

Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub British Embassy, 29 Merrion Road, Dublin.

### Visit Programme for Mr Mike Russell Minister for the UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2017

## Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April

4 pm Meet with the Lord Mayor of Cork, Lord Mayor's Chamber,

Cork City Hall

5 pm (tbc) Meeting with President of UCC

7.15 pm UCC dinner, Kingsley Hotel

# Friday 21st April

7.30 am Business breakfast with Cork Chambers, Kingsley Hotel.

9.30 am Meet with Dara Murphy -tbc

11 – 1pm IACES Lecture and event

2.30 pm Meet with Micheal Martin

4 pm Meet with Cork Airport authority tbc

6.35 pm Departure

Mobile: Email:  www.connectingcork.ie www.een-ireland.ie
From:
Sent: 13 April 2017 14:19  To: Cc: Subject: RE: Visit of Mike Russell
Great stuff, thank you.
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From: Sent: 13 April 2017 14:16 To: Cc: Subject: RE: Visit of Mike Russell
Ok perfect. Let's give people the opportunity to check the emails between today and tomorrow in case any last minute acceptances come in, and I'll send you the list on Tuesday.
Kind regards,
Connecting Cork Project Manager EU, Trade & Innovation Services Manager Direct Dial: +353 (0)21 Mobile: +353 (0)87 Email: www.corkchamber.ie www.connectingcork.ie www.een-ireland.ie
From: Sent: 13 April 2017 14:15 To:

Subject: RE: Visit of Mike Russell

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Hi				
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I hope you are well? Following up on our conversation I want to introduce you to from the Scottish office. I am on leave from today until Thursday next week so you can contact in relation to the breakfast next Friday. I sent you a text earlier with the timings also.

Hope you a have a lovely Easter.

**Best Wishes** 



I Prosperity Officer I Political Section I British Embassy Dublin I 29 Merrion Road I Dublin 4 I

For info

Below, by way of a plan B should any of our priority engagements fall through.

should also be added to our list of attendees for the business breakfast, and has promised to suggest some other companies it would be good to get along to that. Worth chasing him next week.

From:

Sent: 06 April 2017 12:43

To: l

Subject: Mike Russell

Was thinking about Mike's visit to Cork and the fact you will be there.

As the programme takes shape, and depending on time, do you think a visit with Rubicon would be workable? You are a company that really embodies the Scottish/Irish economic link - worth marking.

Could bring him to your offices, or do a site visit together. Brief him on the companies work and its journey and talk about the IBNS (soon to be ISBN :-))

What do you think?



Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone.

From:

Sent: Thursday, April 6, 2017 12:34 PM

For info folks,

As things stand, the following are fixed.

20th April

Arrival Cork Airport - 1435 from Edinburgh

Meeting with Lord Mayor - 1600

UCC dinner at the Kingsley hotel - 1915

21st April

Meeting with president of UCC - 1000

IACES Lecture and event - 1100 - 1300

Meeting with Micheal martin - 1430

Leaves us with gaps at 1700 on the 20<sup>th</sup>, for breakfast on 21<sup>st</sup> (possibly also a meeting at 0900 that morning), and at 1300 on the 21<sup>st</sup>.

We need to have as much of this nailed down by Thursday as we can.

Rob – we have options, but need responses from Cork chambers and the airport. Sensible thing to do is have the meeting with Cork Airport Authority and any tourism business up at the airport at 1600 – he then gets straight on his flight (1835 departure).

From:

Sent: 04 April 2017 13:41

To: 🛮

Subject: RE: Visit to cork by Mike Russell - Scottish Government Minister for Brexit Negotiations

I think lunch would be tight Deirdre.

Let's go with 2.30pm on Friday 21st April.

Let me know venue.

From: mailto:deirdre@fiannafail.ie

Sent: 04 April 2017 13:34

To:

Subject: Re: Visit to cork by Mike Russell - Scottish Government Minister for Brexit Negotiations

Good to speak just now.
As I said, our Minister for the UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Mike Russell, will visit Cork on 20/21 April.
Mike has been invited by UCC to deliver the annual IACES lecture on the morning of 21st April. He will arrive in Cork from Edinburgh mid- afternoon on the 20st and will depart from Cork airport early evening on the 21st.
At the moment the only engagements we have fixed are a courtesy call on the Lord Mayor of Cork at 1600 on the $20^{\circ}$ , and the event at UCC, which is scheduled to run from $1030 - 1300$ .
As I said, I wanted to extend your party Leader the courtesy of letting him know that Mike is in his constituency on those days, but also to ask if he would have any time during those days for a meeting with Mike.
Look forward to hearing from you,
Best wishes,
Head of the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland

The breakfast is booked in the Kingsley Private Dining Room for Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April 7.30-9am. Continental breakfast.

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I enquired about rooms but the girl said she couldn't see us on the corporate list and quoted 225 euros per room (!). There are rooms available there for 160 euros online. I haven't booked anything as yet. Chloe, Redfern were quoted 116 euro yesterday so it might be the best option?

Thanks for your speedy reply, that all sounds positive, thank you. I think the commercial angle fits in perfectly with the purpose of the visit, so that's a great suggestion.

Is there a capacity limit on the meeting room? The Minister will likely want either his PS or a couple of officials (including either me or my boss, in the room so I just want to manage numbers from this end and then can confirm names with you.

The PM's announcement shouldn't impact anything but we will, of course, keep you in the loop and it may well come up in conversation on Friday.

Looking forward to the visit!

