



Business Leaders Summit 2022

The social agenda
and competitiveness

Carton House, Co Kildare

Thursday, 28 April

19:00 Registration and drinks reception

Carton Suite

19:30 Dinner service

20:30 Guest speaker

Mary Lou McDonald, TD, Uachtarán Shinn Féin

Q&A with Mary Lou McDonald, TD

Moderated by Danny McCoy, CEO, Ibec

21:00 Dessert, tea and coffee

22:00 Evening proceedings close



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08:15 **Registration** *Fitzgerald Suite*

08:30 – 09:30 **Session 1: Breakfast session** *Princess Grace*

Welcome address

Danny McCoy, CEO, Ibec

09:30 - 10:20 **Session 2: What's at stake?** *Carton Suite*

Panel discussion

Moderated by Danny McCoy, CEO, Ibec

In this panel discussion, we ask the question of how businesses can strive for sustainable growth and competitiveness in a new world order that entails higher inflation rates but also a trickier environment for organisations to manage relationships with its workforce, the societies in which it operates and the political environment. What are the opportunities and challenges of driving business growth while increasing social impact?

On the agenda; the business implications of increasing corporate political responsibility, supply chain issues, industrial relations, employee activism, social dialogue, trust & reputation.

Panellists:

Mike Beary, AWS

Imelda Hurley, Coillte

Paul Duffy, Pfizer

Caroline Keeling, Keelings

10:20 - 10:40 **Coffee and networking break**

10:40 - 12:15 **Session 3: Facilitated table discussions** *Carton Suite*

Continuing on from the panel discussion, delegates will delve deeper into the following topics: stakeholder capitalism, cancel culture, employee activism, social dialogue, labour market impacts, collectivism and corporate social responsibility directives.

Feedback from tables

Closing remarks

Danny McCoy, CEO, Ibec

12:15 - 13:30 **Lunch and Summit close** *Fitzgerald Suite*