

## Learning Objective

Public procurement is the acquisition, whether under formal contract or not, of works, supplies and services by public bodies. It ranges from the purchase of routine supplies or services to formal tendering and contracts for large capital works projects by a wide and diverse range of contracting authorities. Local Authorities must be conscious of their obligations to ensure that their procurement processes are open and transparent, and that suppliers understand how to do business with them.

Local Authorities must make sure they have suitable policies, procedures and systems in place to ensure compliance, achieve value for money and to manage risks relating to procurement while supporting service delivery. This conference will provide a practical overview of the duty on local authorities to comply with the Principles and Regulations of Public Procurement, Public Works Contracts and Debriefing.

**Conference Fee**  
**€100**



## VENUE

O'DONOVAN'S HOTEL  
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Professional Event Organisers  
Present a Conference on

# Local Authority Procurement Process

**20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**January 2023**

The conference organisers reserve the right to change any of the details of this programme to facilitate the safe and efficient running of this event in line with Government Covid-19 guidelines.

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# CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

6pm to 7pm- Registration followed by Welcome Address and Official Opening

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2023**

9am to 10am - Registration followed at 10.15am with

## **Introduction to Procurement**

11am - Comfort break followed at 11.30am with

## **Procurement Principles & Procedures**

Lunchbreak at 1pm followed at 2.30pm

## **Public Works Contracts and Debriefing**

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2023**

Conference overview and exploration of topics covered in conference followed by a learning experience analysis.

Facilitated by Conference enabler.

**Close Conference**

## **Celtic Conferences**

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## **SPEAKER**

## **Conor Finn**

Conor Finn formerly a quantity surveyor working with some of Ireland's top Tier contractors and in the last 6 years has specialised in Public Procurement working with the Office of Government Procurement and currently the Land Development Agency. He provides professional procurement guidance, advice, and support for internal operations and facilitates the development of best practice within public procurement.