

Humanitarian Action Study Group - Development Studies Association Ireland Panel Discussion

Conflict and displacement in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC)

Wednesday 25th April at 18.30

Room G16, Irish School of Ecumenics, Trinity College Dublin

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Katanika Displacement Settlement, Tanganyika Province, is now home to about 70,000 people. Most of them list food, clean water, cash, clothes, healthcare and education as their most crucial needs. Photo: NRC/Christian Jepsen

The Democratic Republic of Congo is facing one of the world's worst humanitarian crises. Over 4 million people have been displaced due to conflict, facing immense obstacles and often uncertain futures in their search for safety. Meanwhile, crises in neighbouring states are driving cross-border movements in a wider region long beset by cycles of conflict and poverty.

Speakers:

- Caitriona Dowd (Humanitarian Policy Officer, Concern Worldwide)
- Niall O'Rourke (Humanitarian Operations and Performance Manager, Christian Aid)
- Niamh Gaynor (Dublin City University)
- Seán Ó hAodha (Irish Aid)

