

Cochrane Ireland and Cochrane UK Symposium 2020

21st-22nd April



The Gibson Hotel, Dublin

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A hundred thousand welcomes...

We are delighted to welcome you to Dublin for the joint Cochrane Ireland and Cochrane UK Symposium 2020.

Cochrane Ireland has recently celebrated a year of new stewardship under Professor Declan Devane and his colleagues at Evidence Synthesis Ireland. This first year has been a whirlwind of capacity-building activities to make evidence synthesis more usable in every sense of the word – better designed, conducted and reported, more useable for decision makers and consumers, and more usable within healthcare policy and practice decision making. Our success in delivering these activities has been greatly enhanced by the collegiate and supportive relationship with our colleagues in Cochrane UK, and we look forward to many more future partnerships.

This Symposium is an opportunity for us to come together as a Cochrane community, to share knowledge and creative ideas for producing and sharing best evidence; to learn from each other and to improve our skills to ensure that our work is of high quality.

We have an exceptional line-up of internationally renowned plenary speakers and workshop facilitators to provide what we hope is a comprehensive programme of events with something for everyone. We are also particularly delighted to hear from Karla Soares-Weiser, our new Editor-in-Chief and her vision for the Cochrane community.

On behalf of both Cochrane Ireland and Cochrane UK, we would like to extend a ‘céad míle fáilte’, which means a hundred thousand welcomes in Irish. Wishing you all a fruitful and stimulating conference, and that you enjoy your time in Dublin.



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Dublin is Ireland's largest city and, for many visitors to Ireland, it is the number one destination. With its elegant Georgian architecture, the capital city is full of character, charm and history, with an abundance of museums, galleries, theatres, pubs, live music, and restaurants.

The city is relatively small and accessible, safe and small enough to get around on foot. The Luas tram system and the suburban rail system, the DART, also provide excellent transport links throughout the city.

There are numerous points of interest to explore, from the Dublin Castle to the Old Library of Trinity College. Dublin's entertainments are also legendary, from the famous Guinness Storehouse and Temple Bar, to nights at the theatre or dining in one of the city's fine eateries.

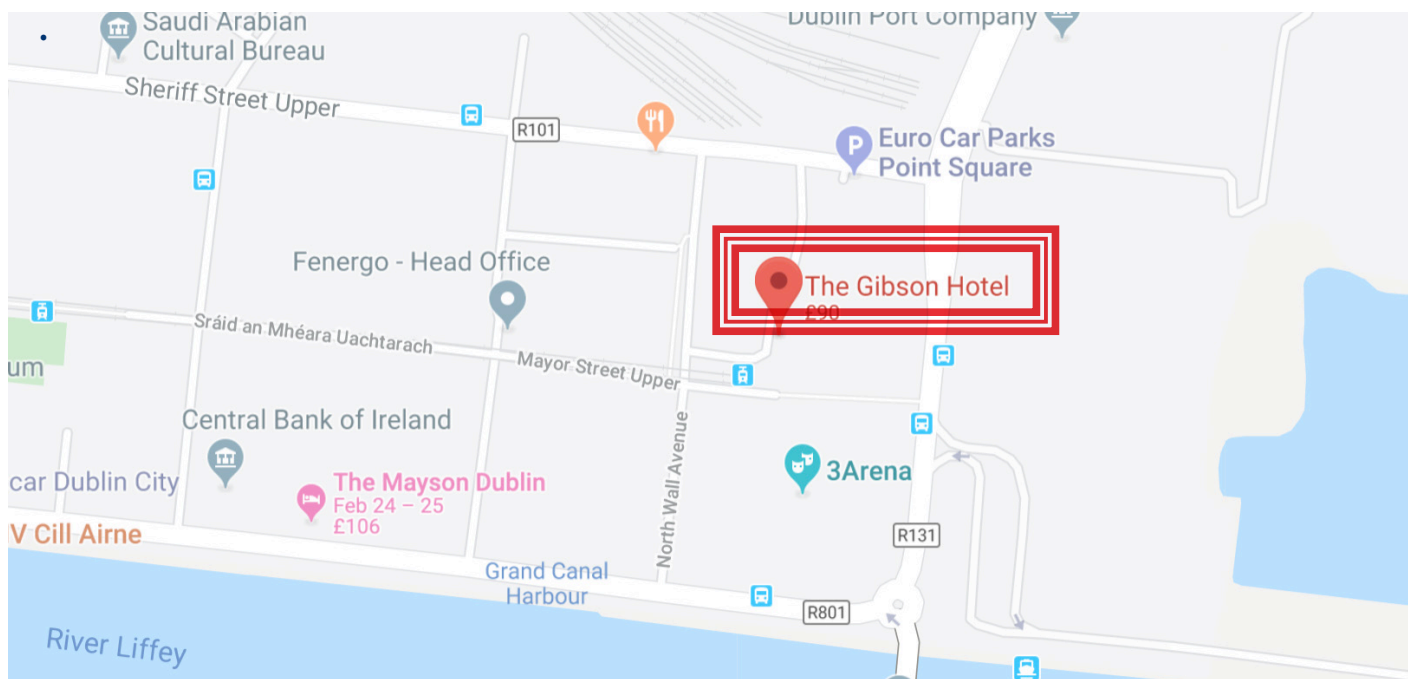
See for yourself why people from all over the world come to enjoy the "craic" in Dublin.

