

# BROOKE ROOM

## 18:45 INTO THE VOID: NORDIC ART

Kerstina Mortensen will explore the layers of interaction between art and language in the context of Nordic Symbolism.

## 19:30 'THE WEATHER'

Niamh Prior will read her short story inspired by a Ladybird book, with a brief introduction to the process of writing it.

## 20:15 TRANSMITTING MUSIC THEORY

Shannon Burns will perform the saxophone and discuss her practice-based research on performance and teaching music in higher education institutions.

## 21:00 THE IRISH CONCERTINA

Jack Talty will perform on the concertina and discuss how life as a professional musician complements his research on the teaching of Irish traditional music.



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# SHOWCASE

A SHOWCASE OF  
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# WALTON ROOM

- 17:45 ETHIO-MODERN DANCE**  
Join Ras Mikey Courtney for a discussion and demonstration of his research on Ethio-Modern Dance and the influences of Ethiopia on his life and work.
- 18:30 SOCIAL LIFE OF SINGING**  
Through pictures, videos, and a live performance, Carrie Dike will share what she has learned about the social life of Irish traditional singing sessions.
- 19:15 QUEERING IN THE YEARS**  
Páraic Kerrigan will provide an overview of how Ireland's gay community has been represented in the media over the last 40 years.
- 20:00 METAMORPHOSIS PROJECT**  
Jennifer Halton and Shane Byrne will talk about Metamorphosis, a practice-led collaboration reflecting the symbiotic relationship between art and research.
- 20:30 YORUBA GOSPEL CHOIR**  
The Christ Apostolic Church choir will perform a medley of gospel songs that reflect the members' Nigerian roots and Yoruba identity. The choir is the subject of research by Rebecca Uberoi who is investigating issues relating to identity among Yoruba Christian migrants in Ireland.

# LONSDALE ROOM

- 17:30 CREATIVITY IN CIRCUS ARTISTS**  
Shane Holohan will present a short documentary film and discussion of research which looks at creativity in high-level circus artists.
- 18:15 MAGIC LANTERNS IN THE ARAN ISLANDS**  
Ciarán Walsh recreates Haddon the Headhunter's 1890 magic lantern show about the Aran Islands.
- 19:00 MUSIC FOR DEAF AUDIENCES**  
George Higgs' research into music composition for deaf audiences will demonstrate how all musical experience involves a 'sense ensemble'.
- 19:45 THE RELUCTANT ARCHIVE**  
Marina Ní Dhubhain will give an interactive performance reflecting the multiple perspectives involved in the creation of oral history testimony.
- 20:30 CONNECTED CORRECTIONS**  
Using the songs of Richard Thompson, Tracy Chapman and the Rolling Stones, Jane Mulcahy will illustrate the many obstacles that offenders face on release from prison.
- 21:15 DISPLACED FUNNY**  
Levi Hanes will discuss how conceptual artists have employed comedic techniques in their art practice.

# CHILDREN'S CORNER

- 17:00 - 21:00 FACE PAINTING**  
Transform into an animal, fairy, hero, clown or cartoon character for the evening. Our face painters will allow each child to suggest whatever face they desire!
- 17:00 & 19:00 IRISH LEGENDS & WONDER TALES**  
Exploring stories from the myth of Cuchulainn to the Hounds of the Morrigan, Rebecca Long will lead a children's reading workshop to re-imagine the stories of Irish children's literature.
- 18:00 & 20:00 SCRIBBLEBOT WORKSHOP**  
Join Kate Delaney of Make, Create, Innovate for a Scribblebot Workshop, introducing young people to science, technology, art and design.