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ARK FILM FESTIVAL: SEXUALITY AND RELATIONSHIPS IN NORTHERN IRELAND

EVENT: SCREENING OF 'KIND TO WOMEN' TO MARK THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE 1967 ABORTION ACT

TIME: TUESDAY 24 APRIL 2018, 12PM – 2PM.

VENUE: FILM STUDIO, off UNIVERSITY SQUARE, QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY BELFAST.

DISCUSSANTS: GORETTI HORGAN, ARK RESEARCHER AND ACTIVIST, QUB STUDENT'S UNION.

For the past 20 years, researchers at our two universities have been working together to improve the quality of publicly available information about life in Northern Ireland through (<http://ark.ac.uk>). Our research has reported on public attitudes on everything from gay rights to community relations. Some of our most challenging work has been on attitudes towards abortion in Northern Ireland.

In 2018, we are using film to explore the research we have undertaken on sexuality, relationships and reproductive rights. On April 24, 2018 we will host a free screening of 'Kind to Women' at Queen's Film Studio from 12pm to 2pm. The screening will be followed by a discussion led by Goretti Horgan, ARK researcher and activist.

'Kind to Women' is a moving documentary outlining the position of women in the UK before the passing of the 1967 Abortion Act. Women who survived illegal abortions, the doctors and nurses who cared for them and the campaigners who for a woman's right to choose reflect on the impact of the Act.

The event is free but places are limited. To register, please contact Eileen Gray on e.gray@qub.ac.uk

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