



DIVING IRELAND
EXPO 2026



NMS Seirbhís Séadchomharthaí
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Underwater Cultural Heritage (UCH) workshop

The workshop, run by the National Monuments Service's (NMS) dive team, will cover the following:

1. Role of NMS and legal requirements (15 mins);
2. Nature and scope of UCH in Ireland, particularly wrecks (15 mins);
3. Two examples of UCH – Armada & River Shannon (30 mins);
4. Ways to be involved – the key role of the diving community (20 mins):
5. Non-disturbance survey of a wreck site – methods of recording (15 mins);
6. Threats & key questions – climate change & loss (15 mins);
7. Q & A (10 mins).