

## SEAN LYNCH

b. in 1978, County Kerry, Ireland  
Lives and works between London, UK and  
Limerick, Ireland

### Education

- 2005 - 07 Study of Fine Art, HfBK  
Stadelschuke,  
Frankfurt am Main, Germany
- 2002 - 04 MA History of Art and Design,  
University of Limerick, Ireland
- 1997 - 01 BA Sculpture, Limerick School of  
Art and Design, Ireland

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2017 National University of Ireland, Maynooth,  
Ireland  
Ronchini Gallery, London, UK  
Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin, Republic of  
Ireland  
Charles H. Scott Gallery, Vancouver,  
Canada
- 2016 Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin, Ireland  
Exeter Phoenix Art, Exeter, UK  
Rose Art Museum, Boston, USA  
Golden Thread Gallery, Belfast, Ireland  
Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin, Ireland  
Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin, Ireland  
Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick,  
Ireland  
The Model, Sligo, Ireland  
SpaceX / Exeter Phoenix / Royal Albert  
Memorial Museum, Exeter, UK  
Flat Time House, London (curated show)  
Gallery, London, UK
- 2015 Lismore Castle Arts, Waterford, Republic  
of Ireland  
The Irish Pavilion, 56th Biennale di  
Venezia, Venice, Italy
- 2014 Modern Art, Oxford, UK  
VISUAL Centre for Contemporary Art,  
Carlow, Ireland
- 2013 Dublin City Gallery, The Hugh Lane,  
Dublin, Ireland
- 2012 Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin, Ireland

- Catalyst Arts, Belfast, Ireland  
The Model, Sligo, Ireland  
Transformer, Washington DC, USA
- 2011 The Dock, Carrick-on-Shannon, Leitrim,  
Ireland  
Me Jewel and Darlin, Dublin, Ireland  
Crawford Gallery, Cork, Ireland
- 2010 Crawford Art Gallery, Cork, Ireland  
Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin, Ireland  
*Project Space*, Frankfurt Kunstverein,  
Frankfurt, Germany
- 2008 Context Gallery, Cork, Ireland  
Gallery of Photography, Dublin, Ireland  
Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin,  
Ireland  
Heaven's Full, London, UK  
National Sculpture Factory, Cork, Ireland  
Galerie Von Doering, Schwabisch Hall
- 2007 Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick,  
Ireland  
Galway Arts Centre, Galway, Ireland
- 2006 Ritter & Staiff, Frankfurt am Main,  
Germany

### Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2018 *Groundwork*, CAST, Cornwall, UK
- 2017 International Film Festival, Rotterdam  
*Stories from the Sculpture City*, Henry  
Moore Institute, Leeds, UK  
*Idea Home*, mima – Middlesbrough  
Institute of Modern Art, Middlesbrough,  
UK  
*Ignore the Management*, Peacock Visual  
Arts, Aberdeen, Scotland  
*Now Waves The Sea*, Lewis Glucksman  
Gallery, Cork, Ireland  
*The Otherword Hall*, Solstice Arts Centre,  
Naven, Ireland
- 2016 *Inhale Exile*, L'Escalier, Montreal, Canada /  
Leonhardi Kulturprojekte, Frankfurt,  
Germany  
*Parque Experimental El Eco*, Museo  
Experimental El Eco, Mexico City
- 2015 *Ce Qui Ne Sert Pas S'oublie (What is not  
used is forgotten)*, CAPC musée  
Contemporain de Bordeaux, Bordeaux,  
France