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Original Message
From:
Sent: 18 April 2017 13:06
To: Co:
Subject: RE: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes)   Airport Business
Hi <b>man</b>
I had a nice weekend thank you for caking and likewise I hand you enjoyed the

I had a nice weekend thank you for asking and likewise I hope you enjoyed the holiday.

Our MD is away this week and will not be back for the meeting on Friday. He is keen that the meeting go ahead and suggests that we can arrange a follow up with the Minister in Scotland if that would be useful.

On Friday I will be available with my Colleague, who is our head of Retail and Commercial and we will have a meeting room available in the Terminal. If you call me prior to arrival we can meet at the Information desk.

I see that your Prime Minister has called an early election. Let me know if that that impacts on availability for yourselves.

Best regards,

From: Sent: 06 April 2017 18:10
To: Subject: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes)   Airport Business
Hi ,
This popped up shortly after we spoke. This is a trade ezine that would be quite popular. You may have seen this already, if not it is worth a look. I have met this lady when I visited Glasgow and she is impressive.
Regards,
http://www.airport-business.com/2017/04/scottish-english-airports-prepares-for-brexit/?utm_source=Airport+Business+Newsletter&utm_campaign=e702c6452e-AirportBusinessNewsletter06042017&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_7d9f874a32e702c6452e-89968221_
Hi Rose
Thanks to you and yesterday. I really appreciated the very frank and open nature of the discussion – and found his day in Dublin really valuable. As settles in to my team – a meeting like yesterday's is great experience.
You might already have heard that our Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Mike Russell, will visit Cork on 20/21 April. He has accepted an invitation from UCC to deliver the annual IACES lecture on the morning of the 21st. We intend to develop a wider programme for the Minister, all based in Cork.
As part of that wider programme, I hope to arrange some political engagement for my Minister – Thursday pm and Friday perhaps offering that opportunity for Cork based TDs.
A priority would be to scope out availability for your Minister Dara Murphy on those days.
I wanted to make sure you were aware of this visit right away. Please do let me know if you would prefer that I go direct to Mr Murphy's private office with the request, or would you prefer to handle it with them?

| Head of the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland | Directorate for External Affairs | Scottish Government | 29

Very best wishes

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone. Original Message From: Sent: Friday, 7 April 2017 10:22 To: Subject: RE: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes)   Airport Business
Good morning
Thanks very much for forwarding. It's an interesting read and a useful ezine to keep an eye on. Great to read an article that is about looking forward to opportunities and we'll hopefully have more of that in our meeting later this month.
Thanks again for taking my call yesterday - I hope you managed to have a relaxing evening.
Best wishes,
' 00353 BB +44 B
Sent: 06 April 2017 18:10 To: Subject: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes)   Airport Business
Hi language
This popped up shortly after we spoke. This is a trade ezine that would be quite popular. You may have seen this already, if not it is worth a look. I have met this lady when I visited Glasgow and she is impressive.
Regards,
Just checking in. My head is awash with financial reports.
This looks good.

Private Secretary to Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe    © 0131     &   MinisterUKNSPE@gov.scot
Sent: 03 April 2017 12:21 To: Subject: FW: Annual IACES Lecture
Any thoughts on what the Minister would like to see as a title for his lecture?
From: Sent: 03 April 2017 12:13 To: Subject: Re: Annual IACES Lecture
Hi en
Just one quick query – do you have a title for Minister Russell's lecture? If so, we would like to use it to publicise the event.
Kind regards
Prom: " Date: Saturday 1 April 2017 12:00 To: " Cc: " Subject: Re: Annual IACES Lecture
Hi and the second secon
The dinner list looks fantastic - please go ahead and issue invitations as soon as you're ready.
Best,
Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone.  From:

10am: Meeting with UCC President (details tbc)

11am: Welcome and Introduction (by Dr Mary C. Murphy, President IACES)

Lecture by Minister Michael Russell

Followed by Q&A (moderated by Professor John O'Brennan, Vice President IACES)

Close and thanks
Light lunch reception

The lecture content looks great. The IACES/Cork audience will be particularly interested in the Minister's views on continued links with Scotland post-Brexit.

We have made arrangements to host a private dinner on the evening of Thursday 20 April in the Kingsley Hotel (which is about a 10 minute walk from UCC). As suggested, we propose to host a drinks reception at 7.15pm followed by dinner at 8pm. I attach a draft invite list. Some of the Dublin-based invitees may not be in a position to attend, but we feel there is merit in including them on the invite list. Please feel free to comment on the list and to suggest additional invitees, or you may feel that the list to too large? We are happy to take guidance.

By all means, do go ahead with plans to meet Dara Murphy. We will be inviting the Minister to the dinner and lecture separately.

My colleague will be working with us and looking after the logistics for this event. Please feel free to liaise with us both.

One final query, can we go ahead and begin to advertise the event through email, twitter and the IACES website? We are keen to publicise the Minister's visit as soon as possible and would like to begin doing so on Monday.

Thank you again for your support. We are very much looking forward to welcoming the Minister to UCC and Cork.



