Report on activities 2014
GOVERNANCE

President and Council (from 15 March 2014)

President: Mary E. Daly

Committee of Polite Literature and Antiquities
Vani K. Borooah—Secretary
B. Gabriel Cooney
Noel K. Dorr—Vice-President
J. Ronan Fanning
Attracta Ingram
Imelda Maher—PL&A Secretary
Elizabeth M. Meehan
Frances R. Ruane (March–November)
Geraldine Sheridan
Roger A. Stalley—Vice-President

Committee of Science
Peter Coxon
Seán Dineen
Roger G.H. Downer—Senior Vice-President
Celia V. Holland
John Moffat Kelly
Mary Kelly—Vice-President
Eugene T. Kennedy—Science Secretary
Michael Peter Kennedy—International Relations Secretary
James G. Lunney
John F. McGilp—Treasurer
Thomas Ray

Executive Committee
(from 15 March 2014)
The President          Mary E. Daly
The Senior Vice-President Roger G.H. Downer
The Treasurer          John F. McGilp
The Secretary          Vani K. Borooah
The PL&A Secretary     Imelda Maher
The Science Secretary   Eugene T. Kennedy
The International Relations Secretary Michael Peter Kennedy
The Executive Secretary Laura Mahoney
The Staff Representative Déirdre D’Auria
MEETING DATES

Monday 20 January 2014..........................Executive Committee
Monday 17 February 2014..........................Council
Saturday 15 March 2014..........................Stated General Meeting
Monday 14 April 2014..............................Executive Committee
Monday 19 May 2014.................................Council
Monday 22 September 2014 (Belfast)...........Council
Monday 20 October 2014...........................Executive Committee
Wednesday 12 November 2014....................Council
Saturday 29 November 2014.......................Stated General Meeting
Monday 15 December 2014........................Council
STAFF LIST
as at 31 December 2014

Executive Secretary
Laura Mahoney

Accounts
Lesley Goulding  Head of Accounts
Catherine Behan  Assistant Accounts Officer
Lisa Doyle  Assistant Accounts Officer

Art and Architecture of Ireland
Anita Griffin  Programme Manager
Sarah Maguire  Illustrations Assistant
Lorraine Wemyss  Communications and Events Co-ordinator

Communications and Public Affairs
Pauric Dempsey  Head of Communications and Public Affairs

Dictionary of Irish Biography
James Quinn  Managing Editor
Terry Clavin  Editorial Assistant and Administrator
Linde Lunney  Editorial Secretary
Patrick Maume  Editorial Assistant
Turlough O’Riordan  Editorial Administrator
Lawrence White  Research and Editorial Assistant

Documents on Irish Foreign Policy
Michael Kennedy  Executive Editor
Kate O’Malley  Assistant Editor

Dictionary of Medieval Latin from Celtic Sources
Anthony Harvey  Editor
Liz Dawson  Postdoctoral Researcher
Angela Malthouse  Project Assistant
Jane Power  Project Assistant
Digital Repository of Ireland
Sandra Collins  Director
Christophe De Bruyne  Linked Data Specialist
Rebecca Grant  Digital Archivist
Dolores Grant  Digital Archivist
Natalie Harrower  Educational Technologist
Paddi Leinster  Programme Manager
Kate McCarthy  Digital Archivist
Lorna Murphy  Executive Assistant
Sharon Webb  Knowledge Transfer Manager

Facilities
Hugh Shiels  Facilities Manager
Paul Mitchell  Services Officer

Foclóir na Nua-Ghaeilge
Ofíg Bhaile Átha Cliath
Dèirdre D’Auria  Eagarthóir Cúnta
Ellis Ní Mhearraí  Clárbaisteoir
Ofíg Dhún na nGall
Pádraig Mac Con Uladh  Cúntóir Taighde
Cáit Mhac Fhionnlaoich  Bainisteoir
Caroline Nó Chasaide  Próisealaití Teacsanna
Eithne Nó Ghallchobhair  Eagarthóir Cúnta
Nóra Ó Ceallaigh  Próisealaití Teacsanna
Nóra Ó Ghallchóir  Próisealaití Teacsanna

Human Resources
Róisín Quigley  Head of HR
Jemma Lyons  HR Assistant

Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Sarah Gearty  Cartographic Editor and Project Administrator
Frank Cullen  Editorial Assistant
Jennifer Moore  Editorial Assistant

Irish Humanities Alliance
Aodhain De Búrca  Communications and Outreach Manager
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STANDING COMMITTEES

Advisory Committee on the Assessment of Candidates for Membership

The Science Advisory Subcommittee met three times in 2014
The Polite Literature and Antiquities Advisory Subcommittee met four times in 2014

The Polite Literature and Antiquities Advisory Subcommittee
Mary E. Daly—President (Chair)
Pádraig Breatnach
Daniel Carey
John FitzGerald
Robert Gerwarth
Jonathan Gorman
Sinisa Malesevic
Christopher Morash
Mary O'Dowd
Rosalind M.O. Pritchard
Geraldine Sheridan
Sally Wheeler

The Science Advisory Subcommittee
Roger G.H. Downer—Senior Vice-President (Chair)
Dermot Diamond
Celia V. Holland
Christine Maggs
Aaron Maule
John McCloskey
John McGarvey
Donal O'Regan
Eoin O'Reilly
Thomas Ray
Richard Reilly

In attendance to both subcommittees
John Maguire—Senior Programme Manager

Review Committee on Honorary Membership

The Review Committee on Honorary Membership met twice in 2014

Mary E. Daly—President (Chair)
John F. McGilp—Treasurer
Review Committee on Council Nominated Members

The Review Committee for Council Nominated Members met once in 2014

Mary E. Daly—President (Chair)
Vani K. Borooah—Secretary
Imelda Maher—PL&A Secretary
Eugene T. Kennedy—Science Secretary
Jane Conroy
David Dickson
Rose Anne Kenny
P. Gerry McKenna

In attendance
Rebecca Gageby—Head of Programmes and Administration

North-South Standing Committee

The North-South Standing Committee met twice in 2014

Vani K. Borooah (Chair)
Roger G.H. Downer—Senior Vice-President
David N. Livingstone
P. Gerry McKenna
Mary O’Donnell
Rosalind M. O. Pritchard
John J. Strain
Jennifer Todd