Gala Dinner

The Gala Dinner will take place at 19:00pm in the Stratocaster room in The Gibson Hotel. This is the room where all of the plenary talks are taking place.

Places are reserved for those who have purchased a ticket. Tickets are available to buy at the time of registering for the symposium.

Venue: The Gibson Hotel



The Symposium will take place at The Gibson Hotel, Point Square, North Dock, Dublin, D01 X2P2

The hotel in Dublin 1 is located in the Point Square beside the 3Arena. It has easy access to the city centre by Luas tram which is located outside the hotel.

You can find information about travelling to the hotel here:

<https://www.thegibsonhotel.ie/about-us/directions-how-to-find-us/>





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Symposium Programme Day 1

Tuesday 21st April

08:30-10:30	Closed meeting for Managing Editors and Assistant Managing Editors	
09:30-10:30	Registration and coffee	
10:30-10:45	Welcome	Martin Burton & Bronagh Blackwood
10:45-11:15	Plenary 1: The Cochrane Library and the future of review production in Cochrane	Karla Soares-Weiser
11:15-11:45	Plenary 2: Considering complexity in systematic reviews of interventions	Jeremy Grimshaw
11:45-12:00	Break	
12:00-13:30	Workshops	
	Not a giant leap, but a small step from pairwise to network meta-analysis	Olivia Wu, Neil Hawkins, Suzanne Freeman & Yiqiao Xin
	Peer review of search strategies	Samantha Cox, Elizabeth Stovold & Liz Doney
	Common Errors in statistics, reporting and interpretation	Kerry Dwan, Theresa Moore & Nuala Livingstone
	Rapid Reviews: "How To"	Andrea Tricco
	Writing for the public	Muiris Houston
13:30-14:30	Lunch and poster presentations	
14:30-16:00	Workshops	
	Assessing risk of bias in randomized trials: RoB 2	Alexandra McAleen & Vincent Cheng
	Cochrane's Knowledge Translation in practice	Jo Anthony, Karen Head, Stephanie Lagosky & Katie Abbotts
	Searching for 'other types' of reviews: beyond reviews of interventions	Julie Glanville
	You say 'patient' and I say 'consumer'. Let's get on with the job!	Richard Morley & Edel Murphy
16:00-16:15	Coffee break	
16:15-16:45	Plenary 3: Polishing your diamonds: how Qualitative Evidence Synthesis can enhance your Cochrane Reviews	Andrew Booth
16:45-17:45	Launch of Evidence Synthesis Ireland (ESI) followed by drinks reception	Darrin Morrissey, Declan Devane & Nikita Burke
19:00	Gala dinner	



Symposium Programme Day 2

Wednesday 22nd April

09:15-09:30	Welcome back	Declan Devane
09:30-10:00	Plenary 4: The present and future of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in evidence synthesis	James Thomas
10:00-10:30	Plenary 5: Identifying and implementing Cochrane Reviews in healthcare delivery systems: the E-SCOPE Initiative	Marguerite Koster
10:30-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-12:30	Workshops	
	Using GRADE to assess and interpret evidence from intervention reviews	Nancy Santesso
	Evidence Gap Mapping	Jennifer Hanratty & Ciara Keenan
	Core Outcome Sets in trials and systematic reviews	Valerie Smith
	Putting the great into integrate: using qualitative evidence to enhance Cochrane Effectiveness Reviews	Andrew Booth, Linda Biesty & Pauline Meskell
	A conversation with the Editor-in-chief	Karla Soares-Weiser & Martin Burton
12:30-13:00	Plenary 6: Rapid Reviews for decision-making	Andrea Tricco
13:00-13:15	Closing remarks	Elaine Toomey
13:15-14:00	Lunch	

Meet the Evidence Synthesis Ireland and Cochrane Ireland team



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