

Smarter Travel Student Awards The Judging Panel



Emma Kavanagh

National Network Executive at CRNI

Emma is a passionate storyteller with a keen interest in communicating social impact in dynamic, accessible and meaningful ways.

Emma's current role is the National Network Executive for Community Resources Network Ireland (CRNI), the representative body for community based reuse, repair and recycling organisations in Ireland. CRNI provides a range of practical supports to their members and aims to promote and mainstream community based waste management, where the community benefits from the social, environmental and economic value of all reusable resources.

A Dublin native, Emma has been a member of the World Economic Forum's Global Shapers community since 2017, a network of young people driving dialogue, action and change in their cities and communities. Emma also sits on the Board of RREUSE, an international network representing social enterprises active in re-use, repair and recycling based in Brussels. Emma enjoys digital storytelling and has a BSc. in Multimedia from DCU.

