

MA Cultural and Curatorial Research Scholarship

Roscommon County Council Arts Office in partnership with King House, Boyle

Scholarship Overview

This funded research degree programme has been co-developed with Roscommon County Council Arts Office and linked partners at King House, Boyle, a local authority venue. It offers an embedded cultural and curatorial experience designed to support your learning and research in cultural management and curatorial studies with a focus on the Boyle Civic Art Collection.

- **Role:** Masters Research Scholar
- **Focus:** Develop a hands-on research investigation within the cultural and curatorial context of Roscommon Arts Office and Boyle Civic Art Collection.
- **Objective:** Gain real-world experience in cultural management, archival practices, exhibition planning and public engagement while contributing to the ongoing success of arts initiatives in Roscommon.

Key Responsibilities

- Collaborate with Roscommon Arts Office, King House and the Boyle Civic Art Collection Trustees to archive and document the current Boyle Civic Art Collection.
- Work closely with King House and the Collection Trustees to plan and implement a dynamic programme for the Boyle Civic Art Collection.
- Engage in public art projects and support the delivery of events, outreach, and policy initiatives.
- Shadow the Arts Officer and Venue Manager and participate in team meetings to understand the operational and curatorial facets of a thriving arts environment.
- Contribute to research by evaluating practices and formulating recommendations to enhance cultural programming.

Benefits

- Scholarship: Funded MA by Research at LSAD TUS, based at King House, Boyle.
- Course fees covered, €19,000 stipend funded by Roscommon County Council Arts Office.

Elevate your career in visual arts engagement with this unique opportunity and become a part of an innovative partnership to animate the Boyle Civic Art Collection for communities in Roscommon, while also immersing yourself in Roscommon local authority arts and culture planning and programme delivery.

Please note that candidates awarded this Scholarship will be required to follow the University policies and procedures on Fitness to Practice and Work Placement.