In attendance
Pauric Dempsey—Head of Communications and Public Affairs

Academic Board

The Academic Board met twice in 2014

Vani K. Borooah—Secretary (Chair)
Eugene T. Kennedy—Science Secretary (Vice chair)
Imelda Maher—PL&A Secretary (Vice chair)
In attendance
Pauric Dempsey—Head of Communications and Public Affairs
Rebecca Gageby—Head of Programmes and Administration
Sinéad Riordan—Head of Policy and International Relations

Policy Oversight Group
The Policy Oversight Group met four times in 2014

Michael Peter Kennedy—International Relations Secretary (Chair)
Eugene T. Kennedy—Science Secretary
Imelda Maher—PL&A Secretary
Patrick M. Shannon
Sally Wheeler

In attendance
Sinéad Riordan—Head of Policy and International Relations

Library Committee
The Library Committee met twice in 2014

Mary E. Daly—President (Chair)
Vani K. Borooah—Secretary
John F. McGilp—Treasurer
John Bartlett
Mary Clayton
James Kelly
Ruairí Ó hUiginn
Eda Sagarra

In attendance
Laura Mahoney—Executive Secretary
Siobhán Fitzpatrick—Librarian

Publications Committee
The Publications Committee met four times in 2014

Mary E. Daly—President (Chair)
John F. McGilp—Treasurer
IT Advisory Committee
The IT Advisory Committee met three times in 2014
Alan Smeaton (Chair)
Wayne Aherne—Head of IT (Secretary)
Laura Mahoney—Executive Secretary
Siobhán Fitzpatrick—Librarian
Barbara McConalogue

Commemoration Committee
The Commemoration Committee met once in 2014
Vani K. Borooah—Secretary
Pauric Dempsey—Head of Communications and Public Affairs
Siobhán Fitzpatrick—Librarian
Ruth Hegarty—Managing Editor of Publications
Michael Kennedy—Executive Editor, Documents on Irish Foreign Policy
Marian Lyons
James Quinn—Managing Editor, Dictionary of Irish Biography
Éibhear Walshe

Risk Management Steering Committee
The Risk Management Steering Committee met three times in 2014
Laura Mahoney—Executive Secretary (Chair)
Rebecca Gageby—Head of Programmes and Administration
Roisin Quigley—Head of HR
Michael Kennedy—Executive Editor, Documents on Irish Foreign Policy
Wayne Aherne—Head of IT
Anita Griffin—Programme Manager, Art and Architecture of Ireland project
**MULTIDISCIPLINARY COMMITTEES**

as at 31 December 2014

The Multidisciplinary Committees were established in September 2014 and met twice in 2014. Each committee has five or more MRIAs among its membership.

**Climate Change and Environmental Sciences**

Michael B. Jones, Trinity College Dublin (Chair)
Ray Bates, University College Dublin
Geraldine Cusack, Siemens
Margaret Desmond, University College Cork
Trevor Donnellan, Teagasc
Roxan Fealy, Maynooth University
Pat Goodman, Dublin Institute of Technology
Mary Kelly, An Bord Pleanála
Matthew Kennedy, Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland
Gerard Kiely, University College Cork
Christine Maggs, Queen’s University Belfast
Frank McGovern, Environmental Protection Agency
Ray McGrath, Met Éireann
Colin O’Dowd, National University of Ireland, Galway
Henrike Rau, National University of Ireland, Galway
Aine Ryall, University College Cork
Diarmuid Torney, Dublin City University

In attendance
Rebecca Farrell—Programme Manager

**Coiste Léann na Gaeilge, Litriocht na Gaeilge agus na gCultúr Ceilteach**

Nollaig Ó Muraíle, National University of Ireland, Galway (Chair)
Nicholas Carolan, Irish Traditional Music Archive
Síle de Cléir, University of Limerick
Gerard Long, National Library of Ireland
Patricia Lysaght, University College Dublin
Liam Mac Mathúna, University College Dublin
Ciaráin Mac Murchadhdh, St Patrick’s College, DCU
Máiread Nic Craith, Heriot-Watt University
Máirín Nic Eon, St. Patrick’s College, DCU
Maire Nic Mhaoláin
Pádraig Ó Mianáin, Foras na Gaeilge
Ailbhe Ó Corráin, University of Ulster
Ruairí Ó hUiginn, Maynooth University
David Stifter, Maynooth University
Alan Titley, University College Cork
Regina Úi Chollatáin, University College Dublin

In attendance
Eilís Ní Mhearraí—Clárbhainisteoir

Engineering and Computer Science
Alan Smeaton, Dublin City University (Chair)
Tom Brazil, University College Dublin
Conor Brennan, Dublin City University
Stefan Decker, National University of Ireland, Galway
Gerald Farrell, Dublin Institute of Technology
Michael Gilchrist, University College Dublin
Jane Grimison, Trinity College Dublin
Fiona Lyddy, Maynooth University
James McLaughlin, University of Ulster
Padraic O’Donoghue, National University of Ireland, Galway
Martin O’Roma, University of Limerick
Damien Owens, Engineers Ireland
Richard Reilly, Trinity College Dublin

In attendance
Rebecca Farrell—Programme Manager

Ethical, Political, Legal and Philosophical Studies
John Morison, Queen’s University Belfast (Chair)
Eoin Carolan, University College Dublin
John Coakley, University College Dublin
Maeve Cooke, University College Dublin
Yvonne Daly, Dublin City University
Jonathan Gorman, Queen’s University Belfast
Noelle Higgins, Maynooth University
Louise Mallinder, University of Ulster
Margaret O’Callaghan, Queen’s University Belfast
Noreen O’Carroll, Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland
Andrew Power, Institute of Art Design and Technology
Theresa Reidy, University College Cork
Birgit Schippers, St Mary’s University College
Mary Shanahan, National University of Ireland, Galway
Peter Simons, Trinity College Dublin

In attendance
Gilly Clarke—Programme Manager
Geosciences and Geographical Sciences

Patrick M. Shannon, University College Dublin (Chair)
David Chew, Trinity College Dublin
Marie Cowan, Geological Survey of Northern Ireland
Catherine Dalton, Mary Immaculate College
Anna Davies, Trinity College Dublin
Nuala Johnson, Queen’s University Belfast
Alan Jones, Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies
Alun Jones, University College Dublin
Adrian Kavanagh, Maynooth University
Gerry Kearns, Maynooth University
Marie Mahon, National University of Ireland, Galway
Paula J. Reimer, Queen’s University Belfast
Koen Verbruggen, Geological Survey of Ireland
John Walsh, University College Dublin
Andy Wheeler, University College Cork