Dr

Lecturer, Department of Government, University College Cork

Jean Monnet Chair in European Integration

President, Irish Association for Contemporary European Studies www.iaces.ie

Director, MComm (Government and Public

Policy) http://www.ucc.ie/en/government/postgraduatestudy/mcomm/

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#### **Selected Publication**

Northern Ireland and the European Union: The Dynamics of a Changing Relationship (Manchester University Press 2014)

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**Contact Details** 

Department of Government University College Cork Cork, Ireland

Keep in touch, and we'll no doubt speak soon.
Very best wishes,
Head of the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland   Directorate for External Affairs   Scottish
No problem at all. I actually know and am more than happy to include him on the dinner list. Will send him an email now to confirm.
Best
Date: Wednesday 19 April 2017 16:34 To: " Subject: RE: Dinner with Minister Michael Russell MSP
Hello
Apologies to be a massive pain but the Prosperity Officer from the British Embassy will be in Cork as well. He is a Cork local and very good with his political and economic knowledge, is there any way that we can squeeze him in?
@scothubireland

Dear All

Subject: Dinner with Minister Michael Russell MSP

From: Se

The Irish Association for Contemporary European Studies (IACES) is delighted to welcome you to dinner with Minister Michael Russell MSP in *The Kingsley Hotel* tomorrow evening. Drinks will be served from 7.15pm in *The K Lounge* and will be followed by dinner in the *Private Dining Room* from 8pm.

The dinner is to mark the 2017 IACES Annual Lecture which will be delivered by Minister Russell on Friday 21 April at 11am in G03 Western Gateway Building, University College Cork.

Sent: 18 April 2017 11:57  To: Subject: Re: Knocknanuss & the Cameron Highlanders
That's fine. Didn't get an invite but 7.30 is fine.
Sent from my iPhone
On 18 Apr 2017, at 11:54, " wrote:
Sounds fascinating Sounds Fascin
Leave it with me. Will be able to get an answer to you no later than tomorrow lunchtime.
That sound ok?
Btw did you receive an invitation to breakfast on Friday morning? At the Kingsley Hotel. If not, are you free? 0730 start?
Sent: 18 April 2017 11:50  To: Subject: Fwd: Knocknanuss & the Cameron Highlanders
Hi <b>Bara</b>
See below from Damian Shiels one of my partners based in Cork. It's probably half an hour out of the city to the battle site but I could get to talk the Minister through the conflict at the site? It would be a great photo opportunity for the Minister.
Sent from my iPhone
Begin forwarded message:
From:  Date: 18 April 2017 at 11:35:22 GMT+1  To:  Subject: Knocknanuss & the Cameron Highlanders

Alasdair Mac Colla Chiotaich MacDhòmhnaill is probably the most famous Scot to have been killed in action in Ireland, he had fought with Montrose during his campaigns there in the

Parliamentarian Army. The Confederates, who had been bolstered by a force of Scots under Alasdair MacColla MacDonald, brought *c.* 7,000 men to the field. Although Inchiquin had fewer men, his troops were better armed, with more carrying muskets than their opponents[iii]. The Confederates formed up on the hill itself, with the Parliamentarians lining up about 600 yards away[iv]. In the fighting that followed, Inchiquin drove back the Confederate left and centre, but in turn MacColla's Scots on the right succeeded in putting the Parliamentarian left to flight. However, the decisive moment came when the Scots became bogged down in looting the Parliamentarian baggage train, allowing Inchiquin to organise a force to send against them and complete his victory[v]. There was little mercy shown to defeated soldiers in Ireland during the 1640s. The majority of deaths usually occurred once one side broke and ran— the slaughter up and down the Cork countryside following Knocknanuss was recounted by Inchiquin:

"...though we were killing till night, as fast as we could, yet we found two or three hundred the next day in the woods, as we were viewing the bodies, but could not possibly get any exact account of the number slain; for after I had an account of more than 2000, that the pursuing parties slew in their several walks, I was informed of many hundreds that were slain in divers other places, so as our men believe there were not less than five thousand slain, but I do not think it possible there could be above three thousand..."

Thank you for your email. I attach a draft running order. This can be moderated, so please feel free to suggest changes.

Dinner invitees were asked to RSVP by tomorrow at 5pm, so I should have a complete list by Tuesday (Monday is a bank holiday here).

The lecture is open invitation so we have no real way of knowing what participants will attend. However, we will endeavor to get an indicative list to you early next week of those who have formally signed up. I trust this is satisfactory.

Kind regards

From: "

Date: Thursday 13 April 2017 10:50

To: "

Subject: Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe - Attendance at IACES

Annual Lecture - Logistics

Dear

I hope you are well. I'm assisting in the organisation of Mr Russell's attendance at next week's IACES Annual Lecture. Are you able to put me in contact with someone in your team to discuss logistics? I'd be grateful for a running order, participants list, biographies (if possible) etc. Apologies if you have already passed this information to John Webster.

Many thanks,

I Policy Officer

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Hi

That's great. The Security Desk at the College Road entrance will be expecting you so there should be no problem.

Anything else between now and tomorrow, do give me a call.

See you very soon in Cork.

Best

Best
From: " Date: Wednesday 19 April 2017 13:35 To: " Cc: " Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi Hi
Thank you, sounds like you are all set, which is great.
Please may you also confirm if you or are hosting the dinner and what the format will be? Just so we can brief the Minister.
Responses to your queries are next to your bullet points below.
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Sent: 19 April 2017 13:04  To: Cc: Subject: Re: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi en
Thanks for your email. We are all set here in Cork for the Minister's visit and looking forward to welcoming you all to UCC.
<ul> <li>Thank you for the bio. I have passed it on to our Vice President Professor O'Halloran and his bio is available here: <a href="https://john-ohalloran.com/">https://john-ohalloran.com/</a></li> </ul>
• It might be easiest to meet at the entrance of the Kingsley Hotel at 5.45pm? Would that suit your itinerary? My mobile number is + 7787. Thank you We will be coming from the Mayor's office so will just come straight to UCC, should we go to a particular entrance?
<ul> <li>Am I correct in thinking that the following will attend the meeting with Professor         O'Halloran in UCC and the dinner: Yes -</li></ul>

