

From: James Smith <james.smith.2@bc.edu>
Date: October 26, 2011 5:16:26 PM GMT+01:00
To: "<Nuala.NiMhuircheartaigh@dfa.ie> <Nuala.NiMhuircheartaigh@dfa.ie>"
<Nuala.NiMhuircheartaigh@dfa.ie>
Subject: Re: Thanks!

Likewise Nuala ... it was great to talk through things. I send an email to Claire, Maeve, Katherine and Mari filling them in on our conversation ... I encouraged Mari to email you to set up a phone conversation. She is closer to the records issue than I.

I really hope Maria Luddy responds and that you have the opportunity to speak with her. You mentioned Diarmid Ferriter ... his email at UCD is Diarmaid Ferriter

[REDACTED]

One other person crops to mind for now -- Dr. Eoin O'Sullivan at Trinity College Dublin's school of Social Work -- he collaborated with Mary Raftery on the book *Suffer the Little Children* -- he has extensive research experience working with the Department of Education Residential Institution Records, and he also was one of the academic experts (along with Diarmid Ferriter indeed) who wrote context chapter for the Ryan Report. He is excellent on why Ireland relied so heavily on recarceral institutions for various forms of social control. He also appeared in Mary Raftery's recent "Behind the Walls" documentary. His email is [REDACTED] or also perhaps [REDACTED]

I will try to work on those Mother and Baby home archive records this weekend and get back to you,
talk soon and again thanks for that chat earlier.

Best
Jim

On Oct 26, 2011, at 11:46 AM, <Nuala.NiMhuircheartaigh@dfa.ie>
<Nuala.NiMhuircheartaigh@dfa.ie> wrote:

Thanks for the chat earlier Jim -- I hope your Dad is back to himself soon.

Mind yourself and talk to you shortly

Nuala

Attention:

2515

This e-mail is privileged and confidential.
If you are not the intended recipient please delete the message and
notify the sender.
Any views or opinions presented are solely those of the author.

This email was scanned by Ironport and has been certified virus free
with the pattern file currently in use.
This however cannot guarantee that it does not contain malicious
content.

Tabhair aire:

Tá an r-phost seo faoi phribhléid agus faoi rún.
Mura tusa an duine a bhí beartaithe leis an teachtaireacht seo a fháil,
scrios é le do thoil agus cuir an seoltóir ar an eolas.
Is leis an údar amháin aon dearcaí nó tuairimí a léirítear.

Scanadh an r-phost seo le Ironport agus deimhníodh go raibh sé saor ó
víoras leis an bpatrúnchomhad atá in úsáid faoi láthair.
Ní féidir a ráthú leis seo áfach nach bhfuil ábhar mailíseach ann.

James Smith
Associate Professor
English Department & Irish Studies Program
Boston College
617-552-1596
smithbt@bc.edu