In attendance
Rebecca Farrell—Programme Manager

Historical Studies

Steven G. Ellis, National University of Ireland, Galway (Chair)
Damian Bracken, University College Cork
Conor Brady, Dundalk Institute of Technology
Sean Connolly, Queen’s University Belfast
B. Gabriel Cooney, University College Dublin
Martine Cuypers, Trinity College Dublin
Edward Herring, National University of Ireland, Galway
Marian, Lyons, Maynooth University
Emily Mark-Fitzgerald, University College Dublin
Eoghan Moloney, Maynooth University
Eunan O’Halpin, Trinity College Dublin
Gill Phunkett, Queen’s University Belfast
Jennifer Redmond, Maynooth University
Andrew Smith, University College Dublin
Roger A. Stalley, Trinity College Dublin
Rónán Swan, Standing Committee for Archaeology
Elizabeth Twohig, Standing Committee for Archaeology
Richard Warner, Former Keeper, Ulster Museum

In attendance
John Maguire—Senior Programme Manager
Life and Medical Sciences
Catherine Godson, University College Dublin (Chair)
Tom Cotter, University College Cork
Mark Crowe, University College Dublin
P. Gerry McKenna, University of Ulster
Jennifer McManus, Maynooth University
Ewen Mullins, Teagasc
Tim O’Brien, National University of Ireland, Galway
William O’Connor, University of Limerick
Richard O’Kennedy, Dublin City University
Colm O’Morain, Trinity College Dublin
James Paul O’Neill, Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland
Maria O’Sullivan, Trinity College Dublin
Heather Ruskin, Dublin City University
Marian Traynor, Queen’s University Belfast
Steve Watterson, University of Ulster

in attendance
Rebecca Farrell—Programme Manager

Physical, Chemical and Mathematical Sciences
Thomas Ray, Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies (Chair)
Sheila Gilheany, Institute of Physics
Patrick Guiry, University College Dublin
Graeme Horley, Science Foundation Ireland
Edmond Magner, University of Limerick
Martin Mathieu, Queen’s University Belfast
Benjamin McKay, University College Cork
Tony O’Farrell, Maynooth University
Eoin O’Reilly, University College Cork
Rachel Quinlan, National University of Ireland, Galway
Michael Seery, Dublin Institute of Technology
Richard Timsney, Trinity College Dublin
Peter van der Burgt, Maynooth University
Chris Watson, Queen’s University Belfast
Mateus Webba da Silva, University of Ulster

in attendance
Rebecca Farrell—Programme Manager
Social Sciences

Rosalind M.O. Pritchard, University of Ulster (Chair)
Linda Connolly, University College Cork
Eoin Devereux, University of Limerick
Hastings Donnan, Queen’s University Belfast
Noel Dorr, Standing Committee for International Affairs
Sibel Erduran, University of Limerick
Claire Hamilton, Queen’s University Belfast
Emma Heffernan, Anthropological Association of Ireland
Felicity Kelliher, Waterford Institute of Technology
Malcolm MacLachlan, Trinity College Dublin
John McHale, National University of Ireland, Galway
Stephen Mennell, University College Dublin
Niamh Moore-Cherry, University College Dublin
Aiding Murray, Economic and Social Research Institute
Maria Slowey, Dublin City University
Ben Tonra, Standing Committee for International Affairs
Karl Whelan, University College Dublin
Siobhan Wills, University of Ulster

In attendance
Gilly Clarke—Programme Manager

Study of Languages, Literature, Culture and Communication

Dennis Kennedy, Trinity College Dublin (Chair)
Jennifer Bruen, Dublin City University
Mark Burnett, Queen’s University Belfast
Adrian Frazier, National University of Ireland, Galway
Gisela Hoffet, University of Limerick
Michael Howlett, Waterford Institute of Technology
Bettina Migge, University College Dublin
Christopher Monash, Trinity College Dublin
Mairead Moriarty, University of Limerick
Chris Mulhall, Waterford Institute of Technology
Anna Ni Ghallachair, Maynooth University
Anne O’Connor, National University of Ireland, Galway
Finola O’Kane Crimmins, University College Dublin
Maria Pramaggiore, Maynooth University
Geraldine Sheridan, University of Limerick
Karyn Stapleton, University of Ulster
Éibhear Walshe, University College Cork
Harry White, University College Dublin

In attendance
Gilly Clarke—Programme Manager
Standing Committee for Archaeology

Rónán Swan, National Roads Authority (Chair)
Terry Barry, Trinity College Dublin
Katarina Becker, University College Cork
Fiona Beglane, IT Sligo
Stefan Berg, National University of Ireland, Galway
Edel Bhreathnach, Discovery Programme
Ed Bourke, Department of Environment, Heritage and Local Government
Martin Byrne, Byrne Mullins & Associates, Archaeological Consultants
Mary Cahill, National Museum of Ireland
B. Gabriel Cooney, University College Dublin
Tracy Collins, Aegis Archaeology
Ed Donovan, Road Safety Authority of Ireland
Ian Doyle, Heritage Council
Wes Forsythe, University of Ulster
Audrey Horning, Queen’s University Belfast
Ruth Johnson, Dublin City Council
Sinead McCartan, National Museums Northern Ireland
Nessa O’Connor, National Museum of Ireland
John O’Keeffe, Northern Ireland Environment Agency
Aidan O’Sullivan, University College Dublin
Elizabeth Twohig, University College Cork

In attendance
John Maguire—Senior Programme Manager

Standing Committee for International Affairs

Ben Tonra, University College Dublin (Chair)
Noel Dorr
John Doyle, Dublin City University
Gerard Keown, Department of Foreign Affairs
Cait Moran, Irish Aid, Department of Foreign Affairs
Ray Murphy, National University of Ireland, Galway
Ciaran Murphy, Department of Defence
Mervyn O’Driscoll, University College Cork
Kate O’Malley, Assistant Editor, Documents on Irish Foreign Policy

In attendance
John Maguire—Senior Programme Manager
STRATEGIC PLAN
2013–2018

Implementation Working Groups

In total there were eleven meetings of the Strategic Plan Implementation Working Groups in 2014

All-Island and International Relations
Ken Bell (IC) (Chair) (until March 2014)
Mary Canning
P. Gerry McKenna
Jane Conroy
Pauric Dempsey (IC)
Linde Lunney

Public Engagement
Roger G.H. Downer (IC) (Chair)
Catherine Godson
Kathleen James-Chakraborty
Rebecca Gageby (IC)
Natalie Harrower

Policy
Michael Peter Kennedy (IC) (Chair)
Brian Nolan
Pat M. Shannon
Sally Wheeler
Sinead Riordan (IC)
Sandra Collins

Centre for Irish Research
Attracta Ingram (IC) (until April 2014) (Chair)
Adrian Frazier
Mary E. Daly
Eugene T. Kennedy (from October 2014)
Helena King (IC)
Jennifer Moore

Membership
Vani K. Borooah (IC) (Chair)
George Sevastopulo
Celia V. Holland
Andrew Carpenter
John Maguire (IC)
Siobhan Fitzpatrick

Sustainable Academy
John F. McGilp (IC) (Chair)
Imelda Maher (until May 2014)
Mary Kelly
Ken Bloomfield
Laura Mahoney (IC)
Déirdre D’Auria

IC: Implementation Committee
DISCOURSES AND MASTERCLASSES

Discourses 2014

13 JANUARY
Professor Paul Seabright
Can modern biology help in understanding gender conflicts in the 21st century home and workplace?

