



Joint SMI and ICTM-IE Postgraduate Conference 2024

Maynooth University

12–13 January

Call for Papers

Deadline: Friday 13 October 2023

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The Society for Musicology in Ireland (SMI) and the Irish National Committee of the International Council for Traditional Music (ICTM-IE) are pleased to announce their annual joint postgraduate conference will take place at Maynooth University on Friday 12 and Saturday 13 January 2024.

Postgraduate students working in all areas of musical research are warmly invited to submit proposals for 20-minute papers or 30-minute lecture recitals. Poster presentations are also welcome. Areas of research include but are not limited to, historical musicology, ethnomusicology, music theory and analysis, music technology, music pedagogy, popular music studies, musical practice as research, psychology of music, and music and gender.

We are delighted to welcome Professor Juniper Hill (Institute of Music Research, University of Würzburg) to give the 2024 keynote address. The conference will feature the presentation of the Alison Dunlop Graduate Prize, which is awarded biennially by the SMI for a distinguished thesis on any musicological topic submitted within the two most recent academic years as part of a taught-course Master's degree at an institution in the Republic of Ireland or Northern Ireland. As in previous years, the postgraduate conference will also include a Careers Forum and a dedicated session featuring prize-winners of the annual CHMHE competition for undergraduate dissertations.

To submit a proposal, please send an email attachment (.doc or .docx, **not** .pdf) to smiictm2024@gmail.com by 6pm on **Friday 13 October 2023** with the following details:

- Title of paper
- Abstract (max. 250 words)
- Full name and institutional affiliation
- Short biography (max. 150 words)
- Please state whether you are proposing a:
 - 20-minute paper
 - 30-minute lecture-recital
 - 30-minute film, audio, or other media presentation (to include introduction and any commentary)
 - 10-minute presentation (Master's Students)
 - Poster presentation

Please submit all information in a single Word document. Proposals will be anonymised prior to peer review and applicants will be notified of the outcome of this process by Friday 10 November 2023.

On behalf of SMI and ICTM-IE we thank you for your engagement. We are looking forward to welcoming delegates to Maynooth University for two days of intellectually and socially enriching scholarly exchange.