



Gabrielle Flynn

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Professional Summary

A passionate visual artist with over 30 years of diverse work experience combined with a strong academic foundation in philosophy, psychology, and computer studies. With a range of exhibitions in Ireland I explore themes of presence, absence, and perception. In addition to my artistic practice, I bring expertise as a professional librarian with strong social engagement.

Education

Master of Arts (MA), Level 9

Atlantic Technological University, Sligo, Ireland | 2022

Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Fine Art, Level 8

Institute of Technology, Sligo, Ireland | 2015 – 2018

BTEC Foundation Diploma in Art and Design, Level 3

South West College, County Fermanagh, Northern Ireland | 2014 – 2015

Higher Diploma in Computer Studies

NCC Education Ltd. and Institute of Public Administration, Dublin, Ireland | 2002 – 2003

Postgraduate Diploma in Librarianship

College of Librarianship, Wales, U.K. | 1981 – 1982

Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Philosophy, Psychology, and History

Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland | 1976 – 1980

Solo Exhibition

- **2020:** *Between Presence and Absence: Two Winter Weeks in North Mayo*, Ballinaglen Arts Foundation, Ballycastle, County Mayo, Ireland
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Selected Joint Exhibitions

- **2019:** *Disengagement and Perspective*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
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Group Exhibitions

- **2025:** Boyle Arts Festival Artist Trail, Roscommon, Ireland
 - **2024:** *Art Collective Art Trail*, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2020:** *Spring Group Show*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2019:** *Christmas Group Show*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2018:** *North West Summer Open*, Manorhamilton Sculpture Centre, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2018:** *Creative Showcase Graduate Exhibition*, Sligo Institute of Technology, Sligo, Ireland
 - **2018:** *Exhale Graduate Group Show*, Manorhamilton Sculpture Centre, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2018:** *Group Summer Show*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2017:** *Future Perspectives*, Manorhamilton Sculpture Centre, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2017:** *Graduate Exhibition*, Sligo Institute of Technology
 - **2016:** *Christmas Exhibition*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2016:** *Pop-Up Exhibition*, I.T. Sligo Fine Art Pop Up, Strandhill, County Sligo, Ireland
 - **2015:** *South West College Exhibition*, Higher Bridges Gallery, Enniskillen, County Fermanagh, Northern Ireland
 - **2015:** *Summer Exhibition*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2014:** *Summer Exhibition*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2011:** *Spring Exhibition*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
 - **2010:** *Summer Exhibition*, Solas Art Gallery, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Ireland
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Professional Affiliations

- **Associative Membership**, Visual Artists Ireland | 2017 – 2026
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Awards and Recognition

- **2018:** Artist in Residence Award, The Dock, Carrick-on-Shannon, Leitrim, Ireland
- **2018:** Ballinaglen Arts Foundation Award
- **2018:** President's Prize for Highest Graduation Grades, Sligo Institute of Technology
- **2018:** Graduate Exhibition Purchase Award, Sligo Institute of Technology
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Publications

- **2022:** *Stack Gabrielle Flynn Speaks to Elizabeth Kinsella About Her Solo Exhibition at Solas Art Gallery Ballinamore, Visual Artists News Sheet* | January-February 2022, p. 32

Other Professional Experience

Professional Librarian

Leitrim County Library, Ireland | 1982 – 2015

- Provided research and reference services to the community
- Managed library collections, digital archives, and educational resources
- Organized community programs and exhibitions
- Management of library staff and services

Skills

- Fine Art: Painting, Drawing, Mixed Media
 - Digital Media: Photography, Video Art
 - Research and Documentation
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