17 FEBRUARY
Professor Luke Drury, President of the Royal Irish Academy (until March 2014)
Academies, Values and Value

27 MAY
Professor Werner Nahm MRIA
The Date of Hammurabi

06 JUNE
Professor Richard Bellamy
International Human Rights and Democratic Public Ethics
University of Limerick

18 SEPTEMBER
Professor John McNeill
Global Environmental History since 1945: Into the Anthropocene

07 NOVEMBER
Professor Sir David Spiegelhalter
Why it’s good to take risks. Possibly

21 NOVEMBER
Dr Penelope Curtis
The Discipline of Sculpture: Rupture and Continuity
National Gallery of Ireland

Masterclasses

13 January The ‘Seabright Masterclass’ given by Professor Paul Seabright
14 April The ‘Bell Burnell Masterclass’ given by Dame Professor Jocelyn Bell Burnell, Hon MRIA
29 May The ‘Kenny Masterclass’ given by Professor Rose Anne Kenny MRIA
05 June The ‘Women in Science Masterclass’ given by Professor Silvia Giordani
06 June The ‘Bellamy Masterclass’ given by Professor Richard Bellamy
29 July The ‘Hoffmann Masterclass’ given by Professor Jules Hoffmann
18 September The ‘McNeill Masterclass’ by Professor John McNeill
16 October The ‘Hamilton Masterclass’ with Professor Cedric Villani, Hon MRIA
05 November The ‘Field Masterclass’ with Professor Chris Field
07 November The ‘Spiegelhalter Masterclass’ with Professor Sir David Spiegelhalter
Events and Footfall Numbers

The Academy welcomed and hosted over 25,000 attendees at a variety of events and meetings in 2014.

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<td>2014 Overall Footfall*</td>
<td>25,065</td>
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*This estimate records total footfall through Academy House including staff and committee meeting attendance; project and Library activity; exhibition attendance; and RIA events held off site.

Meetings and events include:
- Academy discourses
- Academy masterclasses
- Public lectures
- Invitation lectures
- Library visits
- Library lunchtime lectures
- Regional meetings
- Academy discussion forums and workshops
- Committee discussion forums
- Academy conferences
- Academy hosted events
- Ceremonies
- Publication launches and events
- Exhibitions
- Project meetings
- Internal meetings
- Academy meetings
- Multidisciplinary committee meetings
- Standing committee meetings
- Outside events
ACADEMY PRIZES AND MEDALS AWARDED

Gold Medals 2013
Professor Rob Kitchin, Social Sciences Medal
Professor Colin O'Dowd MRIA, Environmental Sciences and Geosciences Medal

Cunningham Medal 2013-14
Professor Patrick Honohan MRIA

Young Chemist Prize 2013
Dr Bo Yang, Queen's University Belfast
Essay Title: Selective Hydrogenation of Acetylene: Fundamental Elucidation by a Combined Experimental and Theoretical Approach

Hamilton Prize Winners 2014
Ewan Dalby Trinity College Dublin
James J. Horan Dublin City University
Rian Hughes Maynooth University
Beverley Claire Davidson Queen's University Belfast
Shane Walsh University College Dublin
Rohan Slevin Dublin Institute of Technology
Michael Welby National University of Ireland, Galway
Brendan Ryan University of Limerick
Anna King University College Cork
MAIN RIA EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES 2014

July 2013 – February
• Library
Exhibition: Aon Amharc ar Éirinn

16 January
• Digital Repository of Ireland
Workshop: ‘Data Protection Issues for Trusted Digital Repositories: Challenges and Solutions’

23 January
• RIA Literatures in English Committee
Book Launch: *Imagination in the Classroom: Teaching and Learning Creative Writing in Ireland*, Anne Fogarty, Eilis Ní Dhuibhne, Eibhear Walshe (editors)

04 February
• Policy
Discussion Seminar: ‘Models of Bicameralism’

20 February
• RIA Ceremony
Gold Medals Award: Colin O’Dowd MRIA, NUIG and Professor Rob Kitchin, Maynooth University

25 February
• Library
Lunchtime Lecture: ‘The Vikings in Ireland: the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly’, Dáibhí Ó Cróinín MRIA, NUIG

March – June
• Library
Exhibition: The Battle of Clontarf

04 March
• Library
Lunchtime Lecture: ‘Winners and Losers at the Battle of Clontarf’, Seán Duffy, TCD
06 March
• Digital Repository of Ireland
  Symposium: “Medical Humanities: New Frontiers, or Back to the Past?”

10 March
• RIA Ceremony
  Cunningham Medal Award: Patrick Honohan MRIA
  Cunningham Medal Lecture: ‘Irish Exceptionalism in the World Economy’, Patrick Honohan MRIA

11 March
• Library
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘The Battle of Clontarf in Irish history and legend’, Colm Lennon MRIA, Maynooth University

18 March
• Library
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘The Battle of Clontarf story in eighteenth- and nineteenth-century Irish manuscripts’ Meidhbhín Ní Urdail, UCD

25 March
• Digital Repository of Ireland
  Workshop: ‘Creative Commons 4.0 Licence—what’s new and why it’s important’

01 April
• Library
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘Dál Cais, Déis, Ó Briain—changing places, changing identities’, Donnchadh Ó Corráin MRIA, UCC

07 April
• RIA Programmes
  Public Lectures: Dublin Talks series, Smock Alley, Dublin

08 April
• Library
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘The Battle of Clontarf: the archaeological evidence?’ Stephen Harrison, UCD

17 April
• Policy
  Consultation Forum: ‘STEM education in Ireland’
30 April–01 May
• Academy Conference
  URSI Colloquium: ‘Communications and Radio Science into the 21st Century’