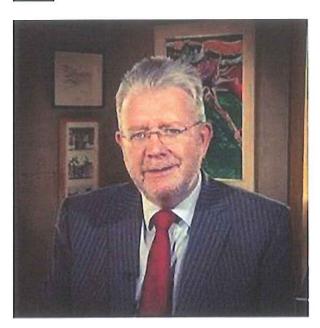
- Mike Russell's bio can be found on his website: http://www.michaelrussellmsp.scot/about-me/ . I hope that's helpful but shout if you needed something different.
- Regarding the meeting at UCC with Vice President O'Halloran, it would be easiest if someone could meet us at the main entrance, as you previously offered. Please may you send a contact number so we can make sure we're all joined up? I'll be contactable on +44778
- Dinner will not be there on the Thursday night due to personal

reasons but I will take his place.
<ul> <li>Dinner (2) – did we confirm attire? I'm presuming business dress.</li> </ul>
Feel free to call if that's easier.
Many thanks,
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From: Sent: 18 April 2017 14:31 To: Cc: Subject: Re: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi Hi
I attach the latest list of acceptances. I'm chasing up the outstanding invites. Timing is slightly against us in that quite of few of those we invited are on holidays this week. However, it's great that Minister Dara Murphy will be joining us.
In terms of the audience, a person of note is, Chief Executive of Cork City Council, and there will be some company reps through the Cork Chamber of Commerce. The <i>Irish Times</i> are sending a reporter to cover the lecture, and we anticipate further media interest closer to Friday.
I'll keep you updated on any further RSVPs. Can you send me a bio for the Minister? Our Vice President for Teaching and Learning has requested this.
Looking forward to catching up with tomorrow.

- 1. Mr Russell will be happy to do media interviews after the lecture, if that is still a relevant query
- 2. Please see attached jpeg photo if required
- 3. Do you have a confirmed guest list for dinner on the Thursday?

#### Thanks again,





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From:

Sent: 13 April 2017 12:52 To: Walker C (Caroline)

Subject: Re: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017

Thanks Caroline. Appreciated your help. Enjoy your break!

Regards

Date: Thursday 13 April 2017 12:51

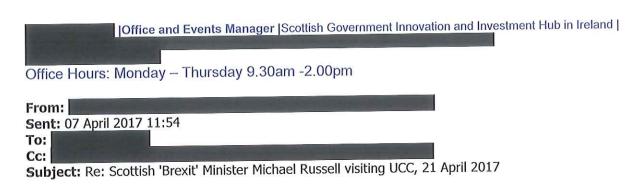
To: " Cc: "

Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017

Good morning

I'm just working on the programme for Mr Mike Russell's visit next week and wanted to check the dress for the dinner on Thursday evening. Is it business attire?

Kind regards,



Applications for this late reply Vesterday was hectical B

Apologies for this late reply. Yesterday was hectic!! Brexit is keeping us very busy – even here in Cork.

I have forwarded your email to the President's Office and will be in touch as soon as I get a response.

The lecture announcement and invitation is now available on Eventbrite:

<a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/iaces-2017-annual-lecture-tickets-33391282224?utm\_source=eb\_email&utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=new\_event\_email&utm\_term=viewmyevent\_button</a> If you have any queries or comments, do let us know.

The lecture will take place in Room G03 in the Western Gateway Building, UCC (this is actually very close to the Kingsley Hotel). Good interest so far. Will keep you posted on numbers, etc. as things become clear.

The Kingsley Hotel is confirmed for the private dinner with Minister Russell on the Thursday evening. We have issued invitations and again I will keep you posted on replies as they arrive.

Hope you are satisfied with the arrangements so far.

One final question, will the Minister be available for media interviews?

Will keep in close contact.

Best

Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Dear Dear Dear Dear Dear Dear Dear Dear
On behalf of the President, I acknowledge receipt of your email with thanks. The President's liary on 21 April is completely gridlocked until 2.30pm at the latest due to the Honorary Conferring of Mr. William Clayton Ford. The President would be available to receive a courtesy visit from Minister Michael Russell at 3pm should the Minister still be on campus.
n adherence to UCC Protocol and Policies,  http://www.ucc.ie/en/mandc/protocolsandpolicies/ in on this email to alert them of the visit to campus of Minister Russell, should they not know already.
Please let me know of Minister Russell will still be on campus at 3pm to meet the President.
Kind regards,
Personal Assistant to the President   University College Cork   College Road   Cork T12   YN60   Ireland   email:   www.ucc.ie/en
That is great, thanks for the email Enjoy your week off.
Kind regards,
Secretary to the Lord Mayor Councillor Des Cahill Lord Mayor's Chamber Cork City Council City Hall Cork Tel; 021 Fax; 021
From: Sent: 13 April 2017 10:25 To: Cc: Subject: RE: SG Visit - Mike Russell - 20 April
Good morning Cook
Hope you are well. I'm just getting back to you on Minister Russell's visit.

Those attending the meeting with Lord Mayor will be:

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9.30am -2.30pm

From:

**Sent:** 04 April 2017 08:53 **To:** 

Subject: RE: SG Visit - Mike Russell - 20 April

Dear

Thank you for your email. The Lord Mayor would be delighted to receive the Minister for the UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe Mike Russell for a courtesy visit on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> April at 4.00 p.m. I would be obliged if you could confirm how many will attend the visit, thanks.

