

Community Culture Commerce

On 13-14 June 2012 we will be holding our annual NYNB Conference in Fordham University Lincoln Center, Manhattan. The conference will spotlight the bridges of progress and prosperity being built between the citizens of the two great cities of New York and Belfast, looking optimistically to the future while celebrating our shared past. The conference will culminate with the fifth annual Irish Echo Index luncheon, honoring 30 top companies with operations in the US and Ireland. At our gala event, we will also honor several eminent Irish American business figures.

NEW YORK - NEW BELFAST

CONFERENCE 2012
AND **Index 30** LUNCHEON

Tuesday, June 12 (6:30pm-8pm)
American Irish Historical Society, Park Avenue, New York
Wednesday, June 13 (6pm-9pm)
Thursday, June 14, 2012 (8:00am start)
Fordham University, Lincoln Center
113 West 60th Street, New York

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TUESDAY JUNE 12 - American Irish Historical Society

6:30pm **Bridging the Gap:
Joseph Campbell and the Scots-Irish**

A discussion to mark the launch of 'Drawing Conclusions _ Mapping the Irish' exhibition from the Mayo County Council Jackie Clarke Collection.

Chair: Patricia Falvey (author Yellow House)
Christopher Cahill, Director American Irish Historical Society
Prof. John Harrington, Dean, Arts and Sciences Faculty,
Fordham University

WEDNESDAY JUNE 13 - FORDHAM

5:30pm **Opening Reception**

In Association with the Irish American Writers and Artists Inc.,
Irish Business Association and Irish Network-NYC. Launch of Ciste na
Gaeilge USA.

6:15pm **Two Cities – One Future: Belfast and New York**

Christine Quinn, Speaker New York City Council

6:30pm **A Welcome in Song**

With David O'Leary and Gráinne Holland

6:45pm **Céad Míle Fáilte**

Fr Joseph McShane, President Fordham University College (introduced
by John Connorton, Chair Friends of Belfast NYC)

6:55pm **The Ties that Bind: Developing Bridges of Arts and
Culture between New York and New Belfast**

A moderated discussion chaired by Anita Daly, Dally Communications
LLC

Marie Jones, Playwright

Oorlagh George, Producer

Marcus Robinson, artist/film-maker

7:30pm **Irish American of the Year: Pete Hamill**

Terry George: A Tribute to Pete Hamill

TJ English, President Irish American Writers and Artists Inc.

Pete Hamill

8:30pm **Your Time, Our Place**

A moderated discussion with chair Paul McErean.

Rep. Brian Kavanagh, New York Assembly

9pm

Glenn Jordan, East Belfast Mission
Aisling Ní Labhraí, the Gaeltacht Quarter, West Belfast
Representative of Tourism Ireland
**'The Humor of the Troubles
(according to Martin Lynch)'**
With playwright, producer and raconteur Martin Lynch

THURSDAY JUNE 14

7:30am **Registration**

8am **Business Breakfast. Our Time, Our Place**

Sammy Wilson MP, MLA Minister of Finance Northern Ireland
Chair Shaun Kelly, Vice-Chair Operations KPMG. Eamonn Donaghy,
Head of Tax, KPMG Belfast. Andrea Haughian, Vice President Invest NI,
Ben Chmelich, CFO NYSE Technologies.

9:15am **Super-Connected Cities**

Moderator: Margaret Molloy, CMO Velocidi

Steve Orr, CEO NISP Connect, Belfast

Rachel Sterne, Chief Digital Officer New York City (invited)

John McGrillen, Director of Development Belfast City Council

Shane Naughton, Founder Inundata, New York (invited)

9:50am **Maximising Golden Opportunities?**

Chair: Francine Kavanagh, Hughes, Hubbard & Reed LLP

Ciarán Mackel, Principal ARD Ciarán Mackel Architects

Richard Williams, CEO NI Screen

Patrick F.N. Anderson, Chairman and CEO Dalradian Resources Inc.

Mary Louise Mallick, Senior Policy Advisor, Office of the Comptroller
New York State

10:25am **2012-2022: A Decade for the Disapora**

Chair: John J. Reilly, Squire, Sanders, Dempsey. Conal Harvey, Deputy
Chairman Titanic Quarter Ltd. John Murphy, Chair Irish Network USA.

11am **The High Line: New York's Park in the Sky**

Guided tour by Jack Linn, Dep Commissioner of Parks, NYC (ret.d.)

12.30pm **Fifth annual Index 30 Gala Luncheon**

Recognising 30 Companies with operations in US and Ireland. Guest
speakers: Minister Sammy Wilson. Danny Moore, Founder Loughshore
Investments.

5.30pm-
7:30pm **Conference Finale Farewell**

Residence of Consul General of Ireland, Ambassador Noel Kilkenny.
Geraldine Hughes will read *Everything in this Country Must* by Colum
McCann.



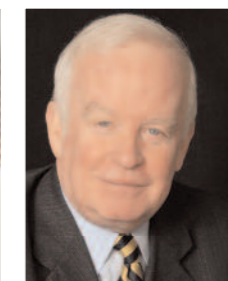
John Connorton,
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Delafield and Wood LLP



Geraldine Hughes,
Actor/Writer/Producer



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