07 May
• Publications
  Academy Forum/Workshop with Adobe: ‘The possibilities of publishing to the app stores’

22 May
• Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Academy Forum/Workshop: ‘Digital advances in atlas projects in Ireland, the Czech Republic and Germany’

22 May
• Library
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘Power and Politics in late Viking-Age Denmark’, Anne Pedersen, National Museum of Denmark, Copenhagen

22 May
• Library
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘Ireland, Norway and Iceland in the second half of the thirteenth century’, Jón Viðar Sigurðsson, Maynooth University

22 May
• Publications
  Book Launch: Early Medieval Ireland AD 400–1100: the Evidence from Archaeological Excavations, Aidan O’Sullivan, Finbar McCormick, Thomas Kerr, Lorcan Hanley (authors)

23 May
• Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Seminar: ‘Maps and Texts: Using the IHTA—Georgian and Victorian Towns’

30 May
• RIA Ceremony
  Admission Day for New Members 2014

26 June
• Digital Repository of Ireland
July 2014 – January 2015
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Exhibition: Mapping city, town and country since 1824: the Ordnance Survey in Ireland

27 August
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Lunchtime Lecture for Heritage Week: ‘The map-making of the Ordnance Survey: Challenges on every front’, Jacinta Prunty, Maynooth University

08 September
• Public Lecture: ‘The Scottish Referendum—different roads to the same place’, Michael Keating, University of Aberdeen

17 September
• Policy
  Academy Forum/Workshop: Future Earth Townhall

19 September
• Library / Publications / Dictionary of Irish Biography / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Public event: Culture Night

25 September
• Publications
  Discussion: ‘Connemara and Elsewhere — a conversation with Tim Robinson, John Elder and Nicolas Fève’, hosted by Vincent Woods
  Launch: Connemara and Elsewhere, Jane Conroy MRIA (ed.), Nicolas Fève, John Elder, Tim Robinson MRIA (authors)

29 September
• Publications
  Launch: Spatial Justice and the Irish Crisis, Gerry Kearns, David Meredith, John Morrissey (eds)

30 September
• Publications
  Launch: Connemara and Elsewhere, Jane Conroy MRIA (ed.), Nicolas Fève, John Elder, Tim Robinson MRIA (authors), NUIG

01 October
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
06 October
• Public Lecture: 'Revolutionary Generation', Roy Foster, Hon MRIA

08 October
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Lunchtime Lecture: 'Translations? The Ordnance Survey and Irish place-names', Nollaig Ó Muraíle MRIA, NUI Galway, with Paul Walsh, Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht

15 October
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Lunchtime Lecture: "George Petrie's 'Topographical Department' (1835-42)", Paul Walsh, Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht

16 October
• Public Conversation
  'When the Engineer met the Mathematician', Salam Al-Sabah and Cédric Villani, Hon MRIA. Moderated by Aoibhinn Ní Shúilleabháin

16 October
• RIA Ceremony
  Hamilton Prize Awards: Ewan Dalby, James J. Horan, Rian Hughes, Beverley Claire Davidson, Shane Walsh, Rohan Slevin, Michael Welby, Brendan Ryan, Anna King

16 October
• Hamilton Lecture: ‘Thinking the inaccessible—large time behaviours, from infinitely small to infinitely large to infinitely long’ Cédric Villani, Hon MRIA, Burke Theatre, TCD

21 October
• Publications
  Launch: Judging W.T. Cosgrave, Michael Laffan, UCD

22 October
• Library

22 October
• Library / Publications
  Launch: Glimpses of Ireland’s past: the Ordnance Survey Memoir Drawings: Topography and Technique, Angélique Day, Ulster Historical Foundation
23 October
- Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  IHTA Western Towns Seminar: ‘Learning from the past, mapping our future’, in conjunction with the Hunt Museum, Limerick, and Clare County Library

29 October
- Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Library Lunchtime Lecture: ‘John O’Donovan’s work for the Ordnance Survey’, Michael Herity MRIA

30 October
- Digital Repository of Ireland
  Public Lecture: ‘Mapping the Mad God’s Dream: text mining, literature, and the city’ by Jon Oberlander, University of Edinburgh

31 October
- Digital Repository of Ireland
  Invited workshop: Future of Digital Humanities in Ireland, Alan Smeaton MRIA, Insight @ DCU

05 November
- Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Lunchtime Lecture: ‘From Rocque to the Ordnance Survey: mapping Dublin 1756 to 1847’, Rob Goodbody

05 November
- Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Public Lecture: ‘Dublin 1756–1847’, Rob Goodbody, Shankill, County Dublin

06 November
- Irish Historic Towns Atlas
  Launch: Irish Historic Towns Atlas no. 26, Dublin Part III 1756 to 1847, Rob Goodbody

06 November
- Policy
  Academy Forum/Workshop: ‘Research Infrastructures’

10 November
- Grants
  Seminar: Annual Excavation Grants Reporting Seminar
12 November
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Lunchtime Lecture: ‘Dublin in 1847: city of the Ordnance Survey’, Frank Cullen, IHTA

13 November
• RIA Classics Colloquium
Public Lecture: ‘The economy, politics and sociology of city and countryside in classical Athens’, Robin Osborne, King’s College Cambridge

14 November
• RIA Classics Colloquium
Conference: ‘City and Countryside in the Ancient World’

16 November
• Art and Architecture of Ireland
Dublin Launch: Art and Architecture of Ireland (5 vols), Mansion House, Dublin

17 November
• Art and Architecture of Ireland
Belfast Launch: Art and Architecture of Ireland (5 vols), City Hall, Belfast

17 November
• Policy
Invitation Lecture: ‘Excellent Research: Ireland and the European Research Council’ by Jean-Pierre Bourguignon, President, European Research Council

19 November
• Library / Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Lunchtime Lecture: ‘Ordnance Survey Ireland: mapping our future’, Colin Bray, Chief Executive, Ordnance Survey Ireland

20 November
• Documents on Irish Foreign Policy
Launch: Documents on Irish Foreign Policy IX, 1948-1951, Iveagh House, Dublin

21 November
• Art and Architecture of Ireland
Academy Conference: ‘Where is Art History Today?’, National Gallery of Ireland
01 December
• Policy
Invitation Lecture—Leaders in Higher Education Address: “The Education of Ireland”, Ruairí Quinn TD

02 December
• Foclóir na Nua-Ghaeilge
Launch: Focal Fholaithe ón bhFichiú hAois – Bailliúchán Neamhfoilsithe den Ghaeilge Labhartha

