

WHAT'S ON

KEY EVENTS INCLUDE:

Craft Granary Cahir – Taste of Crafts

Workshop series in various locations in Co. Tipperary
Starting in January
www.craftgranary.com

Workshops @ Workhouse

Workhouse Studios, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford
Starting in January with workshops throughout the year.
www.workhousstudios.com

Tread Softly Exhibition

OPW Visitor Centre, Phoenix Park, Dublin 8
February 2nd to 26th
www.ccoi.ie

Glenn Adamson Talk

National College of Art and Design, 100 Thomas St, Dublin 8
February date TBC
www.ncad.ie

Vessels of Memory – A joint touring exhibition of Glass and Ceramics by Alison Lowry and Rachel Dickson

Leitrim Design House, The Dock Arts Centre, George's Terrace, Carrick-on-Shannon
February 10th to March 6th
www.leitrimdesignhouse.ie



Broken In by Rachel Dickson

Ballinahown Spring Craft Exhibition

Celtic Roots Studio & Core Crafted Design, Ballinahown Village, Athlone, Co. Westmeath
February 14th to March 25th
www.corecrafteddesign.com

Pipemakers Showcase – At the Leo Rowsome Commemorative Event

15 Henrietta Street, Dublin 1
February 26th
www.pipers.ie

The Sketch and the Chair: Hans Thyge Raunkjaer Exhibition

NCAD Gallery, National College of Art and Design, 100 Thomas St, Dublin 8
February 25th to April 16th
www.ncad.ie

The Quilters' Guild of Ireland; Annual Conference, Workshops and Travelling Exhibition

Bewley's Hotel, Dublin Airport, Stockhole Lane, (N32 Junction), Co. Dublin
March 25th to 29th
www.theqgi.com

Exploring Perceptions of Contemporary Craft Exhibition

Lavit Gallery, 5 Father Matthew Street, Cork
April 12th to 30th
www.lavitgallery.com



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Contemporary Chinese Glass Exhibition

CIT Wandesford Quay Gallery, Cork.
May 2nd to 29th
<http://transculturetek.com/WandesfordQuayGallery/>

Waterford Festival of Architecture

May 5th to 8th
www.wfa.ie

Liam O'Neill Woodsculpture – The Borris Collection

Borris House, Borris, Co. Carlow
May 7th to July 31st TBC
www.liamoneill.com

'Latitudes' a new exhibition by Filament Fibre Artists

Airfield, Kilmacud Road Upper, Dundrum, Dublin 14
May 19th to June 17th
www.filamentfibreartists.wordpress.com

Bruce Metcalf 21st Century Icons

National Craft Gallery, Castle Yard, Kilkenny
Two exhibitions of contemporary jewellery
May 20th to July 6th
www.nationalcraftgallery.ie

World Crafts Council (Europe) General Assembly at Dublin Castle

Including public event with Edmund de Waal
June 8th and 9th
www.wcc-europe.org

WHERE TO BUY IRISH CRAFT

Key retailers of Irish craft include:

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Gift Venue
Ennis T. 065 686 7891
www.giftvenue.ie

Glór

Ennis T. 065 684 5370
www.glor.ie

Meadows & Byrne

Bunratty T. 061 364321
www.meadowsandbyrne.com

CORK

Adrigole Arts
Beara Peninsula T. 027 60234
www.kenmare.eu/adrigole/

Enibas

Kinsale T. 021 477 7022
Schull T. 028 28868
www.enibas.com

Individuals

Cobh T. 021 481 3805

Kilkenny Group

Cork City T. 021 422 6703
Shanagarry T. 021 464 5838
www.kilkennygroup.com

Meadows & Byrne

Cork City T. 021 427 2324
Blarney T. 021 452 6177
www.meadowsandbyrne.com

Quinlans of Macroom

Macroom T. 026 41198
www.quinlancraftanddesign.com

DONEGAL

An Clachán, An Chuir, Gweedore T. 074 956 0091
www.anclachan.ie

Forget-Me-Not

Donegal Town T. 074 972 1168
www.forgetmenot.ie

McAuliffe's Craft Shop

Dunfanaghy T. 074 913 6135

DUBLIN

Arnotts Dublin
Dublin 1 T. 01 805 0400
www.arnotts.ie

Cleo

Dublin 2 T. 01 676 1421
www.irishclothing.ie

Designer Knitwear

Dalkey T. 01 235 0447
www.designerknitwear.com

Designyard

Dublin 2 T. 01 474 1011
www.designyard.ie

Gallery Zozimus

Dublin 8 T. 01 453 9057
www.galleryzozimus.ie

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Dundrum T. 01 299 1400
www.houseoffraser.com

