

# Tackling Forced Displacement: people, poverty & rights



Kaya Refugee Camp, Maban County, South Sudan.  
Photo by Paul Jeffrey 2018.

Thursday 25 October 2018  
Wood Quay Venue, Dublin  
9:30am to 12:30pm

For more information and to register please email  
[info@miseancara.ie](mailto:info@miseancara.ie) by Monday 15 October 2018.

## A public seminar on the impact of forced displacement on people, poverty and human rights.

During 2016, 10.3 million people were newly-displaced from their homes, an average of 20 people every minute throughout the year (UNHCR). This is a global crisis. Forced displacement is a cause of poverty and erodes human rights.

To mark the UN International Day for the Eradication of Poverty, Misan Cara will host a public seminar to hear from Irish missionary organisations working in the Global South to support people who have been forcibly displaced. The seminar will also address linkages to displacement, rights and advocacy issues in Ireland and internationally.

More information on the seminar can be found on the Misan Cara website: [www.miseancara.ie/tackling-forced-displacement](http://www.miseancara.ie/tackling-forced-displacement)



**Sara Amarillas**  
Fratelli Project,  
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Sara was born in Mexico and is a La Salle Alumnus. Sara graduated as a Multimedia Engineer and has been involved in many Lasallian social engagement activities. Sara volunteers at the Fratelli Project in Lebanon, working with Syrian and Iraqi refugees, and Lebanese and Palestinian children and youth.



**Sr. Denise Boyle**  
Coordinator, Global Action,  
Mercy International Association (MIA)

Sr. Denise was initially involved in secondary education, before moving into human rights education and advocacy work with a focus on women and children's rights. The key focus areas of MIA are 'Displacement of Peoples' and 'Cosmology / Eco-justice'.



**David Moriarty**  
Assistant Director,  
Jesuit Refugee Service Ireland (JRS)

JRS is an international NGO, working in over 50 countries. Their mission is to accompany, to serve and to advocate for refugees and forcibly displaced persons worldwide.