



Irish Human Factors & Ergonomics Society

Annual conference 2021

24th November 2021, 9.30 – 14:45

In conjunction with H-Workload 2021, 24-25th November

[Registration link \(Eventbrite\)](#)

Student/retired/unwaged- €10

IHFES members - €30

Non IHFES members - €40

Conference theme: Human Factors in Evolving Socio Technical Systems

Time	Title of session / presentation	Speaker(s)
9.00-9.15	Welcome and introduction	Dr. M. Chiara Leva and Prof. Leonard O'Sullivan, IHFES.
9.15-9.45	Total worker health among healthcare workers: The Advancement of a Mindful Hand Hygiene (MHH) Protocol to Protect and Promote Healthcare Worker Wellbeing & Safety	Dr. Joan Cahill, Ms. Alison Kay and Ms. Vivienne Howard, Trinity College Dublin.
9.45-10.15	Computer-related musculoskeletal symptoms in university staff during COVID-19	Dr. Sara Dockrell and Dr. Elizabeth Culleton Quinn, Trinity College Dublin
10.15-10.45	An award-winning response to emergency home working	Maeve Coleman, Dr. Marian Jennings, Victoria Kavanagh and Dr. Niamh Imbusch, TU Dublin,
11.00 -11.15	Morning break - delegate online coffee chat	
11.15-12.00	Panel discussion The role of family/carers in patient safety in hospital settings - a missing perspective during Covid-19?	Dr. Margaret Ryan, HF Expert and Family Member, Prof. Eva Doherty, Director of Human Factors in Patient Safety at RCSI, Dr. Enda O'Connor, Consultant in Intensive Care Medicine and Noreen O'Shea Senior Physiotherapist from St. James's Hospital
12.00 – 12.30	A socio technical systems analysis of an effective bio-security responder in Trinidad During the COVID-19 pandemic	Mr. Dexter Daniel and Dr. Marie Ward, St. James Hospital & Trinity College Dublin.
12.30- 13.00	Handover in the Emergency Department – What is the problem?	Dr. Mark Doyle and Dr. Angela O'Dea, Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch break	
14.00 – 14.45	Keynote address jointly with H-Workload symposium- In search of the red line: perspectives on mental workload and the 'underload problem'	Prof. Mark Young, UK's Rail Accident Investigation Branch (RAIB), Visiting Professor at Loughborough University's Design School