

# Nevan Lahart

b. 1973 in Kilkenny. Lives and works in Dublin.

## EDUCATION

**2001 – 2003** MA Virtual Realities, National College of Art and Design, Dublin

**1998 – 2000** Degree Fine Art, NCAD, Dublin

**1992 – 1995** Diploma Fine Art, Limerick School of Art and Design, Limerick

## EXHIBITIONS

### Solo

**2017** *Liberty Party Shop*, Hasslet

**2016** *Disguise the Limit*, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin

**2015** *RHA Annual Exhibition*, Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin

*Balor's Mega Ballistic Gall Stones*, G126, Galway

*The ERROR CELL #1: G2: Native Cog Dissidents*, RHA Gallagher Gallery, Dublin

*Painting for Atheists*, Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Art15 London

*Serf-Vice Paintings*, Art Brussels, Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin

**2013** *The Most Conservative Game in Town*,

Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin and Ormston House, Limerick

**2012** *Won-Nil*, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin

**2011** *HD Softcore*, Steve Turner Contemporary, Los Angeles

**2010** *Genuine Irish Mug*, Catalyst Arts, Belfast, UK

*A Colonial Subject in Washington DC*, Solus Nua, Washington DC

*A Lively Start to a Dead End*, Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin

**2009** *Heaven's Full and the Fire Escapes are Locked*, Heaven's Full, London

UGLY LOVELY, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin, Ireland

**2008** *Tax Prayers Money*, Public Sculpture Commission, Sligo

**2007** *Static TV*, Butler Gallery, Kilkenny

**2005** *Showy Off Shit*, Process Room, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin

**2004** *AH FUCK, not another art video*, Goethe Institute, Dublin

**2003** *Feeding the Well-Feed*, curated by Varri Claffey and Grant Watson, The Goethe  
Institute, Dublin

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## Group (selected)

- 2019** *P is for Portrait*, The Art House Worcester in association with Division of Labour  
Together Now the Engagement Project, West Cork Arts Centre
- 2018** *There's no place like Space*, Kevin Kavanagh, Manchester Art Fair, Island Life,  
Custom House Studios & Gallery, Westport, Mayo  
*Requiem for the Future Tense*, WIELS Art Book Fair, Brussels, in association with  
KRIEG
- 2017** *Vacuum Packed Vacation*, SCHARFSTELLAN\_2, Rotor, Graz  
*Overpainted Underpaint, The way things go: A Homage*, Butler Gallery, Kilkenny
- 2016** *Engagement – Work in Progress – The Courtship*, KCAT, Kilkenny Arts Week
- 2015** *RHA Annual*, RHA Gallery. Dublin
- 2013** *The Politics of Play*, Goteburg International Biennial for Contemporary Art  
Roda Sten Konstall, Curated by Katerina Gregos  
*COEXIST*, group show, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin  
Curated by Eamonn Maxwell  
HALLE 14, Leipzig ACC Galerie Weimar
- 2012** *Newtopia*, Mechelen  
*Cutting a Door*, The Eastlink Gallery, Shanghai  
*Last*, Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin
- 2011** *Terrible Beauty: Art, Crisis, Change & The Office of Non-Compliance*,  
Dublin Contemporary, Dublin  
*Memory of Hope*, Ceri Hand Gallery, Liverpool  
*Room Outside*, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin
- 2010** *Blasphemy*, The Dock, Leirim  
*Ten Years Hunting [The Trophy Room]*, Parkers Box, Brooklyn, New York  
*Backwater Twenty-10*, Crawford Municipal Art Gallery, Cork  
*Blasphemy*, Oonagh Young Gallery, Dublin
- 2009** *ABOVE THE FOLD*, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin  
*Paper Work*, Pallas Contemporary Projects, Dublin  
*Moraltarantulla III*, The summer of the Vernunft, Valentinskamp 34A, Hamburg  
*Offcentre*, Group Show, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin  
Curated by Helen Carey and Tamor Anon