05 December
• Library / Publications
Launch: Glimpses of Ireland’s Past: The Ordnance Survey Memoir Drawings: Topography and Technique, Angélique Day (Author), Belfast Society Building
PUBLICATIONS

Early Medieval Ireland AD 400–1100: the evidence from archaeological excavations Authors: Aidan O’Sullivan, Finbar McCormick, Thomas Kerr, Lorcan Harney • March 2014

Spatial Justice and the Irish Crisis Editors: Gerry Kearns, David Meredith, John Morrissey • September 2014

Connemara and Elsewhere Editor: Jane Conroy. Authors: Nicolas Fève, John Elder, Tim Robinson • September 2014

Judging Cosgrave Michael Laffan • October 2014

Glimpses of Ireland’s Past- the Ordnance Survey Memoir Drawings: topography and technique Author: Angélique Day • October 2014

Art and Architecture of Ireland, Volume III: Sculpture Yale University Press. Editor: Paula Murphy • October 2014


Art and Architecture of Ireland, Volume V: Twentieth Century Yale University Press. Editors: Catherine Marshall, Peter Murray • October 2014

Irish Historic Towns Atlas no. 26, Dublin Part III, 1756 to 1847 Author: Rob Goodbody • November 2014

Documents on Irish Foreign Policy IX: 1948–1951 Editors: Michael Kennedy, Caitriona Crove • November 2014

Mathematical Proceedings of the Royal Irish Academy: Volume 114 (2014), Issue 1 Editor: Martin Mathieu • July 2014

Mathematical Proceedings of the Royal Irish Academy: Volume 114 (2014), Issue 2 Editor: Martin Mathieu • October 2014
Biology and Environment: Proceedings of the Royal Irish Academy: Volume 114 (2014), Issue 1
Editor: Bruce Osborne • June 2014

Editor: Bruce Osborne • November 2014

Special Issue: Small Water Bodies: Importance Threats and Knowledge Gaps
Editors: Mary Kelly-Quinn and Jan-Robert Baars • December 2014

Proceedings of the Royal Irish Academy, Section C: Volume 114 (2014)
Editors: Elizabeth FitzPatrick, James Kelly • November 2014

Editors: Ian Sanders, Matthew Parkes • December 2014

Ériu: Volume 63 (2013)
Editors: Liam Breathnach, Damian McManus • March 2014

Annual Review
November 2014

Academies, Values and Value: Presidential address to the Royal Irish Academy
Author: Luke O’Connor Drury • February 2014

Members’ handbook
May 2014

Stationery line: Art and Architecture notecards, notebook and bag • November 2014

Stationery line: Dublin Part III notecards, notebook and bag • November 2014
GRANTS RAISED AND SPONSORSHIP AWARDED TO THE ACADEMY

Total: €972,752*

Project or department: Dictionary of Medieval Latin from Celtic Sources
Funders: Irish Research Council
Award or activity supported: Government of Ireland Postdoctoral Fellowship (two years)

Project or department: Library
Funders: Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht (Small Capital Grants Scheme 2014)
Award or activity supported: Purchase of IT equipment for digital projects (including Members Certificates, 1785–1920)

Project or department: Library
Funders: The Heritage Council (Heritage Management Grant Scheme 2014)
Award or activity supported: Conservation and digitisation of RIA MSS 3 D 2; 3 D 3 (antiquarian drawings)

Project or Department: Foclóir na Nua-Ghaeilge
Funders: An Roinn Ealaíon, Oidhreachta agus Gaeltachta, Scéimeanna Tacaíochta Gaeilge
Award or Activity Supported: Oifig FNG, An Charraig, Co. Dhún na nGall

Project or Department: Foclóir na Nua-Ghaeilge
Funders: An Roinn Ealaíon, Oidhreachta agus Gaeltachta, Scéimeanna Tacaíochta Gaeilge
Award or Activity Supported: Digitisation of Irisleabhar na Gaedhilge

Project or department: Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Funders: Waterford County Council
Award or activity supported: IHTA Dungarvan

Project or department: Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Funders: Dublin City Council
Award or activity supported: Dublin 1847: City of the Ordnance Survey
Project or department: Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Funders: Wexford County Council
Award or activity supported: IHTA New Ross

Project or department: Publications
Funders: Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht (Commemoration Fund)
Award or activity supported: ‘Judging’ book series

Project or department: Publications
Funders: NUIG Foundation
Award or activity supported: Connemara and Elsewhere

Project or department: Publications
Funders: Environmental Protection Agency
Award or activity supported: Sponsorship of Biology and Environment Special Issue on Small Water Bodies

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Science Foundation Ireland
Award or activity supported: Insight – Ireland’s National Data Analytics Research Centre

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Irish Research Council (Interdisciplinary Research Projects Grants Scheme 2013)
Award or activity supported: Irish Record Linkage, 1864-1913

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht & UCD
Award or activity supported: Dúchas

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Science Foundation Ireland & TIDA
Award or activity supported: Social Repository of Ireland

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Science Foundation Ireland & TIDA
Award or activity supported: Personalised Linked Open Tours

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Science Foundation Ireland
Award or activity supported: Research Data Alliance 2014 Plenary

Project or department: Digital Repository of Ireland
Funders: Enterprise Ireland
Award or activity supported: Co-ordinator Grant and Travel Grants
Project or department: Programmes Department
Funders: Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht (National Monuments Service)
Award or activity supported: Archaeology Research Excavation Grants **

Project or department: Documents on Irish Foreign Policy
Funders: Department of Foreign Affairs
Award or activity supported: Annual funding

Project or department: Programmes Department
Funders: Arup
Award or activity supported: Hamilton Day

Project or department: Programmes Department
Funders: Higher Education Authority
Award or activity supported: Gold Medals

Project or department: Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Funders: Dublin City Council
Award or activity supported: IHTA Dublin III launch

Project or department: Irish Historic Towns Atlas
Funders: National Forum for the Enhancement of Teaching and Learning
Award or activity supported: Third-level IHTA User’s Group

*Total includes all grants raised or awarded including full amounts of multi-annual and annual awards

**Includes the overhead awarded to the RIA to manage funds and not does not include funds dispersed as grants
GRANT AND AWARD ASSESSMENT PANELS

Charlemont Assessment Panel (Humanities Section)
Imelda Maher (Chair)
Seán Connolly, QUB
Iséult Honohan, UCD
Dan Carey, NUIG

Charlemont Assessment Panel (Science Section)
This panel also assesses the RIA-RS International Cost Share Programme Awards
Eugene T. Kennedy (Chair)
Paula J. Reimer, QUB
Jane Grimson, TCD
William Spillane, NUIG

