

# CAN IRELAND REMAIN NEUTRAL?

IRELAND'S PLACE IN A TROUBLED WORLD  
FINDING A WAY FORWARD



**SATURDAY, 7<sup>th</sup> MARCH, 10 a.m.**

Wynns Hotel, Abbey Street, Dublin 1.

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Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> March 2026, 10.00 a.m.  
The Playwright's Room, Wynn's Hotel, Abbey Street, Dublin 1.

**SESSION ONE**  
**CHALLENGES TO IRISH NEUTRALITY**

Chair: Professor John Maguire

10.00 a.m. Opening, Lex Innocentium 21<sup>st</sup> Century

10.15 a.m. Professor Patrick Bresnihan and Professor Rory Rowan *Militarising Foreign Direct Investment*

10.55 a.m. Video extract from conversation between Mr. Eddie O'Brien of the Thinking Centre and Col. Laurence Wilkerson (*An International Perspective*)

11.10 a.m. Question and Answer Session

**11.30 a.m. Coffee** Mother's Day Video by Lex Innocentium & RoJ (A Rojroll Production),  
With music from Michael Weston King (with his very kind permission)

**SESSION TWO**  
**THE FUTURE OF IRISH NEUTRALITY AND THE TRIPLE LOCK**

Chair: Ms. Carol Fox

11.45 a.m. Ms. Patricia McKenna *Scrapping Neutrality and the Triple Lock in support of the EU's Expanding Military Agenda*

12.05 p.m. Mr. Eamon O'Cuiv *The Future of Irish Neutrality*

12.25 p.m. Question and Answer Session

**12.50 p.m. Break for Lunch**

**SESSION THREE: PLENARY**  
**WHAT DO WE DO NEXT?**

Chair: Dr. Seán English  
Panel of Speakers

2.15 p.m. Exploration of options and strategies for saving the Triple Lock and Irish Neutrality.

Making plans for future actions and initiatives. Working together for Peace, Justice, Neutrality, and the Triple Lock

**3.30 p.m. Close**