Kind regards,

Secretary to the Lord Mayor
Councillor Des Cahill
Lord Mayor's Chamber
Cork City Council
City Hall
Cork
Tel; 021
Fax; 021

From: Control 2017 12

Sent: 03 April 2017 12:04

To:

Email;

Subject: SG Visit - Mike Russell - 20 April

Dear,

I hope this finds you well. I am based at the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Dublin. Our Minister for the UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Mike Russell, has been invited by UCC to deliver the annual IACES lecture on 21 April. While in Cork he is keen to engage have a strong programme of engagements with Cork leaders – and wants to ensure that – diaries permitting - one of his first engagements is with the Mayor on the afternoon of 20 April (possibly around 4pm?)

Would the Lord Mayor be available at this time?

From:			
Sent: 18 <i>A</i>	pril 2017 1	L1:58	
To:			
Cc:			
Subject: F	RE: Visit of	Mike Russell	

As promised, please see below a list of the people who will attend the breakfast with Mike Russell on Friday. The invitation went to our Chamber board and committees, so these people/organisations are all representatives on one of these groups.

Could you confirm the running order for the breakfast and whether you need a representative of the Chamber to speak at any stage?

Company	Name	Title
Amorgin Services		Managing Partner
Cork Institute of Technology	200	Registrar & Vice President for Academic Affairs
Cork Chamber		Director of Policy and External Relations
Cork Chamber		EU, Trade & Innovation Services Manager
Cork Chamber	E-1 5 (6) (4)	Chief Executive
Cork County Council	EWS DIVE	Director of Economic Development & Tourism
Cork International Airport Hotel	1747 1877 1971	General Manager
Cushman Wakefield		Director
Enterprise Ireland		Regional Manager
Indaver		Managing Director
Johnson & Perrott Ltd		Chief Executive Officer
Morgan McKinley	<b>产发展</b>	Operations Director
PJ O'Driscoll	10 52 15 11	Partner
Rubicon Centre, CIT	100 200	General Manager at The Rubicon Centre

Kind regards,

Hi Hi

Connecting Cork Project Manager EU, Trade & Innovation Services Manager Direct Dial: +353 (0)21 Thanks so much, that's great. I'll let the hotel know.

The Minister has requested briefing to be sent up by Tuesday so it would be great if we could have as many confirmed names as you have by then. I know the long weekend will get in the way a little but as much info as you have would be greatly appreciated.

Enjoy your weekend!

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From: Sent: 13 April 2017 14:11 To: Cc: Subject: RE: Visit of Mike Russell
Hi Marian
Thanks for the introduction.
Nice to meet you. By way of update at this point I already have 8 businesses/stakeholders confirmed to attend, and there will be a few from the Chamber also. I have invited them to be at the Kingsley for 8am. I'll give it until early next week and then I'll circulate a final list of names to you.
Have a good weekend!
Kind regards,
Connecting Cork Project Manager EU, Trade & Innovation Services Manager Direct Dial: +353 (0)21 Mobile: +353 (0)87 Email: www.corkchamber.ie www.connectingcork.ie www.een-ireland.ie
From: Sent: 13 April 2017 13:48
To: Cc:
Subject: Visit of Mike Russell

To: Subject: Re: Introduction
Thanks Thanks
- good to be in contact with you. Drop me a line and let's see if my team can help.
Best wishes,
Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone.  From: Sent: Thursday, April 6, 2017 10:58 AM To: Subject: Introduction
Hi Hi
I am writing to introduce you to (copied) who I have met through the IBNS is currently exploring opportunities in the Irish market for AM Bid Services. I mentioned to that you would be a good person to connect with. I will leave take it from here.
All the best,
Chairperson
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Irish Business Network, Scotland Ltd, c/o Geosultions Engineering, 21 Young Street, Edinburgh, EH24HU

Tel: 0131 Mob:

Web: www.irishbusinessnetwork.scot

Does lunch suit ?
Or 230 pm on the Friday ?
On 4 April 2017 at 13:23, < wrote:
Cheers ,
Good to be in touch again.
From: Sent: 04 April 2017 13:22
To: Subject: Re: Visit to cork by Mike Russell - Scottish Government Minister for Brexit Negotiations
Hi John
Will look into this with Cork office as Dáil not sitting thta week and I hope it will be possible to fit in in .
Will be back .
Regards
On 4 April 2017 at 12:27, < www.www.www.www.www.www.www.www.www.w
Hi Marian,

Let me know how you want to proceed.

Rob, if you could hook me up with Cork Chambers via email that would be great.

Thanks,

r |Office and Events Manager |Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland | 29 Merrion Road | Dublin | D04 P272 | © 00 353 (0) | | @scothubireland | 4

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9.30am -2.00pm

Hi Basa

It's a board room type set up located in the Terminal. We would regularly use the room for 12 to 14 people. We would normally do a brief presentation as part of the meeting to give a sense of place and outline our ongoing strategy. If you think that will be useful I will have one set up for when you arrive? I have allocated up to two hours for the meeting though you may require less. What time does the minister fly out?

I will also set up some light catering for the meeting, Tea. Coffees and scones, what do you think? If you are arriving by car you can park in the multi-story car park just passed the Terminal and it's a very short walk to the Terminal.

