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1. Do ISAG Care About Zero Covid At All Or Is It Solely About Terrorising People Using Psychological Warfare? 🧵 1/22



2. In the light of the Zero Covid ISAG and gript.ie revelations I thought I'd dig a bit more into the psychology area and the role it and ISAG have in playing "mind games" with the Irish people.

3. ISAG members were told to "look for ways to increase insecurity, anxiety, & uncertainty" & to "go after people & not institutions" because "people hurt faster than institutions." The instructions were shared to the group by Professor Anthony Staines

gript.ie/look-for-ways-...

4. ISAG is working closely with SAGE in the UK as the same happened there. Interestingly it was Prof Scally who sent Alinsky's rules (above) to SAGE. Prof Scally is part of ISAG as well. Alinsky's rules are basically a communist manifesto.

en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rules_for...

5. If we look more closely at the members of ISAG some interesting points come to light. Before I look at that though it is instrumental to look at the UK's equivalent Independent SAGE as they have close connections and could well be working in tandem.

6. Independent SAGE have 12 members but are also advised by a sub-group The Independent SAGE Behavioural Advisory Group. This has 8 members, 6 of the 8 are Professors of Psychology.

The Independent SAGE Behavioural Advisory Group includes leading authorities in anthropology, behavioural sciences, criminology, health studies and psychology. Some of the members also participate in UK-wide and Scottish government advisory groups. Its role is complementary, not an alternative, to these other roles. It will support Independent SAGE in looking in depth at key policy issues, including ones not currently on the government's agenda.

The Behavioural Advisory Group aims to help in the development of constructive proposals and policies that will help the UK Government lead the country out of the worst public health crisis of our lifetime.

Appendix 1: Members of the Behavioural Advisory Group

- **Linda Bauld** is Professor of Public Health at the University of Edinburgh. She specialises in public health policy and the evaluation of behavioural interventions. She serves as adviser to the Covid-19 Committee of the Scottish Parliament.
- **Laura Bear** is Professor of Anthropology at the London School of Economics. Her current research focusses on the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on vulnerable communities. She is a participant in SPI-B (SAGE).
- **John Drury** is Professor of Social Psychology at the University of Sussex specialising in research on collective behaviour including behaviour in emergencies. He is a participant in SPI-B (SAGE).
- **Susan Michie** is Professor of Health Psychology and Director of the Centre for Behaviour Change, University College London. Her research focuses on behaviour change in relation to health and the environment. She is a participant in SPI-B (SAGE).
- **Ann Phoenix** is Professor of Psychosocial Studies at the Thomas Coram Research Unit, UCL Institute of Education. Her research focusses on racialised and gendered identities, family lives and home, migration and transnational families.
- **Stephen Reicher** is Professor of Psychology at the University of St. Andrews. His work addresses group processes, leadership, influence and collective action. He is a participant in SPI-B (SAGE) and in the Advisory Group to the Scottish Chief Medical Officer on Covid-19.
- **Elizabeth Stokoe** is Professor of Social Interaction at Loughborough University. She is an expert in conversation analysis. She is a consultant for SPI-B (SAGE).
- **Robert West** is Emeritus Professor of Health Psychology at University College London. He specialises in addiction and behaviour change. He is a participant in SPI-B (SAGE).

7. The most well known member of both SAGE groups is Professor Susan Michie who is a member of the Communist party in the UK and is frequently on TV. Psychology obviously has a very important role to play in Ind SAGE's policy and message.

[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Susan_Mic...](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Susan_Michie)

8. It's also important to note that Professor Gabriel Scally sits in both ISAG & Independent SAGE.

So does Psychology have a role to play. From the gript.ie revelations you would absolutely think so.

9. To date none of the allegations have been answered. There has been ample opportunity. None of the TV presenters have grown a pair and asked ISAG members about the revelations.

10. Prof Aoife McLysaght who is a member of ISAG appeared on the Tonight Show on March 2nd 2021. There was no mention at all of the “psychological” leaked documents by the presenters. They are obviously under instructions to say nothing

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Professor in Genetics, Trinity College Dublin

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11. Prof Gerry Killeen appeared the following night on March 3rd. Another opportunity to question a member of ISAG yet nothing was said. Killeen's sole intention was just to instill more fear in people.



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12. What about the members of ISAG themselves ? Are there any connection to Psychologists. Obviously, there is nothing like the number of the UK due to the size of Ireland but there are definitely members who have connections.

13. Prof Staines is involved with Psychology in Dublin City University (DCU). On his own web site astaines.eu/cv/ he says “I initiated a new undergraduate degree program in Psychology in DCU”

dcu.ie/psychology.

14. Prof Staines’ department in DCU is Psychotherapy.

Definition "Psychotherapy is the use of psychological methods, particularly when

based on regular personal interaction with adults, to help a person change behaviour and overcome problems in desired ways"

15. Although not in ISAG there is a colleague of Prof Staines in DCU who is also an agenda contributor to the WEF. Janine Bosak is an Associate Professor in Organisational Psychology at DCU

weforum.org/agenda/authors...

16. Trinity College Dublin (TCD) also has a role to play.

Dr Clare Kelly is an Associate Professor of Psychology and Psychiatry based in the Trinity Institute of Neurosciences. She is also a member of ISAG.

peoplefinder.tcd.ie/Profile?Userna...

17. Dr Kevin Mitchell is also in ISAG and an Associate Professor of Genetics and Neuroscience in TCD and works in the same department as Tomas Ryan. He is also a WEF contributor

weforum.org/agenda/authors...

18. Mitchell also writes a popular blog on the intersection of genetics, development, neuroscience, psychology and psychiatry according to his Trinity bio.

tcd.ie/research/profi...


weforum.org/agenda/2019/12...

19. When doing his PostDoc at Stanford he worked under pioneering neuroscientist Marc Tessier-Lavigne who is also a member of WEF

weforum.org/people/marc-te...

20. The Neuroscience degree in TCD also has psychology modules as part of it. You can be very sure that Ryan, Mitchell and Kelly are all familiar with the workings of psychology. it is after all part and parcel of Neuroscience.

21. The last few weeks have seen the fear & terror ratcheted up to an entirely new level. This was very intentional. As the virus is seasonal we should be expecting less cases and deaths (who knows though with figures being manipulated) so ISAG have to keep the fear going.

22. Anytime any ISAG member appears on TV, Radio or in the Press it is under the guise of science. There is no science to Zero Covid. It is just being used as a cover. The real intention is for ISAG to terrorise the  and SAGE to terrorise the 

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