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- The Gold Standard*, NES, Skagaströnd, Iceland  
 Richtiger als Falsch, Galerie Conradi, Hamburg  
*Grin & Bear It: Cruel Humour in Art and Life*, Glucksman Gallery, Cork  
*Trouble in Paradise: Examining Discord in Nature and Society*,  
 Tucson Museum of Art, Arizona
- 2008** *Gems from the Collection*, Butler Gallery, Kilkenny  
 ART IN THE LIFE WORLD, Ballymun, Dublin
- 2007** *The Big Store*, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin  
*Thirty Two Thousand Years Later*, Pallas Contemporary Projects, Dublin  
*Drunken Boat*, Colony Gallery, Birmingham  
*Paintaholisc #2*, Product Arts Festival, Varna  
*Moraltarantula*, Elektrohaus, Hamburg  
*Plasticine*, Monster Truck, Dublin  
*Group Show*, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin  
*Visual Fictions*, curated by Clionadha Shaffery, Fenton Gallery, Cork
- 2006** *X-Mass the Spot*, Draíocht, Blanchardstown, Dublin *The First and Last and Always*,  
 Axis Arts Center, Ballymun, Dublin  
*Fun Factory*, Baltimore, Maryland  
*Failure*, Kilkenny Arts Festival, Kilkenny  
*126 Gallery Presents*, Galway Arts Center, Galway, Ireland  
*Utopias*, Eigse, Carlow, Ireland  
*Spréacha*, Draíocht, Co. Dublin, Ireland  
*Ding Dong*, Altona, Hamburg, Germany  
*EV+A 2006* (invited), Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick, Ireland  
*Black: Implication Flooding*, Colony Gallery, Birmingham  
 126 Gallery, Galway, Ireland  
*Platform 1*, Knockbride House, Cavan, Ireland
- 2005** *A Moment in Time*, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin, Ireland  
*Faculty of Failure: 'Where's me culture?' Mobil Bus*, Emmet Plaza, Cork, Ireland  
*Eurojet Futures 2005*, Royal Hibernian Academy, Ireland  
*Flagged*, Visualise, Carlow, Ireland  
*From the Liberties to Parramatta*, Parramatta Campus, NSW, Australia
- 2004** *Eurojet Futures*, RHA Gallagher Gallery, Dublin  
*Summer Short's*, Parkers Box, Brooklyn, New York  
*Retreat*, Billboards, Sydney
- 2003** 50/50, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin  
*US Live*, Guinness Store House, Dublin
- 2001** *Vacationland*, Arthouse, Dublin

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- 1998** *The Mighty Right Show*, Fuse 98, Crawford Art College, Cork
- 1997** *Bridget Murphy Dunne*, Crawford Municipal Art Gallery, Cork  
*Articulate Intelligence*, Infusion, University of Limerick
- 1996** *Mental Exercise*, Volume, Crawford Municipal Art Gallery  
*Shambolic*, Intermedia, Triskel Arts Center, Cork  
*Beuys Black Board*, Crawford Municipal Art Gallery, Cork
- 1994** *Title Unknown*, Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick  
*In The Beginning*, Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick

## ART FAIRS

- Preview Berlin 2010, Berlin, w/Kevin Kavanagh
- Zoo Art Fair, London, 2007, w/ Colony Art Gallery
- Static TV + Race Riots at Longchamp, Docks Art Fair, Lyon, 2007, w/ Kevin Kavanagh
- Aqua Art Fair, Miami, 2007, w/ Kevin Kavanagh
- Year 07 Art Projects, London, w/ Kevin Kavanagh

## SCHOLARSHIPS/AWARDS

- 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010** Arts Council Bursary
- 2000, 2001** Arts Council Materials Award

## RESIDENCIES

- 2010** Solus Nua, Washington DC
- 2005** Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin
- 2003** St Andrew's Community Center, Rialto, Dublin
- 1998** National Sculpture Factory, Cork

## COLLECTIONS

- Irish Museum of Modern Art
- Arts Council of Ireland
- Dublin City University
- Private collections in Ireland, Germany, France, Switzerland, Belgium and the U.S.A

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