Best Regards,

General Manager Operations, Cork Airport
T +353 21 M: +353 email:

----Original Message-----

From:

Sent: 18 April 2017 13:44

To: | Cc:

Subject: RE: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes) | Airport Business

n, General Manager Operations, Cork Airport T +353 21 M: +353 email:
From: Sent: 18 April 2017 10:07 To: Subject: Re: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes)   Airport Business
Good morning
I hope you are well and that you had a good Easter weekend.
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Best wishes,
Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone. Original Message From: Sent: Friday, 7 April 2017 10:22 To: Subject: RE: A Scottish-English airports group simultaneously prepares for Brexit, more European links (and much lower taxes)   Airport Business
Good morning
Thanks very much for forwarding. It's an interesting read and a useful ezine to keep an eye on. Great to read an article that is about looking forward to opportunities and we'll hopefully have more of that in our meeting later this month.
Thanks again for taking my call yesterday - I hope you managed to have a relaxing evening.
Best wishes,
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From: 2017 10:F2
Sent: 05 April 2017 10:52 To:
Subject: RE: Annual IACES Lecture
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By way of an update, the programme is coming together well.

Meetings confirmed with the following:

- Lord Mayor of Cork, Des Cahill
- Leader of Fianna Fail, Micheal Martin
- Cork airport authority (to discuss links between Scotland and Cork and tourism links). Prior
  to the lecture event, we have a meeting with the President of UCC.

UCC have organised a dinner for the evening of 20<sup>th</sup> April – invitation list attached.

We have requests in for meetings with the Minister for European Affairs, Dara Murphy, and are working with Cork Chambers of Commerce on a breakfast with local business leaders.

Wind in the right direction, we'll have all of this nailed down by tomorrow. I'll send you a draft programme, and a running order for the event at UCC.

On accommodation for the night of the 20<sup>th</sup>, perhaps worth looking at rooms in the <u>Kingsley Hotel</u>. Venue for the dinner and a short walk to UCC.

Best wishes,

| Head of the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland |
Directorate for External Affairs |

From: Sent: 05 April 2017 09:06

Subject: RE: Annual IACES Lecture

Morning John,

Apologies for the delayed response, I've been off for a couple of days. I'll speak to him about this and get back to you.

Sent: Friday, March 31, 2017 4:44 PM  To: Cc: Subject: Re: Annual IACES Lecture
Dear
Many thanks for that. No problem in relation to dinner invite list – that can wait a few days – but good to know that we can start to advertise the Annual Lecture.
We'll keep in touch. In the meantime, have a lovely weekend.
Best
From: " Date: Friday 31 March 2017 15:43 To: "
Subject: RE: Annual IACES Lecture
Thanks Thanks
The arrangements for the lecture and the dinner look excellent.
Please do go ahead and begin advertising the event. We will, of course, multiply through our own Social media platforms.
If I may, I will come back to you on Monday on the list for dinner – you will want to get those invitations out as soon as possible next week
Very best wishes,
Head of the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland   Directorate for External Affairs   Scottish Government   29 Merrion Road   Dublin   D04 P272   To (00353) 01   M: (00353) 086
From: Sent: 31 March 2017 15:18 To: Cc: Subject: Re: Annual IACES Lecture  Dear

Many thanks for your email and outline of the proposed visit by Minister Russell to Cork. We have noted the arrangements for the 2017 IACES Annual Lecture on Friday 21 April as follows:

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Date: Thursday 30 March 2017 17:20

To: "
Cc: "

Subject: Annual IACES Lecture

Hi Mary

It was really good to speak with you this morning. I followed up with a quick discussion with

Mr Russell's Private Secretary.
 I am happy to confirm that we can go with the timing as discussed – lecture running from 1100 –

1300. We are also keen to meet the President of UCC beforehand, so will block out 100 - 1100 for that purpose.

The structure for the lecture we discussed is also good – lecture lasting 30-45 minutes, followed by open Q&A and after close a reception. Mr Russell will really value the opportunity to meet and engage with the audience.

Mr Russell will be happy to work on the broad themes for the lecture we discussed – Brexit, the Irish dimension, constitutional futures, Scottish Irish relations and the future of relations among us and across Europe. If there is anything specific you think will be important to reflect please let me know.

As I mentioned, the plan is that he will arrive in Cork direct from Edinburgh on the Thursday afternoon (approx. 1430 arrival) – and depart from Cork airport on the Friday evening at 1835.

Many thanks for your offer of organising a dinner. I can confirm that we are really keen to do that. In terms of timing, shall we work on the basis of a 1915 start at the Kingsley for some pre dinner drinks/networking and sitting down at 2000?

My team will work with colleagues here, and contacts in Cork to develop a wider programme for Mr Russell's time in Cork not spent in the lecture. We will probably look to mix engagements with Cork politics, business, and civil society – so it will good to see who you propose to invite for the dinner so we can avoid too much duplication.

In saying that, I might try to organise a separate meeting with Dara Purphy – specifically in his ministerial capacity (he has the Europe portfolio, and Mr Russell has Brexit – so there is a great deal of common interest). Are you happy for me to approach Dara Murphy's office separately to see if a meeting outside the dinner would be possible?

I have copied my colleague Caroline walker, who will lead in my team on the logistics for the visit – please do let me know if there is someone in your team who should liaise with?

Thank you for attending tomorrow evening's function. We look forward to meeting you and to engaging in important and constructive discussion.

For information: The dinner guest list is attached. Dress code is business attire.

