





Welcome Dublin ENTRACTE and CECILIA 2050 November 12 and 13, 2013



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Why we are here

Counterfactual

What would be the loss if ENTRACTE and CECILIA were not funded?

- Intellectual enrichment?
- Policy performance?

Brussels 2015 (18 months from now) – have to justify our contribution to policy

'8 products for the policy process'



CECILIA

They have the best name..

'Cecilia' Simon and Garfunkel (1970)

Making love in the afternoon with Cecilia Up in my bedroom (making love) I got up to wash my face When I come back to bed Someone's taken my place





Structure

Three talents

- Best minds
- Best policy people
- Best stakeholder interests

3 interacting strands

- Macro European level
- Member State level
- EU ETS and NETS

Attention to detail

(Andrew Kelly)

Evidence followed by discussion

Chaired by Denny and Frank





Preferred Focus 1 - 'anti blather'

Blather (Old Norse): Talk long-windedly without making very much sense:





Focus 2 – on the essentials..

Hugh Leonard: Everything I once thought I knew for certain I have seen inverted, revised, disproved, or discredited. Shall I tell you something? In seventy years the one surviving fragment of my knowledge, the only indisputable poor particle of certainty in my entire life, is that in a public house lavatory in Dublin, incoming traffic has the right of way. [Drumm to Charlie in Da (Act Two)]





Enjoy!

Luke Redmond on developments at UN level on policy instruments

Useful to understand what (might..) emerge at global level



