

NI Autumn Regional Meeting 2025

12th November 2025

Innovation, Resilience & Sustainability – Future-Proofing the Dairy Supply Chain

- 09:30** Welcome – Chair: Peter Simpson, Head of Food Technology, CAFRE
- 09:35** Lean, Mean & Green – Driving Sustainable Performance in Producing Milk
Becki Ray, Senior Consultant, Kite Consulting
- 10:15** ESG, Compliance and Commercial Opportunities in Dairy
Kevin Maher, Senior Executive, Dairy Sustainability Ireland
- 11:00** Break – Tea/Coffee – Trade Stand Viewing & Networking
- 11:30** “True North” for Dairy Science & Technology
Prof Mark Fenelon, Head of Food Programme, Teagasc
- 12:15** Smarter Dairies: Unlocking Operational Excellence Through AI & Automation
Sam Wilkinson, Strategy Director Food & Beverage, Siemens Digital Industries Software
- 13:00** Open Forum Discussion
- 13:15** Lunch / Networking / View Trade Stands
- 14:00** Tour of Food Innovation Centre / Robotics & Automation Department
- 15:00** Conference Closes

*This is a free, must-attend event for professionals across the dairy supply chain
However, places are limited and must be booked in advance via the link provided.*