# Gary Coyle

b. 1965 in Dublin, where he lives and works

# **EDUCATION**

1994 – 1996 Royal College of Art, London, M.A.

1985 – 1989 National College of Art & Design, Dublin, B.A.

# **EXHIBITIONS** [\* denotes exhibition catalogue]

### Solo

| 2020 | Dreaming Different Dreams, Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin  |
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| 2012 | Hello Darkness, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin   |
| 2012 | Tiew Durkness, Reviii Ravanagn, Dubiin   |
| 2011 | Gary Coyle, The Bluewall Gallery, Longford   |
| 2010 | At Sea {exhibition}, Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin *   |
|      | At Sea {performance}, Centre Culturel Irlandais, Paris *   |
| 2009 | Dún Laoghaire Portraits, Concourse, County Hall, Dún Laoghaire, Co. Dublin   |
|      | At Sea, {performance} Project Arts Centre, Dublin (commissioned by Project Arts Centre) *  |
|      | At Sea, {performance} Kilkenny Arts Week *   |
| 2007 | South Side Gothic, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin  |
|      | $\textit{Death in D\'un Laoghaire}, \{ \text{exhibition} \}, \\ \text{Fenton}, \\ \text{Cork (commissioned by Project Arts Centre}) \ *$ |
| 2006 | Death in Dún Laoghaire, {performance}, Project Arts Centre, Dublin *   |
| 2005 | Death in Dún Laoghaire, {exhibition}, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin *   |
|      | Death in Dún Laoghaire, {performance}, Dublin Fringe Theatre Festival *  |
| 2004 | The Wild Wild Wood and other drawings, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin  |
| 2002 | The Floating World, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin *   |
|      | New Work, Fenton Gallery, Cork   |
| 2000 | Ad Marginem, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin *  |
| 1999 | True Crime, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin *   |
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# Group (Selected)

| 2012 | Last, Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin   |
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| 2011 | Human Nature, Farmleigh Gallery, Dublin  |
| 2010 | Something tells me it's all happening at the zoo, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin       |
|      | CLOSE TO HAND, Crawford Art Gallery, Cork                                      |
| 2009 | Terror & the Sublime, Crawford Galley of Art, Cork (curated by Peter Murray) * |
|      | Paper Work, Pallas Contemporary Projects                                       |
|      | Something Else, Killkenny Arts Festival (curated by Aisling Prior)             |
|      | Into Irish Drawing, Limerick City Gallery, Akkuh Henglo, The Netherlands, &    |

Centre Culturel Irlandais Paris (curated by Arno Kramer) \*

2008 10,000 into 50, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin \*

Group Therapy, Kevin Kavanagh, Dublin

2007 (I'm Always Touched) By Your Presence, Dear - New Acquisitions, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin

Journeys, Office of Public Works \*

2006 Square Root of Drawing, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin

Getting on Mothers Nerves, Mother's Tank Station, Dublin (curated by David Godbold)

Best Three Draw, Draoicht, Blanchardstown, Co, Dublin

2005 Bathers, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin,

New Territories, ARCO 05, Kevin Kavanagh, Madrid (curated by Enrique Juncosa) \*

2003 En Direct de Dublin, Centre Cultural Irlandais, Paris(curated by Helen Carey)

#### **COMMISSIONS**

2008 - 2009 Place- Identity, Dun Laoghaire Rathdown Co Council

2007 At Sea, a performance, commissioned by The Arts Council & The Project

2007 Odysseus Project, commissioned by Goethe Institute

2006 The Sea, film/ music collaboration with Stephen Gardner, commissioned by Wexford Co Council

2005 Death in Dun Laoghaire, Project Arts Centre

## SCHOLARSHIPS/AWARDS

2009 Elected Member of Aosdana

Elected Member of the RHA

2008 Davy Portrait award winner

The Arts Council Of Ireland, Visual Arts Bursary

2007 Portrait Award, RHA & Irish US Council for Commerce

The Arts Council Of Ireland & The Project Commission award

2006 The Arts Council of Ireland Projects Award

2005 Elected Associate member of the Royal Hibernian Academy

The Arts Council of Ireland, Projects Award

2003 The Arts Council of Ireland, Visual Arts Bursary

2001 The Arts Council of Ireland, Visual Arts Bursary

1999 The Royal Hibernian Academy's Annual Drawing Prize

1998 The Arts Council of Ireland, Visual Arts Bursary.

1995 Henry Moore Fellowship, The Henry Moore Foundation & The Royal College of Art

#### **COLLECTIONS**

Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin

The Arts Council of Ireland.

The Irish Contemporary Art Society, Dublin.

The Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin.

The Crawford Municipal Art Gallery, Cork.

The Office of Public Works. Dublin.

The Ballinglen Arts Foundation, Ballycastle, Mayo, Ireland

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# **PUBLICATIONS**

At Sea: The Daily Practice of Swimming, published by Kevin Kavanagh, 2009

Death in Dun Laoghaire, published by Kevin Kavanagh, 2006

The Floating World, published by Kevin Kavanagh, 2002

ad marginem, published by Kevin Kavanagh, 2000

True Crime, published by Kevin Kavanagh, 1999