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ON AIR: MoLI – MUSEUM OF LITERATURE IRELAND

CONVERSATION ON CURATING LITERATURE IN AN ART SPACE
& READINGS BY CELEBRATED IRISH AUTHORS

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AND THEIR CZECH TRANSLATORS

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University College Dublin (UCD) and the National Library of Ireland (NLI) have teamed up to create a new museum that celebrates the literary heritage of Ireland and pays homage to Ireland's modern and contemporary writers. MoLI – Museum of Literature Ireland was launched in September 2019 and with its multi-media exhibitions, digital displays, a range of specially commissioned films, an online radio channel, learning programmes, and a brand new online platform featuring 100 Irish books published in the last decade, it makes a remarkable addition to Ireland's literary scene. Meet MoLI in a conversation on curating literature in an art space followed by readings from award-winning Irish authors and their Czech translators.

GUESTS:

Simon O'Connor, Director (MoLI)

Benedict Schlepper-Connolly, Digital Curator (MoLI)

Margaret Kelleher, Chair of Anglo-Irish Literature and Drama
(University College Dublin)

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Ondřej Pilný, Director (Centre for Irish Studies, Charles University Prague)

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