



LCGA PULSE Graduate Summer Exhibition 2022

Open Call for applications of interest – Detailed Information Document for Applicants

Limerick City Gallery of Art is delighted to announce the inaugural Open Call for **PULSE – An LCGA Summer Exhibition** specifically for recent Irish Arts Graduates and Emerging practitioners.

This exhibition will be held at LCGA between July - September 2022 and is open to those who have graduated between 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 & 2021 from any recognised Fine Art discipline and third level institution across the island of Ireland and includes BA, MA or PhD graduates. **The objective is to support and highlight new and existing work made by artists across Ireland, and to showcase this work in a leading visual arts space in response to the limitations caused by the pandemic crisis.**

Eligibility:

- Applicants who have graduated from any Fine Art discipline and third-level institution across the island of Ireland in the years 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 or 2021 are eligible to apply.
- Those who have graduated at either BA, MA or PhD level can apply.
- Artworks can be submitted in any medium.
- Artists and practitioners may submit completed or unfinished works. Please note that unfinished artwork **must be completed** for delivery to LCGA by June 2022.
- Applications from collectives or collaborations are welcome

Application:

- Please complete the [Online Application](#) fully, indicating your contact details, links to online website or previous works, media files, dimensions and details of the artwork you wish to submit. Please also include the course, year and Institution you have graduated from.
- If you are having any technical difficulties with the Online Application form, or have further queries please email artgallery@limerick.ie before the deadline of 5pm, Friday 6th May.

Provisions:

- Selected artists will receive an artist fee for their participation in the exhibition.
- A number of awards and support for commended artworks will be sponsored by exhibition partners.
- Artists will have their artworks promoted across LCGA online platforms and social medias for the duration of the exhibition.

Installation:

- Installation will take place in July 2022. Applicants will be responsible to have their artwork(s) ready and delivered to LCGA in June 2022. Proposed artworks **must be completed** by this time.
- Further details will be provided to exhibiting artists after the selection process takes place.

Selection:

- Selections from the online applications will take place in two rounds after the deadline (May 6th)
- The panel includes external adjudicators Visual Artist Aideen Barry and Royal Hibernian Academy Director Patrick Murphy.
- All applicants will be notified by early June 2022.

Exhibition:

- The exhibition will run at Limerick City Gallery of Art (LCGA) from late July/early August until September 2022.

To apply, complete the [online application form](#) no later than 5pm Friday 6th May.

Late entries will not be accepted.

PULSE will form part of LCGA's larger summer exhibition programme. Selected artists may be invited to participate in a series of interviews, in-conversations, talk panels or discussions or other promotional public engagement events, held both on and offline.

LCGA adheres to a Privacy Policy which assures that the information provided by applicants is used for the purposes of this Open Call Application procedure only.

Supported by Limerick City and County Council, and the Arts Council.

FREE ADMISSION

Monday- Saturday 10am - 5pm & Sunday 12 - 5pm

Last admission 15 minutes before closing time.

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