- 2014 *The Kingcat of Keshcorran*, Roscommon Arts Centre, Roscommon, Ireland  
*How Green Was My Valley*, Vevring, Norway
- 2013 *The Voyage, or Three Years at Sea*, Charles H Scott Gallery, Vancouver, Canada  
*The Granite Festival*, Scottish Sculpture Workshop, Aberdeenshire, Scotland  
*Undercover: A Dialect*, VISUAL Centre for Contemporary Art, Carlow, Ireland  
*From Weather to Weather*, Objectif Exhibitions, Antwerp, Belgium
- 2012 *The Hellfire Club*, Askeaton Contemporary Arts, Limerick, Ireland  
*Sleepwalkers: Possibilities Contingencies*, Dublin City Gallery, The Hugh Lane, Dublin, Ireland  
*Zona Maco*, Mexico, with Mor Charpentier, Paris, France  
*Contours of the Common*, CCa Derry-Londonderry, Ireland  
*BookMare*, Camberwell Space, London, UK  
*Turn to Red*, Flood, Dublin, Ireland  
*The Reading Room*, Grand Union, Birmingham, UK  
*Periodical Review*, Pallas Projects, Dublin, Ireland
- 2011 *Twenty*, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Ireland  
*When Flanders Failed*, Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin, Ireland  
*Wake Amusements*, Ben Maltz Gallery, USA  
*Volta 7*, Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Basel, Switzerland  
*The Second Act*, de Brakke Grond, Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
*Microstoria*, Talbot Rice Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland  
*Convergences: Literary Art Exhibitions*, Golden Thread Gallery, Belfast/Limerick  
*Room Outside*, Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin, Ireland  
*Human/Nature*, Farmleigh Gallery, Dublin, Ireland
- 2010 *Never The Same River (Possible Futures, Probable Pasts)*, Camden Arts Centre, London, UK
- London, UK  
*Lost and Found*, Neugerriemschneider, Berlin, Germany  
*It Happened That*, St Paul St Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand  
*Invisible*, Original Print Gallery, Dublin, Ireland  
*Sinopale 3*, Third Sinop Biennial, Sinop, Turkey  
*The Swimming Naked Prophecy*, Mermaid Arts Centre, Bray & Touring, Wicklow, Ireland  
*Surplus Value*, Occupy Space, Limerick, Ireland  
Irish Pavilion, Expo 2010 Shanghai, China  
*Shop If You Can, Look If You Want*, Temple Bar, Dublin, Ireland  
*E-Flux Video Rental*, Fondazione Giuliani per l'Arte Contemporanea, Rome, Italy
- 2009 *Autre Measures*, Centre Photographique d'Ile-de-France, Paris, France  
*House Warming*, Rua, South Dublin Arts Centre, Dublin, Ireland  
*Above the Fold*, Kevin Kavanagh Gallery, Dublin, Ireland  
*It's not for Reading. It's for Making*, FormContent, London, UK  
*Point Ligne Plan* (screening), La Femis, Paris, France  
*Noughties but Nice: 21st Century Irish Art*, Touring exhibition: Limerick City Gallery of Art, Limerick, Ireland  
Letterkenny Regional Cultural Centre / Solstice Arts Centre, Navan / VISUAL, Carlow, Ireland
- 2008 *10,000 to 50*, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Ireland  
*Ein Platz, Platz Der Vereinten Nationen*, Berlin, Germany  
*30 Contemporary Collection*, Gallery of Photography, Dublin, Ireland  
*Gedanken zur Revolution*, Universal Cube, Leipzig, Germany  
*Collection Rausch* (screening), KW Institute for Contemporary Art, Berlin, Germany  
*The State of Play* (screening), Project Arts Centre, Dublin, Ireland
- 2007 *Dangling Man*, Office Baroque, Antwerp, Belgium

