

DEPARTMENT FOR INFRASTRUCTURE
SCS AND DEPARTMENTAL BOARD MEMBERS

REGISTER OF GIFTS, HOSPITALITY AND AWARDS 1 OCTOBER 2025 – 31 MARCH 2026

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27/11/25	Jeremy Logan	N/A	Geraldine Guest (Fujitsu)	Invitation to the NI Chamber's President's Banquet		DVA has current contract with Fujitsu	£50	Declined	Jeremy Logan	15/10/26	Stephanie Lyons	15/10/26
07/11/25	Jeremy Logan	N/A	Tiffany Coates	Invitation to Logistics UK Annual Lunch	DVA often engage with the Transport Sector on relevant matters	N/A	£40	Declined	Jeremy Logan	05/11/25	Dionne McCafferty	05/11/26
14/10/25	Patricia McIntyre	N/A	The Open University	University Degree Ceremony and Lunch	Partnership with The Open University with DfI People Development and Workforce Planning	None	£25	Accepted	Denis McMahon	14/10/25	NG	14/10/25
21/10/25	Patricia McIntyre	N/A	DfI	Conference and Refreshments/Lunch	SO/DP Conference	None	£25	Accepted	Denis McMahon	21/10/25	NG	21/10/25
22/10/25 & 23/10/25	Patricia McIntyre	N/A	NICSHR	Training and Refreshments	Catalyst Grade 5 Leadership Programme (Module 5)	None	£20	Accepted	Denis McMahon	22/10/25	NG	22/10/25
12/11/25	Patricia McIntyre	N/A	NICSHR	Training and Refreshments	Catalyst Grade 5 Leadership Programme (Module 6)	None	£10	Accepted	Denis McMahon	12/11/25	NG	12/11/25
19/11/25	Patricia McIntyre	N/A	NICSHR	Conference and Refreshments/Lunch	SCS Autumn Leadership Event	None	£25	Accepted	Denis McMahon	19/11/25	NG	19/11/25
06/03/26	Karen Fullerton	N/A	Ardmore Advertising	Attendance at IoD International Women's Day event	Networking opportunity with a wide range of external stakeholders	Ardmore Advertising currently hold the contract for road safety advertising	£150	Accepted	Declan McGeown	14/5/26	Karen Fullerton	17/04/26
05/03/26	Gavin Allen	N/A	AtkinsRealis	Invitation to attend the CIHT Northern Ireland Gala Dinner and Awards 2026		N/A	£60	Declined	N/A	N/A	Louise Higgins	26/02/26

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05/11/25	Colin Woods	N/A	Linen Quarter BID	Invitation to attend a light switch event of a restored historic asset event and drinks reception	The Linen Quarter BID is a key Business stakeholder that the Department engages with directly on a number of issues in Belfast City Centre - attendance to maintain positive working relationships and support the Department's Plans to look after historic assets	N/A	£15	Accepted (Colin Woods was unable to attend after the invite was accepted)	Denis McMahon	05/11/25	Catherine Heath	05/11/25
20/11/25	Sian Kerr	N/A	Stenaline	The naming of Stena Futura	Ongoing engagement with Belfast Harbour	N/A	£20	Declined	N/A	N/A	Martha Linton	20/10/25
20/11/25	Sian Kerr	N/A	Belfast Harbour	A gala celebration marking the 20 th anniversary of Stena Line in Belfast	Ongoing engagement with Belfast Harbour	N/A	£50	Declined	N/A	N/A	Martha Linton	27/10/25
10/11/25	Sian Kerr	N/A	Belfast Harbour	Stakeholder Festive Reception	Ongoing engagement with Belfast Harbour	N/A	£25	Declined	N/A	N/A	Martha Linton	25/11/25
10/02/26	Sian Kerr	N/A	British Ports Association	British Ports Association Annual Lunch	Ongoing engagement with Ports	N/A	£50	Declined	N/A	N/A	Martha Linton	10/02/26
12/02/26	Sian Kerr	N/A	CIHT	CIHT Annual Dinner and Awards	Dept has been shortlisted for 4 awards	N/A	£75	Accepted	Declan McGeown	16/02/26	Martha Linton	13/02/26
11/03/26	Sian Kerr	N/A	Belfast Harbour	Harbour Connections Community Networking Event	Ongoing engagement with Belfast Harbour	N/A	£20	Declined	N/A	N/A	Martha Linton	12/03/26
11/11/25	Declan McGeown	N/A	PEACEPLUS NI	Launch of West Project with lunch	networking	N/A	£25	Declined	N/A	N/A	DMCG	16/10/25
18/11/25	Declan McGeown	N/A	ACE NI Association for Consultancy and Engineering	Event with drinks reception	networking	N/A	£20	Declined	N/A	N/A	DMCG	05/09/25

