



National Suicide Research Foundation
'Suicide, Self-Harm and Mental Health' Virtual Seminar
October 18th, 2021

Morning Session: 9.30am – 11.30am
Afternoon Session: 1.30pm – 4pm
Via Zoom (Irish Standard Time)

Programme

9.30am	<p>Welcome Address for Morning Session</p> <p>Ms Eileen Williamson, Chief Executive Officer, National Suicide Research Foundation and Prof Ella Arensman, Chief Scientist, National Suicide Research Foundation and Professor of Public Mental Health, School of Public Health, UCC</p>	
9.40am	<p>Dr Michael Kelleher Memorial Lecture</p> <p><i>“Deserving versus undeserving mentally ill; Drugs, alcohol and suicide”</i></p> <p>Dr Michael J Kelleher, Consultant Addictions Psychiatrist and Clinical Lead for Lambeth Addictions</p>	
	<p align="center">Research Presentations A: <i>‘Suicide, self-harm and mental health’</i> Chaired by Dr Mary Joyce</p>	<p align="center">Research Presentations B: <i>‘Youth Mental Health’</i> Chaired by Dr Grace Cully</p>
10.15 am	<p>Louise Quinn: Mental health professionals experiences of delivering remote care through video calling during the Covid 19 pandemic</p>	<p>Nerilee Ceatha: Highlighting the potential of attending to “stress-ameliorating factors” in promoting LGBTI+ youth wellbeing</p>
10.30am	<p>Doireann Ní Dhálaigh: Evidence to support implementing a suicide prevention training curriculum for healthcare students in higher education institutions: A scoping review</p>	<p>Dr Maria Michail: Help-seeking in primary care: Exploring the experiences of young people at-risk of suicide</p>
10.45am	<p>Dr Anvar Sadath: The association between self-harm and physical and mental health comorbidities among people with frequent self-harm repetition: A mixed-methods study</p>	<p>Dr Margaret McLafferty: Suicidal behaviour, depression, and anxiety disorders among college students, prior to and during the COVID-19 pandemic</p>
11.00am	<p>Dr Selena O’Connell: Experiences of a peer support group for individuals bereaved by suicide in Ireland</p>	<p>Madhav Bhargav: Outlining the associative and mediating factors between childhood adversities and suicide ideation in college students</p>

	Three-Minute Rapid Presentations		Three-Minute Rapid Presentations	
11.15am	Krupa Patel: Suicide among adults during COVID-19 pandemic; Rates and trends		Natasha Brown: Suicidal behaviour among undergraduate students with ADHD: The mediating effects of mental illness and substance use	
11.20am	Kelly Brown: An exploration of the impact of client's suicide on mental health social workers		Manasi Nadkarni: Mental health of university students during the COVID-19 pandemic in Ireland: A cross-sectional survey	
11.25am	Krupa Patel: Suicide among the elderly during the COVID-19 pandemic		Caitriona McMahon: Protecting the future: Exploring the potential link between childhood adversity and childhood wellbeing from a youth workers perspective	
11.30am	Break			
1.30pm	Welcome Address for Afternoon Session Prof Siobhan O'Neill , Mental Health Champion for Northern Ireland and Professor of Mental Health Sciences, Ulster University			
1.35pm	Keynote Lecture <i>"Suicide and Self-Harm during the COVID-19 Pandemic: Fake News versus Facts"</i> Dr Mark Sinyor , Psychiatrist, Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre and Associate Professor, University of Toronto			
2.15pm	Masterclass A: Mental health promotion and suicide prevention in children and adolescents Facilitated by: ❖ Dr Elaine McMahon , National Suicide Research Foundation ❖ Prof Fiona McNicholas , Lucena Clinic, Our Lady's Hospital for Sick Children, Crumlin and School of Medicine UCD ❖ Dr Jennifer McMahon , School of Education, UL Chaired by Doireann Ni Dhalaigh	Masterclass B: Impact of COVID-19 on suicide and self-harm Facilitated by: ❖ Prof Ann John , Health Data Science, Swansea University ❖ Dr Paul Corcoran , National Suicide Research Foundation ❖ Ruth Benson , National Suicide Research Foundation Chaired by Dr Caroline Daly	Masterclass C: Bereavement following suicide Facilitated by: ❖ Dr Eve Griffin , School of Public Health UCC/ National Suicide Research Foundation ❖ Dr Karen Galway , School of Nursing and Midwifery, Queens University Belfast ❖ Derek Chambers , HSE Mental Health ❖ Fiona Tuomey , CEO HUGG Chaired by Dr Selena O'Connell	Masterclass D: Assessment and management of self-harm: Challenges and Innovation Facilitated by: ❖ Prof Eugene Cassidy , CUH and Department of Psychiatry, UCC ❖ Dr Katerina Kavalidou , National Suicide Research Foundation ❖ Prof Ella Arensman , National Suicide Research Foundation / School of Public Health UCC Chaired by Dr Katerina Kavalidou
3.30pm	Prize-giving and Closing Remarks Dr Clíodhna O'Connor, Fenella Ryan and Niall McTernan , National Suicide Research Foundation			