Regards

Dr Dr President IACES , Vice President IACES Professor | Dr State Control Lecturer, Department of Government, University College Cork Jean Monnet Chair in European Integration President, Irish Association for Contemporary European Studies www.iaces.ie Director, MComm (Government and Public Policy) http://www.ucc.ie/en/government/postgraduatestudy/mcomm/ Selected Publication Northern Ireland and the European Union: The Dynamics of a Changing Relationship (Manchester University Press 2014) Contact Details Department of Government University College Cork Cork, Ireland Tel: + 353 21 Fax:

The Minister is really keen to visit Knocknanuss.

Web: http://publish.ucc.ie/researchprofiles/B007/marycmurphy

We have a car booked and can make our own way. We should wrap up at UCC around 1300. Could we agree to meet at the site at 1400?

Are there specific directions to the site?

Also, I have been assured that you have an invitation to the business breakfast. You got it?

Regards,

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1640s. He was killed at Knocknanuss near Mallow, where there is plaque to him. We have surveyed the batlefield for the Battlefields Project, and also included it in the recent Cork County Council book on Rebel County Cork. We have also done work on the Cameron Highlanders in East Cork during the War of Independence, as part of the Landscapes of Revolution Project, including where they were based and engagements they were involved in. We have a lot of accounts relating to that around the town and East Cork. Some background to Knocknanuss below:

Bloodshed returned to Ireland– and Cork– on a dramatic scale in the 1640s. In 1641 a rebellion broke out when a number of Catholic Irish leaders, claiming to be acting on behalf of the King, attempted to seize control of the Irish government. Motivated by increasing pressure on Catholic landowners, the impact of the Ulster plantations and the deteriorating relationship between the King and Parliament, the revolt was initially largely centred on Ulster, but soon spread through the country. Many of the 'Old English' who had retained their Catholic faith joined with the rebels, who became known as the Confederates. Over the course of the decade that followed numerous armies entered the fray, variously championing the cause of the Confederates, the Royalists, the Parliamentarians and (in Ulster) the Scots. Most famously, Oliver Cromwell led his forces to Ireland in 1649, in a decisive move that ultimately brought about the war's endgame, though the last fortress did not fall to Parliamentarian troops until 1653. The wars were characterised by religious hatred, which often led to the wholesale slaughter of soldiers and civilians alike.

Among the major engagements fought in Cork early in the war were the battle at Liscarroll in 1642, where the Confederate Army of Munster led by Garret Barry was defeated by a Royal army under Baron Inchiquin and the battle at Manning Ford/Cloghlea near Fermoy in 1643, where the Confederates succeeded defeating a Crown force, one of their few battlefield successes in Munster[i]. By far the best-known confrontation of the conflict in Cork occurred at the hill of Knocknanuss, near Kanturk, on 13 November 1647, the biggest battle ever fought in Munster[ii]. There the Confederate Army of Munster, led by Viscount Taaffe, faced Inchiquin's

Hi Hi

I would like to confirm that Professor John O'Halloran, UCC Vice President for Teaching and Learning would be delighted to formally welcome Minister Russell to UCC on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April at 5pm in the President's Office.

The visit would take the form of a brief photo op and then a private meeting with Professor O'Halloran and colleagues. The President's Office is situated on the Quad (main UCC campus). We can arrange to meet the Minister and escort him to the venue if that were appropriate.

I trust these arrangements are satisfactory.



From:

Date: Thursday 13 April 2017 16:22

To: "

Cc: "

**Subject:** RE: Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe - Attendance at IACES Annual Lecture - Logistics

Dear

Thanks very much for sending this through, programme looks good. I look forward to receiving a guest list for lunch and if possible, any list of those signed up to attend the lecture.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best.



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From:

Sent: 13 April 2017 16:08

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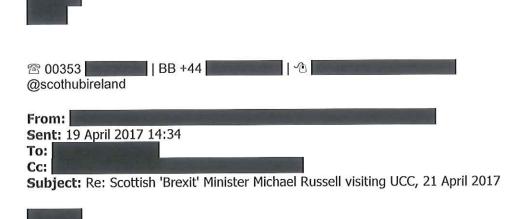
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Dear

From: "
Date: Wednesday 19 April 2017 14:52
To: "
Cc: "
Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hello
That is all clear, thank you very much.

We have arranged a driver for the two days so I can pass on those instructions.



Thanks for your email.

The meeting with the VP for Teaching and Learning in UCC is scheduled for 5pm (my apologies – below was a typo).

I can arrange for a taxi to pick you up at City Hall and bring you to UCC – directly to the President's Office – for 5pm. Would this suit? If so, let me know what time you anticipate being ready to leave City Hall. If you have made other travel arrangements, you should advise the driver to enter the campus via the main vehicle entrance on College Road. The Security Office at the barrier will then advise where the car should drop you off (i.e. East Wing of the Quad, where we will meet you). Let me know what suits best.

The dinner is being hosted by the Irish Association for Contemporary European Studies (IACES) of which I am President and John O'Brennan is Vice President (see <a href="https://www.iaces.ie">www.iaces.ie</a>).

Drinks will be informal. Dinner will be slightly more formal with a seating plan and some opportunity for discussion of the following day's lecture. I will very briefly welcome guests at the beginning of dinner and John O'Brennan will close dinner with a few words. The Minister is very welcome to speak also if he wishes.

I think that covers everything.

- The Vice President will ask the Minister to sign the Visitor's Book and there will be a photographer there to take some photos. Following that the Minister, VP and others will retire to the VP's Office for tea/coffee and discussion. OK
- Dress code for dinner is business attire Noted

I also attach the final list for dinner. Unfortunately, quite a number of invitees are away this week and regret being unable to attend. In addition, it is worth noting the following:

• Lord Mayor of Cork, Des Cahill, cannot attend the dinner or lecture, but intends to call to UCC about 15 minutes in advance of the lecture to welcome Minister Russell to Cork. I trust this can be accommodated. Can we check if this is still the case? Mr Russell will be visiting the Mayor on his arrival in Cork on Thursday afternoon.