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Dublin 2 T. 01 671 1111
www.houseofireland.com

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Dublin 2 T. 01 475 2222
www.irishdesignshop.com

Kilkenny Group

Dublin 2 T. 01 677 7066
www.kilkennygroup.com

Meadows & Byrne

Dun Laoghaire T. 01 280 4554
IFSC, Dublin 1 T. 01 829 1694
Northern Cross T. 01 652 0000
www.meadowsandbyrne.com

The Guinness Gallery

Foxrock T. 01 289 7955
www.guinnessgallery.com

The Loft

Powerscourt, Dublin 2
T. 01 671 7000
www.theloftmarket.com
Open Friday – Sunday only

GALWAY

Judy Greene
Galway City T. 091 561753
www.judygreene.ie

Kilkenny Group

Galway City T. 091 566110
www.kilkennygroup.com

Meadows & Byrne

Galway City T. 091 539510
www.meadowsandbyrne.com

Sliding Rock Ceramics

Spiddal T. 091 553376
www.slidingrockceramics.com

KERRY

Kilkenny Group
Killarney T. 064 662 3309
www.kilkennygroup.com

The Blue Pool Gallery

Killarney T. 064 662 9049

KILDARE

Tuckmill Gallery
Naas T. 045 879761

KILKENNY

Kilkenny Design Centre
Castle Yard, Kilkenny
T. 056 772 2118
www.kilkennydesign.com

Michelle O'Connell

26 High Street, Kilkenny
T. 056 777 0782

LEITRIM

Leitrim Design House
Carrick-on-Shannon
T. 071 965 0550
www.intoleitrim.com

LOUTH

Louth Craftmark
Drogheda T. 041 980 3283
www.louthcraftmark.com

MAYO

Bohem
Ballina T. 096 73733
www.bohemgifts.com

Foxford Woollen Mills

Westport T. 094 925 6104
www.foxford.ie

O'Reilly & Turpin

Westport T. 098 28151

SLIGO

The Cat & The Moon
Sligo Town T. 071 914 3686
www.thecatandthemoon.ie

TIPPERARY

Craft Granary Cahir
Cahir T. 052 744 1473
www.craftgranary.com

Kilkenny Group

Cashel T. 062 65904/5
www.kilkennygroup.com

Meadows & Byrne

Carrick-on-Suir
T. 051 645013
www.meadowsandbyrne.com

The Narrow Space

Clonmel T. 052 612 7838
www.thenarrowospace.com

WATERFORD

Ardmore Pottery
Ardmore T. 024 94152
www.ardmorepottery.com

WESTMEATH

Irish Designer Craft Village
Ballinahown T. 090 643 0222
www.irishdesignercraftvillage.com

WEXFORD

Barkers
Wexford Town T. 053 912 3159

Hynes Jewellers

19 North Main Street
Wexford T. 053 912 2736
www.hynesjewellers.ie

Westgate Design

Wexford Town T. 053 912 3787
www.westgatedesign.ie



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WELCOME

The Crafts Council of Ireland and Craft Northern Ireland have designated 2011 as Year of Craft. The year marks the 40th anniversary of the Crafts Council of Ireland and will be celebrated through a diverse range of dynamic events and programmes to showcase the very best of craft made on the island of Ireland.

Activities will include everything from exhibitions and open studios to lectures and workshops for craft enthusiasts of all ages. Join in the excitement and visit www.craftinireland.com for a full listing of events happening throughout the year. Welcome to Year of Craft 2011.

MESSAGE FROM OUR PATRON

Mary McAleese, President of Ireland



I am delighted to be Patron of Year of Craft 2011 which celebrates the tremendous richness and vitality of the craft industry throughout the island of Ireland. Refined over centuries, the craft sector is of immense importance to our culture and our society, as well as an important economic activity. As a country we have a very distinctive and renowned heritage in craftsmanship and Irish craft is authentic, precious and unique. Year of Craft celebrates both traditional skills and cutting edge contemporary work and presents the talents of our makers to Ireland and to the world.