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02/10/25	David Porter		Construction Employers Federation (CEF)	The CEF have invited me to their Excellence Awards in the Crowne Plaza Hotel on the evening of the 2nd October 2025.	In my role as Director of Engineering within the Department I routinely engage with the CEF on matters related to industry capacity, professional qualification, procurement, and net zero. They have invited me to this event to help build our working relationship.	There are no current or potential contracts with the CEF.	£80 (estimated)	Accepted	Denis McMahon	29/09/25	Louise Higgins	30/09/25
02/10/25	Rosemary Daly	Kathryn McFerran	Mark Spence Chief Executive CEF	Guest Invitation to attend 2025 CEF Excellence Awards – 2 Oct 25 & Dinner	The CEF Excellence Awards are firmly established as the highlight of the local construction calendar and allow us to recognise and celebrate the excellence of the construction industry in Northern Ireland	N/A	Est £60+	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	12/08/25
07/11/25	Rosemary Daly	N/A	Padraig Venney NHBC Director NI & Isle of Man	Invitation to attend the NHBC Pride in the Job Awards Dinner 7 Nov at Culloden Hotel	NHBC Pride in the Job Awards	N/A	Est £60+	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	22/10/25
20/11/25	Rosemary Daly (BIC Colleagues)	N/A	Will Sinclair	Invitation to an occasion celebrating the formalising of the Celtic Academies Alliance – 20 Nov – Cardiff Castle	Networking with VIP stakeholders in Ireland-Wales-Scotland relations leaders of our national and civic institutions	N/A	Est £60+	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	13/08/25
02/12/25	Rosemary Daly	N/A	Carson McDowell, Solicitors	Christmas Planning & Environmental Case Law Update Europa Hotel, Dublin Suite Belfast	Christmas Planning & Environmental Case Law Update ad drinks reception	N/A	£20	Accepted	Judith Andrews	14/11/25	Julie Maroadi	20/11/25
11/12/25	Rosemary Daly	N/A	Tughans	Invitation to Tughans Annual Christmas Reception	Christmas Reception	N/A	£20	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	19/11/25
21/01/26	Rosemary Daly	N/A	The Governance Team RTPI	RTPI Presidential Inauguration - 21 January 2026	Presidential Inauguration Event	N/A	n/a	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	13/10/25

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28/01/26	Rosemary Daly	N/A	Matt King KPMG	Invitation to attend WIN Cork Regional Event – 28 Jan 2026 KPMG Office, Cork	Cork's Low Carbon Future / Gas Networks Ireland and Cork City Council	N/A	£25	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	16/12/25
03/03/26	Rosemary Daly	N/A	CEF	Invitation to attend the CyberNI Conference 2026 at La Mon Hotel on 3 March	The event will feature a number of high calibre expert speakers and promises to be an engaging and informative experience. It will bring together cyber security professionals and senior leaders from the public and private sectors, offering a prime opportunity for networking, further enhancing the local cyber security community.	None	£25	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	03/02/26

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05/03/26	Rosemary Daly	N/A	Nick Salt, RTPi NI Chair	Invitation to attend the RTPi NI Annual Dinner on 5 March at Titanic Hotel, Belfast	Guest Invitation as the RTPi is the leading professional body for spatial planners in the UK. It is a charity with the purpose to develop the art and science of town planning for the benefit of the public as a whole. It has over 27,000 members worldwide, just over 600 of whom reside in Northern Ireland serving in local government and as advisors in the private sector. The annual dinner is a prestigious event attended by many leading figures in the planning and construction profession.	None	£60+	Accepted	Dfl Perm Sec	05/02/26	Julie Maroadi	29/01/26
19/03/26	Rosemary Daly	N/A	Tracy Windrim	Guest Invitation to attend 2026 NI Construction Dinner at Titanic Building Belfast	The evening will be reflecting on an illustrious past, but also looking ahead to a promising future for the sector.	N/A	£60+	Accepted	Dfl Perm Sec	24/02/26	Julie Maroadi	23/01/26
27/11/25	Kathryn McFerran	N/A	Judith Rance - NI Chamber of Commerce	Dinner/banquet	NI Chamber President's Banquet Invite - 27.11.25	N/A	Est £60+	Declined	Judith Andrews	16/10/25	Fiona McCartan	16/10/25
11/12/25	Kathryn McFerran	N/A	Tughans Annual Christmas Reception - Thursday 11 December	Reception	Invitation Reminder Tughans Annual Christmas Reception - Thursday 11 December	N/A	£25	Declined	Judith Andrews	05/12/25	Fiona McCartan	05/12/25

