### DRAFT PROGRAMME:

#### Morning

**SEMINAR**  
Venue: M4 Museum Building, TCD; Time: 9.30am – 4.30pm

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| 10.00 – 11.00 | **Opening Session: Setting the Scene - Policy and Research Priorities for International Development**  
**Speakers:**  
- Joe Costello, Minister of State *‘One World, One Future’: Implementing Ireland’s Policy for International Development* - 15mins  
- Kevin Watkins, ODI Executive Director - *‘New Thinking on the Role of Research in Development: Perspectives from ODI’*. 15mins  
- Professor Ronnie Munck, Chair DSAI - *‘Development Research: The Irish Context’* 15 mins  
Followed by short facilitated Q&A  
**Moderator:** Dominic MacSorley, CEO Concern Worldwide |
| 11.00 – 11.15 | **BREAK - COFFEE**                                                            |
| 11.15 – 13.00 | **Panel Discussion – Using research to inform policy and practice**  
**Objectives**  
- Referencing work of Irish Aid, ODI, and Irish institutions and organisations in related areas.  
- Identifying key issues around using research to inform policy and practice.  
**Short Inputs:**  
- Vincent O’Neill, Head of Policy Section, Irish Aid - *Maximising our Impact through research and learning*.  
- Development Studies Association, Ireland - Presentation  
- NGO Presentation  
- ODI – two representatives on following (working titles):  
  ➢ *‘How can research drive the post 2015 agenda of ‘Ending Extreme Poverty and Leaving No one Behind’?’’*  
  ➢ *‘Building Peace and Effective and Accountable Institutions for All: What is the evidence telling us?’*  
Followed by short Q&A. |
| 13.00-14.00 | **BREAK - LUNCH**                                                             |
### Afternoon

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| 14.00 – 15.30 | **Group Work: Identifying Linkages and Opportunities**                   | **Objectives:**  
- Getting to know each other.  
- Mapping out research activity, and relating it to each of the policy goals.  
- Identifying opportunities for further engagement and collaboration between ODI and Irish stakeholders and across Irish Stakeholders on the three goals of the new Irish Policy for International Development.  

**Group facilitators (ODI)**  
1. **Reduced Hunger, Stronger Resilience:**  
   Sara Pantuliano, Head of the Humanitarian Policy Group [HPG](#).  
   Paul Harvey, Research Associate and Director of the Secure Livelihoods Research Consortium [SLRC](#).  
2. **Sustainable Development, Inclusive Economic Growth:**  
   Rachel Slater, Head of the Social Protection Programme.  
   Kevin Watkins, Executive Director.  
3. **Better Governance, Human Rights and Accountability:**  
   Marta Foresti, Head of the Politics and Governance Programme.  
   David Booth, Programme Director, Africa Power and Politics Programme, [APPP](#).  

| 15.30-15.45 | **BREAK - COFFEE** | |
| 15.45–16.30 | **Closing Session: Building Partnerships for Research and Learning**     | **Feedback from groups**  
**Short plenary discussion highlighting Key Actions with input from morning session panellists.**  
**Wrap-up and conclusion.** |