

NUFFIELD COUNCIL ON BIOETHICS

Workshop:

STATUTORY TIME LIMIT FOR MAINTAINING HUMAN EMBRYOS IN CULTURE

The Nuffield Foundation, 28 Bedford Square, London, WC1B 3JS

Friday 16 December 2016 at 10.00 am

AGENDA

* Tea and coffee will be available from 9.30 am *

1. **Welcome and introductions**
Jonathan Montgomery (NCoB)
2. **Setting the scene – challenges and opportunities**
Sheelagh McGuinness (Bristol)
3. **What has the current limit achieved?**
Invited interventions (t.b.c.) followed by plenary discussion.
4. **How might scientific opportunities change if the limit were redrawn?**
Invited interventions (t.b.c.) followed by plenary discussion.

Buffet lunch

5. **Developmental thresholds and their moral and policy significance**
Invited interventions (t.b.c.) followed by plenary discussion.
6. **International context and implications**
Invited interventions (t.b.c.) followed by plenary discussion.
7. **Review of interests engaged**
Chaired discussion
8. **Conclusions and representations**
Jonathan Montgomery (NCoB)

* Meeting close (approx. 4.30 pm) *