

Launch of creative Fingal strategy

Athairine Martin TD, Minister Kieran O'Donnell TD and Fingal Mayor Howard Mahony announced the rollout of 31 new Local Authority Creative Ireland Culture and Creativity Strategies (2023-2027) at an event at Armleigh in the Phoenix Park on 23rd February 2023.

New initiatives in Creative Industries, Creative Health and Wellbeing, Climate Action and Social Sustainability will be delivered

New Shared Island element to be introduced

Over 7,500 creative initiatives completed to date

Over 100,000 young people now participate in *Quinniú na nÓg*



*Culture
& Creativity
Strategy*

2023-2027

Strategic themes for FCC

- Making cities and counties great places to live
- Climate action
- Town centre first/rural economy
- Digitisation and ongoing transformation
- Changing population/demographics



Creative Ireland community funding

- As part of the Creative Ireland program in Fingal we are currently seeking applications for funding for creative community projects that are collaborative in nature, transform people and place and benefit the whole community.
- This grant scheme is open to community groups and not for profit organisations, arts, heritage and cultural groups, venues and societies to support creative projects. Applications by individuals must be in partnership with a community, cultural or heritage group.
- Applications at <https://submit.link/1xR>. Closing date 7/04/2023

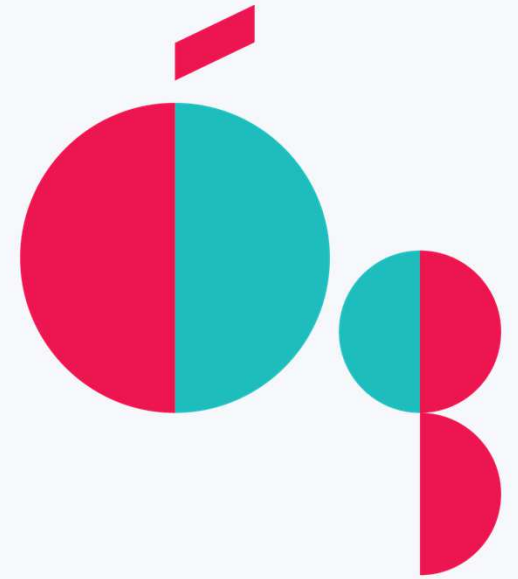


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Clár Éire Ildánach
*Creative Ireland
Programme*

Cruinniu na nOg



- Cruinniu in planning-10th June
- Arts office commission has been issued for interested parties to create programming
- Library programming
- Storytrail Location TBC within Dublin 15 area
- Cruinniu creative day based on Irish illustrators, Millennium park

Commemorations

- Fingal timeline 1916 -1923 to be published
- The arts office will work with an artist to creatively animate aspects of the historical timeline and proposing to work with an illustrator and animator to explore a narrative
- Fingal festival of history in October
- Historian in residence programme extended