Please join with me in this celebration and experience some of the many events in the year long programme.

FEATURED EVENTS JANUARY – MARCH

For more events see overleaf

JANUARY

JERWOOD CONTEMPORARY MAKERS

at the National Craft Gallery, Kilkenny
January 21st to March 8th

Jerwood Contemporary Makers showcases work by a new generation of UK makers in a fresh and unexpected way. Selected by renowned practitioners Hans Stofer, Richard Slee and Freddie Robins, the exhibition investigates the notion of making by bringing together a broad range of work from across craft and the visual arts.

www.nationalcraftgallery.ie



After the Event by Dawn Youll

JERWOOD VISUAL ARTS

MARCH

Function and Form in Textiles, Cork March 5th and 6th

A two day festival of textiles that offers a series of lectures and workshops from Diana Harrison: Print and Stitch, Deirdre Nelson: Stitching Objects, Aileen Johnston: Beading and Machine Embroidery. A further host of vastly experienced tutors will give workshops: Janney Winchester: Batik, Mary Timmons: Jewellery, Jenny Monks: Drawing, Sheila Jordan: Dry needle felting. The workshops are suitable for beginner participants.

www.corktextiles.com



Elements by Mary Timmons

FEBRUARY

Crafted Creatures at The Ark February 15th to April 3rd

The Crafts Council of Ireland and The Ark, A Cultural Centre for Children, present Crafted Creatures, an exciting animal themed exhibition at The Ark. Curated by Brian Kennedy, this beautiful and intriguing show offers the perfect introduction to the magic of craft. For information on booking the extensive workshop programme for schools and families, please visit www.ark.ie



Red Jellyfish by Inga Hamilton

MARCH

Irish Craft Portfolio at the National Craft Gallery, Kilkenny March 18th to May 11th

Irish Craft Portfolio represents contemporary craftwork created by Irish makers that combines the highest quality craftsmanship with a consideration of material and technique that sits comfortably on the international stage. Selected by an international panel and curated by Yvonna Demczynska of Flow Gallery, London.

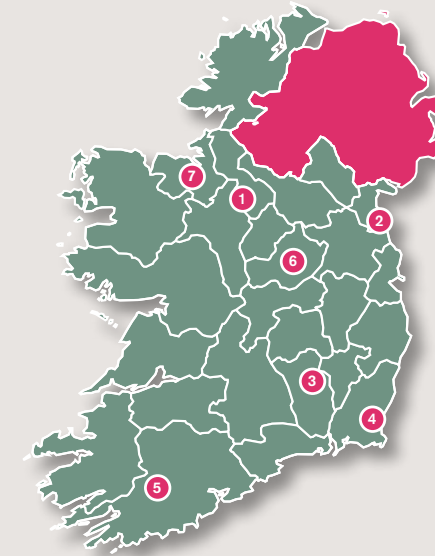
www.irishcraftportfolio.com



Thrown Porcelain and Stoneware Bowl by Marcus O'Mahony

CRAFT TRAILS

Craft Trails around Ireland include:



- Leitrim Design House.** Established craft trail of 26 artisan makers. www.leitrimdesignhouse.ie
- Louth Craftmark.** 19 makers creating a rich variety of craft. www.louthcraftmark.com
- MADE in Kilkenny.** A craft trail of 26 artisan makers. www.madeinkilkenny.ie
- Craft Trail of South Wexford – Coastal Communities Craft Trail.** www.discoverireland.ie/Destinations/Wexford.aspx
- West Cork Craft & Design Guild.** 21 craftmakers working in the beautiful surroundings of West Cork. www.westcorkcraft.org
- Core Crafted Design.** Gallery showing the work of craft designers in the midlands. www.corecrafteddesign.com
- Made in Sligo.** Gathers under one brand all that is excellent in Sligo creativity. www.madeinsligo.ie




Bog Oak by Kieran Higgins
West Cork Craft & Design Guild



Pendant by Rudolf Heltzel
MADE in Kilkenny

For details on craft trails in Northern Ireland please visit www.craftni.org

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