

## C-TRIC Events May 2015

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May**  
**12:30 @ C-TRIC**

**“When is a Scientific Discovery only a Scientific Discovery?  
When the United States Patent and Trademark Office tells you.”**

**By Dr John McKeague**



Dr. John McKeague is a former student and member of staff of the University of Ulster, where he obtained both his Bachelors and PhD in Biomedical Sciences. He moved to the USA in 2001, attended George Washington University Law School, to obtain his Juris Doctor, and has worked in the intellectual property groups of several US law firms, where he practiced patent law, including prosecution and litigation. He returned to Northern Ireland for a short time, during which he was in-house at Norbrook Laboratories Ltd. He is currently Counsel in the Washington DC office of Porzio, Bromberg & Newman P.C.

**John will host 1-to-1 meetings after the event**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May**  
**12:00 @ C-TRIC**

**“Designing and Developing New Products in a Regulated Industry”**



- **Introduction to Quality Management Systems**
- **Life and Health Sciences Regulations, including pharma, diagnostics, medical devices and clinical trials.**
- **Medical Device Healthcare IT Systems**
- **Mobile Medical Device Apps**

### **About the Speakers**

Dr Peter Donnelly is a founding, director and the Chief Executive Officer of BioBusiness Ltd. BioBusiness is the All-Ireland Business Association for the Life and Health Sciences Sector and delivers programmes and support for the development and growth of the industrial sector. BioBusiness has leveraged over €54million in economic and commercial impact through its direct support and collaborative programmes.

Rhona McAteer, BSc (Hons), CBiol MSB, MCQI CQP, MRQA is a Chartered Quality Professional with expertise in Quality Management Systems within the GMP, medical devices and GCP early-phase clinical research arenas, and has hosted MHRA, FDA and ANVISA regulatory inspections. Rhona has over 19 year’s industry experience with most of her current work as a QA/QC international auditor.

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