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PRESS RELEASE

CIT HOSTS IBEC'S SOUTH REGIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Cork Institute of Technology hosted IBEC's South Regional Executive Committee meeting where Dr Irene Sheridan, Head of CIT Extended Campus, made a presentation on the work and objectives of CIT Extended Campus.

The South Regional Executive Committee meets four to five times throughout the year to discuss national and regional issues of importance to the business community and to contribute to IBEC's policy formation.

In her presentation, Dr Sheridan outlined the key role played by CIT in driving, and contributing to, national policy on higher education engagement. CIT Extended Campus was set up in November 2011 to create and support collaboration between CIT and enterprise. Through hosting IBEC's South Regional Executive Committee, CIT had the opportunity to showcase the breadth of engagement occurring with enterprise throughout CIT and to strengthen CIT's link with enterprise in the region.

The current President of IBEC South REC is Brendan Keating, Chief Executive Officer, Port of Cork. Danny McCoy, IBEC's President, presented IBEC's new strategy to over thirty IBEC members in attendance.

For more details on CIT Extended Campus visit www.cit.ie/extendedcampus

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