

# Working Group on Sediment Generation meeting, Dublin 2018

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## The where and when

The fourth biennial meeting of the Working Group on Sediment Generation (WGSG) will be held in Ireland for the first time on the 27<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018 in Trinity College Dublin.

## What is it about?

The Working Group on Sediment Generation aims at increasing our understanding of sediment generation in the broadest sense of the word, by developing an integrated quantitative methodology that can be applied on different spatial and temporal scales. It includes topics such as sediment generation and dispersal, composition and provenance, as well as mass balancing and modelling of the relevant processes. The working group also aims to promote the education of early career researchers. The last two meetings in Leuven and Gottingen have attracted approximately 75 delegates; we expect this meeting to have closer to 100 attendees.

A healthy industry presence has been a feature of the previous WGSG meetings and this has been hugely beneficial for all attendees, especially early career researchers. We wish to bring the event to your attention and to encourage you and your colleagues to participate.

## Keynotes

Three speakers (see below) have confirmed, with more to be announced later this year:

**Dr Yani Najman, Lancaster University**

**Prof. Niels Hovius (GFZ German Research Centre for Geosciences)**

**Dr Gordon Bromley, NUI Galway**

**Dr Alex Whittaker, Imperial College London**

## Sounds good. When can I register?

1<sup>st</sup> March 2018 – Registration and abstract submission opens

10<sup>th</sup> May 2018 – Registration and abstract submission closes

Registration fees	
Type	Fee
Students (inc. PhD)	€75
Researchers	€150
Industry	€300

Registration fees include:

*Abstract submission*

*Attendance at all talks and poster sessions*

*Morning and afternoon Coffee*

*All lunches*

*Conference dinner*



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