Hunter Grants Panel
Mary E. Daly (Chair)
John Morrill, Cambridge University
James McGuire, UCD

Gold Medals Assessment Panel (Humanities Section)
Imelda Maher (Chair)
John Brewer, QUB
Daniel Carey, NUIG
Maeve Cooke, UCD
Marie Therese Flanagan, QUB
Pádraig Ó Ríain, UCC

Gold Medals Assessment Panel (Physical and Mathematical Sciences Section)
Eugene T. Kennedy (Chair)
Tom Brazil, UCD
Dervilla Donnelly, DIAS
James Gleeson, UL
John McGarvey, QUB
David Spearman, TCD

Information seminars on Charlemont Grants
University of Limerick – 25 September 2014
Dublin City University – 07 October 2014
Waterford Institute of Technology – 09 October 2014
GRANTS AWARDED IN 2014

Mobility Grants

Dr Charlotte Blease, UCD
Assessing lay views on how cognitive behavioural therapy works • €1,875

Dr Luna Dolezal, TCD
The phenomenology of self-presentation • €1,090

Dr Declan Fahie, UCD
The experience of LGBT teachers in Irish and American Catholic schools: commonalities and divergences • €1,378

Dr Sarah Gibney, UCD
The health of Ireland’s skills: a comparative health check of adult skills and health literacy in Ireland and Europe • €2,164

Dr Mark Jones, UCD
German responses to the Belliss trial 1913 • €1,100

Dr James Kapalo, UCC
Romania and Moldova’s home-grown religious movements and the Holocaust • €2,250

Dr Sean Lucey, QUB
Public health in twentieth-century Belfast: the view from London and comparable perspectives • €1,180

Dr Anne Markey, TCD
William Godwin’s juvenile library: the pragmatics of publishing and the politics of dissent • €930

Dr Christopher Mulhall, WIT
Developing a common European framework reference (CEFR) based learner’s electronic corpus for students of Irish • €977

Dr Mary O’Connell
The personal papers of John Murray II: an investigation into the correspondence with his wife, Annie Murray • €2,000

Dr Eóin O’Donoghue, NUIG
The Etruscan Male: Gender and social identity in pre-Roman Italy • €2,189

Dr Federico Pagello, QUB
Transnational crime narratives in film and print culture (1880–1940) • €2,025

Dr Geraldine Scanlon, DCU
Promoting inclusion for students with emotional and behavioural difficulties (EBD) in mainstream post-primary education in Ireland and Poland. Interventions to support change in teacher attitudes and practice • €2,180

Dr Florence Abram, NUIG
‘Unravelling microbial community structure in anaerobic digestion systems using next-generation sequencing data’ • €1,090

Dr Manus Biggs, NUIG
Topographical modification of conducting polymer films via nanoimprint lithography • €970
Dr Mattia Cremona, RCSI
Evaluation of the effects of a novel PI3K inhibitor on protein pathways in a panel of breast cancer cell lines • €1,400

Dr Ciaran Finucane, TILDA, TCD
Neurovascular Ageing and Space: Applying Lessons from Space Medicine to Inform our Understanding of Cerebrovascular Ageing During Orthostasis • €2,300

Dr Edmund Lalor, TCD
Human auditory attention in naturalistic environments: flexibility and task specific effects assessed using simultaneous electroencephalography and magnetoencephalography • €2,200

Dr Niall Moran, MU
Investigations of a hierarchy of trial wave-functions for experimentally observed fractional quantum Hall states • €1,624

Dr Mohammed Noor, UL
Structural investigation of thermophilic respiratory complexes using X-ray free electron laser • €2,500

Dr Vit Sipal, DIT
Utilisation of Circularly Polarized electromagnetic waves to reduce power consumption of short range wireless sensor networks • €1,225

Dr Wuu Kuang Soh, UCD
Tracking plant ecological strategies across three historical global warming events using leaf cuticle thickness proxy for lead ecological traits • €1,500

Dr Timothy Sullivan, DCU
Study and characterisation of nano-and microtopographic surface structure of biofouling prevention • €2,030

Dr James Sweeney, UCD
Bayesian statistical estimation of the timescales of past extreme climate change • €2,000

Dr Ted Vaughan, NUIG
Mesenchymal stem cell stimulation in the bone marrow microenvironment: a multiscale fluid-structure interaction approach • €1,900

Dr Pengfei Wang, DIT
An optical microfiber coupler surface plasmonic grating device and biosensing application • €2,000

Royal Irish Academy/Royal Society Cost Share Agreement
David O’Regan, TCD
Advanced new linear-scaling constrained density-functional theory approaches • €14,200

Claus Pahl, DCU
A semantic-driven cloud migration framework • €15,000
Eoin O’Mahoney Bursary in Irish History

Anne (Sparky) Booker, TCD
Research of the Irish clerical community living in Rome in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries and to trace the familial, political and regional affiliations of these clerics over the course of their career in Rome, and to generate a prosopography of this Irish community abroad. Surveying the penitentiary records in the Vatican archive with a view to identifying entries of Irish interest • €1,750

Barry Kennerk, St Patrick’s College, DCU
Britain and the Liberal Ideal – The State Response to Irish Nationalist Extremism during the 1890s. Investigating Irish reactions to the Queen’s Diamond Jubilee in 1897 • €300

Shay Kinsella, St Patrick’s College, DCU
Milford Mills and the creation of a gentry powerbase: the Alexanders of Co. Carlow, 1790–1870 • €750

Alan Noonan
The reinterpretation of the Irish participation in American industrial development and one particular expression of their experience, the Molly Maguires (1870s) • €2,000

Jennifer Nutall
Alexander Family in New Ross • €500

Jacinta Prunty, Maynooth University
To investigate the work of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd in Ireland • €1,500

Joseph Quinn, TCD
Irish personnel in the British Armed Forces during the Second World War • €700

Brian Sayers, Formerly Maynooth University
A full compilation of writings of the Fenian leader and Gaelic scholar John O’Mahony, which are archived in the United States • €1,000

Cathal Smith, NUIG
A comparison of the antebellum US South with nineteenth-century Ireland using case studies of Galway’s Lord Clonbrock and Mississippi’s John Quitman • €1,250

Archaeology Grants awarded

Excavation 2014

Michelle Comber
Excavations in Caherconnell townland, Co. Clare—post-excavation • €8,000

Paul Duffy
Grassroots Archaeology (Season 2) • €5,000

Richard Jennings
Excavation of Pleistocene deposits at Ballynamintra Cave, Co. Waterford • €5,000