Two guests are unable to attend dinner, but will be attending the lecture on the Friday morning: Noted

, Chief Executive of Cork City Council
iada MEP (Sinn Fein) — office have advised that they intend to
contact the Minister's Office directly to arrange a brief meeting with the Minister either preor post-lecture

In terms of media coverage, the *Irish Times* are sending a reporter to cover the event. I expect there may be more media interest on the day. I have advised that the Minister will be available for questions/interviews after the lecture. I trust this is satisfactory. If you have a copy of the Minister's script, we can distribute this to the media (the *Irish Times* have already requested this). We hope to get you a copy of the speech this afternoon, or at the very least before the dinner, however we are working with the Minister on it this afternoon.

We will also have a photographer to record Friday's lecture. With your agreement, we would like to take some shots in advance of the lecture (with the Lord Mayor, organisers, students, etc.). Would the Minister be happy for his lecture to be recorded? If so, great. If not, that's no problem. This should be fine.

Hope all is in order. Do email or give me a call if you have any further issues. Looking forward to meeting you.

Kind regards
From: " Date: Wednesday 19 April 2017 12:18 To: "
Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi Baran

I hope everything is going well at your end.

I'm following up on a few logistical points here:

From: " Date: Tuesday 18 April 2017 14:04 To: " Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi entered to the second secon
I think is planning on touching base properly tomorrow but was just wondering how we're doing on the dinner list? (Don't worry too much about lecture attendees just now unless you know of any key names we should be aware of.)
With best wishes,
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From: Sent: 13 April 2017 15:17 To: Cc: Subject: Re: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi Hi
Thank you for your email and for the information below. That's very helpful.
I have asked dinner invitees to RSVP by tomorrow, so I hope to be able to send you a list of attendees then. [For info: Minister Dara Murphy has already accepted the dinner invitation.] Can you advise what guests/colleagues Minister Russell will be bringing to dinner?
Kind regards
From: " Date: Thursday 13 April 2017 15:11 To: " " Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Hi Real Property of the Control of t
Thanks to you and for everything so far.

Just picking up on a couple of outstanding queries that we're just getting to the bottom of:

Thank you for this. I am heading off on leave next week but will be in the office. Kind regards, ■ |Office and Events Manager |Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland | 29 Merrion Road | Dublin | D04 P272 | 🕾 00 353 (0) Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9.30am -2.00pm From: Sent: 13 April 2017 12:47 To: Cc: Subject: Re: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017 Hi **Baran** Unfortunately, the President is unable to meet the Minister, but he is hoping to nominate one of his Vice-Presidents to meet with Minister Russell instead. I will be in touch as soon as I have clarification. The dress for the dinner on Thursday 20 April is business attire. Regards From: I Date: Thursday 13 April 2017 11:08 Subject: FW: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017 Apologies for the second email but do you know if the meeting with the President of UCC has been confirmed as yet? Kind regards, Office and Events Manager | Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland | Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9.30am -2.00pm From:

Subject: RE: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017

Sent: 13 April 2017 10:52

To: Cc:

From: " Date: Thursday 6 April 2017 12:23 To: " Cc: "
Subject: Re: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Thanks for letting us know
Not to worry - this is understandable
3pm won't work, as we have a meeting fixed for 230 with
Might there be an option to have a courtesy call towards the end of the day, and before dinner on the Thursday evening. Sometime between 5 and 630pm?
Could I also confirm a couple of details. Is there an address for the lecture venue? How many do you expect to attend?
On the dinner, are we confirmed for the Kingsley? And lastly, how is interest in the lecture and dinner looking at this stage?
Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone.  From: Sent: Thursday, April 6, 2017 10:37 AM To: Cc: Subject: FW: Scottish 'Brexit' Minister Michael Russell visiting UCC, 21 April 2017
Please see email below from President of UCC, Professor
In terms of context, the Ford Motor Company is celebrating 100 years in Cork hence the honorary conferring of and some related events in UCC on Friday 21 April.
I appreciate it's not entirely satisfactory, but would Minister Russell be available to meet with President at 3pm on Friday 21 April?
Best
From: " Date: Thursday 6 April 2017 09:32 To Cc:

Mr Mike Russell (PS) (Supporting Official) (Scottish Govt. Hub, Dublin) (Scottish Govt. Hub, Dublin) I'm cc'ing in my colleague, as I'm off on leave next week. She will keep you updated if there happens to be any changes. If you need any more information please don't hesitate to contact us Kind regards, Office and Events Manager | Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland | 29 Merrion Road | Dublin | D04 P272 | 🕾 00 353 (0) 87 | @scothubireland | 🗈 Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9.30am -2.00pm From: Sent: 04 April 2017 15:18 To: Subject: RE: SG Visit - Mike Russell - 20 April Thanks Kind regards, Secretary to the Lord Mayor Councillor Des Cahill Lord Mayor's Chamber Cork City Council City Hall Cork Tel; 021 Fax; 021 Email; From: Sent: 04 April 2017 13:41 Subject: RE: SG Visit - Mike Russell - 20 April Dear

Thanks for your prompt response. We are very pleased that the Lord Mayor is able to meet with Mr Russell. I will get back to you on how many will attend as soon as possible.

Kind regards,

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