

CIARA NORMOYLE

Art, Craft and Design



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Education

- 2014 - 2016 Limerick School of Art and Design [LSAD], Limerick.
- Professional Masters in Education in Art and Design with Digital Media.
- 2011 - 2014 Limerick School of Art and Design [LSAD], Limerick.
- Ceramics – BA (Honours) in Design.
- 2009 - 2011 Limerick College of Further Education [LCFE], Limerick.
- Art, Craft and Design FETAC level 5 and FETAC level 6.
- Event Production FETAC level 5.
- 2006 - 2008 Cork Institute of Technology, Cork.
- 2000 - 2006 Coláiste Muire Secondary School, Clare.

Examinations and Awards

- [Pending] Professional Masters in Art and design Education with Digital Media
- Awarded a First Class Honours Degree in Ceramic Design (BA Hons)
- Awarded FETAC level 5 (2010) and level 6 (2011) in Art, Craft and Design
- Awarded a Distinction in FETAC level 5 in Event Production (2011)
- Awarded a certificate in NALA (National adult literacy agency) Tutor Training
- Leaving Certificate 2006

Work Experience - School Placement Teaching Experience

November 2015 – January 2016 Coláiste Muire, Ennis, Co. Clare
Student Teacher of Art, Craft and Design; First Year /Second Year /Transition Year

Created and implemented a Short Course and research project based on fostering an appreciation of craft practices in a contemporary art and design classroom.

February 2015 – May 2015 St. Joseph's Secondary School, Tulla, Co. Clare
Student Teacher of Art, Craft and Design; First Year /Fifth Year/ Transition Year

Peer Taught Junior Certificate Cycle.

Designed and project managed a Digital Media project which incorporated interviewing and filming past and present characters of the school, including retired teachers, past students and the Principal.

Experience in Other Educational Capacities

January 2015 – Present Limerick College of Further Education [LCFE] Evening Tutor

Each semester I design and deliver a ten week course 'Introductory to Ceramics'. I have been offered a proposal opportunity to develop an advanced course in ceramic design by the Director of the night school in LCFE.

May 2015 – July 2015 Milford National School, Limerick. Artist in Resident

I succeeded in securing highly sought-after funding from Limerick County Council to conduct two running schemes with a third and a sixth class of approximately 30 students, which in theme, was complementary to the schools environment.

2012 – 2013 Sláinte an Chláir (Clare Cancer Support Center) Voluntary Tutor

I organised and ran ceramic classes and painting workshops. I spoke with the service users and based my classes and workshops around their needs and interests. I found that the most important key was to listen to their stories and allow those classes to take an organic structure while gently guiding participants to the completion of the desired outcomes.

April 2010 – June 2011 NALA (National Adult Literacy Agency) Voluntary Tutor

I conducted classes developing learner's basic Literacy and Numeracy skills. Learners in this instance usually opted for anonymity and I found it paramount to the job to keep the confidence and trust of the governing body and the learners.

Other Experience

July 2015 – Present
Brogans Bar and Restaurant

June 2010 – November 2014
Zest at the Market – Café

Additional information

I was nominated Head Girl by my peers for my Leaving Certificate year in Coláiste Muire. Throughout my formative years I was actively involved with my Local GAA club. I played at every level and at 16 I began training the under 12 camogie and football team. I consider myself a life-long learner and I am passionate about art and in developing my identity as an A/R/Tographer. I am equally as passionate about introducing students to visual arts and aiding in inspiring their creative and critical thinking.

Referees

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