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02/10/25	Kathryn McFerran	N/A	Tracey Windrim CEF	Dinner	CEF Excellence Awards are firmly established as the highlight of the local construction calendar and allow us to recognise and celebrate the excellence of the construction industry in Northern Ireland	N/A	Est £65+	Accepted	Judith Andrews	29/07/25	Fiona McCartan	29/09/25
12/03/26	Kathryn McFerran	N/A	Stephanie Dunlop	Dinner	This flagship event is widely recognised as one of the most significant dates in the energy industry calendar. It consistently attracts senior leaders and representatives from across the energy supply chain, including utilities, renewable energy, academia, government, and the wider business community. The evening provides an excellent opportunity to network, exchange insights, and reflect on the emerging trends, challenges and opportunities shaping the energy transition	N/A	Est £65+	Declined	N/A	N/A	Julie Maroadi	20/02/26
19/03/26	Kathryn McFerran	N/A	Tracy Windrim	Guest Invitation to attend 2026 NI Construction Dinner At Titanic Buildings, Belfast	The evening will be reflecting on an illustrious past, but also looking at a promising future for the Sector.	N/A	Est £60+	Accepted	Dfl Perm Sec	25.02.026	Julie Maroadi	23/01/26

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05/03/26	Kathryn McFerran	N/A	Nick Sale RTPI NI Chari	Invitation to attend the RTPI NI Annual Dinner At Titanic Hotel, Belfast	Guest Invitation to attend with Chief Planner to the Annual Dinner attending by leading figures in the Planning and construction sectors	N/A	Est £60+	Accepted	Dfl Perm Sec	05/02/26	Julie Maroadi	29/01/26
04/12/25	Gary Quinn	N/A	Eamon@newry.com	Invitation to Newry Business Charity Dinner	Invites as a guest of Eamon	N/A	£70	Declined	Gary Quinn	29/09/25	N Shivers	14/10/25
04/12/25	Jonathan McKee	N/A	Eamon@newry.com	Invitation to Newry Business Charity Dinner	Work as part of a resilience group	N/A	£70	Declined	N/A	29/09/25	K Gracey	03/10/25
10/10/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Angela McGowan, CBI NI. CBI Northern Ireland Annual Business Breakfast	Breakfast	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
16/10/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Grade 3 Leadership Programme, 16 October 2025 in the Ulster University	tea, coffee and breakfast	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
22/10/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Jane McDowell, Chief Executives' Forum (CEF) CEF/PWC Private Breakfast Briefing	Breakfast	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
22/10/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Dr Ryan Feeney, QUB	Discussion on AI and the Future of Work.	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
12/11/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Anne Madden, Walk, Wheel, Cycle Trust (formerly Sustrans)	Morning Reception	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
13/11/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Ireland Twiggs, Voice Matters Launch of Co-Operation Ireland Voice Matters Report.	Networking Opportunity	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
20/12/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Minister Kimmins Launch of Dfl's Anti-Drug Driving Campaign	Networking Opportunity	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26

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09/12/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Belfast Harbour	Annual Festival Reception	Networking opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
11/12/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Anne Dickson, CEF	CEF Annual Lunch and AGM	Networking Opportunity		£20	Declined			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
11/12/25	Denis McMahon	N/A	Attorney General	Attorney General's Christmas Reception	Networking Opportunity		£20	Accepted			Lisa McAteer	17/04/26
28/10/26	Declan McGeown	N/A	NICS 50 Years Long Service	Buffet Lunch	Departmental event		£20	Accepted			Lisa McAteer	27/04/26
05/03/26	Declan McGeown	N/A	Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation	Gala Dinner	Networking		£60	Declined			Lisa McAteer	27/04/26
19/03/26	Declan McGeown	N/A	CEF	Dinner and drinks reception	Networking		£60	Declined			Lisa McAteer	27/04/26
27/03/26	Declan McGeown	N/A	Ulster Farmers' Union Annual Dinner	Dinner and Drinks reception	Networking		£60	Declined			Lisa McAteer	27/04/26
Received at County Hall, Coleraine in Dec 2024	Colin Hutchinson		John Sisk & Son (Holdings) Ltd. Dublin	Christmas Hamper	Christmas Gift	A5WTC S2 awarded	£200	Returned – box was discovered along with Christmas decorations – when we realised what is was arrangements were made to return to Sisk.	N/A	N/A	Blathnaid McAlorum	21/01/26
12/12/25	Colin Hutchinson		CIHT	Invitation to CIHT Luncheon 2025		CIHT Committee	£235	Accepted but was unable to attend due to A5 High Court Hearing	Denis McMahon	20/11/25	Blathnaid McAlorum	20/11/25
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Kiera Lloyd nil return												
Lucy Marten nil return												
Moya Johnston nil return												
Chris Hughes nil return												

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						Jonathan Saulters nil return						
						Liam McEvoy nil return						
						Donal Moran nil return						
						Brenda Burke nil return						
						Owen McGivern nil return						
						Susan Anderson nil return						
						Kerry Mack nil return						
						Brighdin McAleenan nil return						
						Colin Sykes nil return						
						Michael Kennedy nil return						
						Frank Kirkland nil return						