

Global Dimensions



Title: Education, the challenge for Africa
Date: 24th of February 2010 at 6pm
Venue: Boston College, 42 St. Stephen's Green
Speaker: Dr. Aidan Mulkeen,
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Aidan Mulkeen is the head of the education department at NUI Maynooth.

He has recently returned to Ireland having spent five years working with the World Bank on education policy in Africa. He worked particularly on teacher policies, which are especially important given the vital role of teachers in education.

Africa is a continent facing enormous educational challenges. It has the greatest proportion of our school children. It is a continent where development is constrained by a lack of skilled people, and where education is constrained by a lack of skilled teachers. This seminar looks at the challenges and some of the issues in addressing it.

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