Michael Lynch
Fanore More Shell Midden (post excavation) • €8,000

Catriona Moore and Stephen Davis
Excavations at the Hill of Ward, Co. Meath • €10,000

Richard O’Brien
Excavation of Rathnadrinna Fort, Cashel, Co. Tipperary 12E157 • €17,000

Matthew Seaver
Inis Cealtra Post Excavation and Publication Project • €10,000
Research 2014

Patrick Gleeson
The Defining the Rock of Cashel project
• €1,000

David McGuinness
A detailed survey and comparative analysis of some prominent earthworks in Co. Westmeath identified as ‘ringforts’ by the Archaeological Survey of Ireland
• €1,000

Paul O’Keeffe and Damian Shiels
The Kinsale battlefield project
• €1,000

Jessica Smyth and Michael Buckley
Identifying animals in the Irish Neolithic using proteins
• €1,000

C14 dates

Paul Duffy
Seagrange Road

Griffin Murray
Kilbarry

Stephen Davis
Hill of Ward

James Eogan and Elizabeth Twohig
Harristown passage tomb

Thomas Kador
Carrowkeel passage tomb complex
INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY MEETINGS

ALLEA—The Federation of All European Academies

• ALLEA Humanities and Social Sciences Horizon 2020 Working Group, Berlin
  Sinéad Riordan and Sandra Collins

• ALLEA prize for scholars with outstanding contributions to Europe as an intellectual and cultural entity. Award ceremony (awarded by President Barroso)
  Michael Peter Kennedy

• ALLEA General Assembly, Oslo
  Sinéad Riordan and Michael Peter Kennedy

• African – European – Mediterranean Academies for Science Education Conference, Rome
  Peter Mitchell

• ALLEA E-Humanities Working Group
  Sandra Collins (2 meetings)

• ALLEA Board Meeting, Jerusalem
  Michael Peter Kennedy

EASAC—The European Academies Science Advisory Council

• Meeting of the EASAC Working Group on Space
  Paul Callanan

• Meeting of the EASAC Steering Panel on Biosciences, Frankfurt
  Richard O'Kennedy (2 meetings)

• Castle Meeting of the EASAC Working Group on Antimicrobial drug discovery, greater steps ahead, Hannover
  Alan Dobson

• Meeting of the EASAC Environment Steering Panel, Belgian Academies of Sciences, Brussels
  John Sweeney (2 meetings)
• Meeting of the EASAC Energy Steering Panel, Paris and Brussels
  Mark O’Malley (2 meetings)

• EASAC Council & Bureau Meetings, Riga and Geneva
  Michael Peter Kennedy (3 meetings)

• Meeting of the EASAC Ecosystem Services, Agriculture, Pollinators and
  Predators Working Group, Brussels
  Jane Stout (2 meetings)

• Meeting of the EASAC Gain of Function Working Group, Frankfurt
  Bert Rima

ICSU—International Council for Science

• Annual Meeting, Munich
  Michael Peter Kennedy

Future Earth

• Meeting with Royal Society and British Academy, London
  Sinéad Riordan and Eugene T. Kennedy

• Meeting with European Alliance, Bern
  Paul Lynam
MEMBERS

New Members elected March 2014
Andrew Bowie
Ciaran Brady
Geraldine Byrne Nason
Daniel Carey
Dermot Diamond
Padraic Fallon
Iselt Honohan
Nuala Johnson
Morgan Kelly
Rose Anne Kenny
Stephen L. Kingon
Anita R. Maguire
Richard O’Kennedy
Mani Ramaswami
Paula J. Reimer

New Honorary Members elected November 2014
Colum Hourihane
Christopher A. Hunter
Alvin Jackson
Desmond King
Stephen Myers
Timothy Williamson

Regional meetings and events for Members
15 March Stated Meeting lunch at the Merrion Hotel, Dublin
06 June Regional meeting at University of Limerick
22 September Regional meeting at Queen’s University Belfast
30 September Regional meeting at National University of Ireland, Galway
29 November Stated Meeting lunch at the Merrion Hotel, Dublin
11 December Festive Evening

MEMBERS OF THE ACADEMY SPENT AN ESTIMATED 13,557 PRO BONO HOURS ON RIA ACTIVITIES IN 2014 (This figure is an indicative estimation only, prepared on the basis of a typical year).
DEATHS REPORTED

Brown, David Arthur. BSc, MSc, PhD, DSc FRSC, FICI. Chemist. Emeritus Professor of Chemistry, UCD. Born 5 June 1929, elected 1962, died 27 September 2014.


Weekes, Trevor Cecil. Astronomer. Adjunct Professor of Physics, University of Arizona. Born 21 Mary 1940, elected 2001, died 26 May 2014.
SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2013

General Purposes Current Account*

Income €
Grant-in-aid 2,924,000
Entrance fees and Members subscriptions 36,570
Sale of publications 222,106
Sale of proceedings 47,258
Miscellaneous 128,257
Room rental 29,954
Department of the Gaeltacht 120,507
Total Income 3,508,652

Direct Expenditure
Audit, law, bank, professional charges 85,860
Fuel and light 36,801
Furniture, equipment and household 78,908
Discourses 13,618
Miscellaneous 29,784
General insurances 11,467
Information technology 133,879
Supplementary pensions 106,608
Postage and telephone 32,283
Printing administrative 12,162
Salaries and wages 1,107,426
Stationery and office equipment 44,636
Training and development 86,230
Total Direct Expenditure 1,779,661

Allocations to Special Accounts
International Unions and General Assemblies account 62,976
Library account 394,309
Print Proceedings account 326,593
General Publications account 169,569
Foclóir na Nua-Ghaeilge account 340,914
Celtic Latin Dictionary account 101,893
International Exchanges and Fellowships account 47,490
Irish Historic Towns Atlas account 135,177
Dictionary of Irish Biography account 283,301
Total Allocations 1,862,222

Total Expenditure 3,641,883

Income 3,508,652
Expenditure 3,641,883

Surplus (Deficit) EOY (133,231)
Carried forward from previous years 782,799
Balance going forward 649,568

*The above accounts are shown on a cash receipts basis. Under the provisions of the Comptroller and Auditor-General (Amendment) Act 1993, the Academy’s accounts are subject to audit on an accruals basis by the Comptroller and Auditor-General.

The Academy’s audited accounts for 2013 had not been received by the Academy from the Comptroller and Auditor-General’s Office up to the date of the Annual Review going to print.