- Dumbo Arts Festival*, New York, USA  
*Lucas Cronach Preis*, Kronach, Germany  
*Overtake: Reinterpretation of Modern Art*,  
Lewis Glucksman Gallery, Cork, Ireland  
Pilot, 52nd Biennale di Venezia, Venice,  
Italy  
Chelsea College of Art and Design,  
London, UK  
*Hillig / Horrigan / Lynch*, Q  
Kunstakademiets Udstilingssted,  
Copenhagen, Denmark  
*Art from a Rucksack*, CAP, Kobe,  
Japan  
*Ok. Quoi?!*, Faucet Media Arts Centre,  
Brunswick, Canada  
*The Opening Show*, Oeen Group,  
Copenhagen, Denmark  
2006 EV+A, Limerick, Ireland  
*Festival Junge Talente*, Messen  
Offenbach, Germany  
*Welcome to the Neighbourhood*,  
Askeaton Contemporary Arts, Limerick,  
Ireland  
*Premio Fondazione Arnaldo Pomodoro*,  
Fondazione Arnaldo Pomodoro, Milan,  
Italy  
2005 Kilkenny Arts Festival, Kilkenny, Ireland  
*Damaged Collateral*, Context Galleries,  
Derry, Ireland  
*The Happiest Country in the World*,  
Oireachtas Show, Dublin, Ireland  
Festival Interceltique de Lorient, UK  
2004 *Open Studios*, Triangle Workshops,  
New York, USA  
*Recent Works*, Lademoen  
Kunstnerverksteder, Trondheim, Norway  
*The Suicide of Objects*, Catalyst Arts  
Ulster Museum, Belfast, Ireland  
*On the First Clear Word*, Basement  
Gallery, Dundalk, Ireland  
*You Should Really Go There*, Limerick City  
Gallery of Art, Limerick, Ireland  
2003 *Crawford Open*, Crawford Municipal  
Gallery, Cork, Ireland  
*Revealing Objects*, Naughton Gallery,  
Queens University, Belfast, Ireland  
2002 *Perspective*, Ormeau Baths Gallery,  
Belfast, Ireland  
*Intermedia*, Triskel Arts Centre, Cork,

- Ireland  
*Tracce di un Seminario*, Viafarini Gallery,  
Milan, Italy  
2001 *City Fabric*, Firestation Artists Studios,  
Dublin, Ireland  
*Quadrant Young Contemporaries*,  
Belltable Arts Centre, Limerick, Ireland

## Awards and Grants

- 2016 Audain Distinguished Artist in Residence,  
Emily Carr University of Art and Design,  
Vancouver, Canada  
Henry Moore Institute Exhibition Grant,  
UK  
Elephant Trust Award, London, UK  
2012 Cove Park International Artist Residency,  
Cove Park, Scotland  
Gasworks Residency, London, UK  
2010 Centre Culturel Irlandais Paris Residency  
Award, Paris, France  
Shortlisted artist, Paul Hamlyn Award  
2009 Arts Council Banff Residency, Alberta,  
Canada  
2008 IMMA Artist Work Programme,  
Dublin, Ireland  
2007 Lucas Cranach Preis, Berlin, Germany  
Lohr and Schach Preis, Frankfurt,  
Germany  
2006 Landwirtschaftliche Rentenbank Art  
Award, Frankfurt, Germany  
Tyrone Guthrie International Residency  
Award, Newbliss, Ireland  
2004 Fellowship, Triangle Artist Association,  
New York, USA  
2001 Thomas Dammann Junior Memorial  
Trust Award, Dublin, Ireland

## Teaching / Lecturing

- Leeds Art Gallery, 2018  
Kunstakademie Karlsruhe, 2017  
Chelsea School of Art, 2017  
Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity, Alberta,  
2017  
Falmouth College of Art, Cornwall, 2017  
University of Ulster, Coleraine, 2017

Stadelschule, Frankfurt am Main, 2016  
National Portrait Gallery, London, 2016  
Brandeis University, Waltham, 2016  
Open School East, London, 2016  
Making Ireland lecture, Trinity College, Dublin,  
2015  
University of Oxford, 2014  
Emily Carr University of Art and Design,  
Vancouver, 2016, 2013  
Wide Open School, Hayward Gallery, London,  
2012  
Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, 2012  
Independent Curators International, New York,  
2012  
School of Architecture, University of Limerick,  
2010 - 12  
National College of Art and Design, Dublin,  
2011, 2013  
Crawford College of Art, Cork, 2011  
Gradcam Phd Programme, Dublin, 2010  
Auckland University of Technology, New  
Zealand, 2010  
Massey University, Wellington, New Zealand,  
2010  
Visual Artists Ireland Professional Practice  
Programme, Dublin, 2009  
Burren College of Art, Clare, 2008-10  
University College Dublin, Dublin, 2008  
Royal Academy of Art, Copenhagen, 2007  
Irish Architectural Archive, Dublin, 2006  
Trondheim Academy of Fine Arts, 2004