

## HELEN GAYNOR

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2022	<i>Going Wild</i>	Pigyard Gallery, Wexford
2019	<i>Fugues and Episodes</i>	Creative Hub, Wexford Festival
2019	<i>Cutting the Lake</i>	Bullring Mall Public Space, Summer
2018	<i>All One Breath</i>	Creative Hub, Wexford Festival
2016	<i>The Road to Bages</i>	Peyriac de Mer, France
2009	<i>Sea Change</i>	Wexford Opera Festival, WAC
2007	<i>Journey</i>	Newtownbarry Hse., Bunclody
2005	<i>Red</i>	Pigyard Gallery, Wexford
2005	<i>Colour Garden</i>	Garter Lane, Waterford
2004	<i>Home</i>	Hallward Gallery, Dublin
2001	<i>Taking wing</i>	Waterfront Gallery, Wexford
2000	<i>Sea stories and other tales</i>	VEC Wexford Festival Expo
1999	<i>Consider Eve</i>	Eigse, Carlow, invited artist
1998	<i>Soul searching, dream seeking</i>	Wexford Arts Centre, Wexford Festival

### AWARDS

2000	Wexford County Council Bursary for Visual Arts
2007/8	Music Network Bursary for Professional Development
2008	Residency at Cill Rialaig Artists Retreat
2008/9	Artlinks Mentoring Award for Visual Arts
2011	Artlinks Multidisciplinary Bursary
2013	Artlinks Mentoring in Writing
2013	Shortlisted for the Gregory ODonoghue International Poetry Prize
2015	Artlinks Bursary for Literature (Mentoring with Grace Wells)
2016	Residency in South East France
2018/20	Residency at Wexford Creative Hub, Bullring Mall, Wexford
2018	Selected jointly by Wexford Co Council and Bodecii Film for a Screenwriting programme
2020	Micro Funding, RHA
2020/21	Creative Ireland funding for a collaborative project with jeweller Lina Varna
2021	Artlinks Multidisciplinary Bursary

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

1994	Dublin Castle; Iontas, Sligo and RHA
1995	Degree show at the RHA, <i>Graduate Talent</i> at the Guinness Gallery, Foxrock
2000	Wexford Vocational College's Festival Exhibition, 2000, featured artist
2000	<i>Booklive 2000</i> , Fishguard, Wales
2000	<i>Art from Small Nations</i> at the Tabernacl Gallery, Machynlleth, Wales
2001	<i>Space and Time</i> 2-person with Reiltin Murphy at Windmill Arts, Blennerville, Co Kerry
2002	West Wales Arts Centre, Fishguard
2002 - 2008	Hallward, Dublin, Summer and Christmas Shows

- 2003, 2005, 2009 Boyle Arts Festival, Invited Artist
- 2004 - 2008 The Millcove, Castletownbere
- 1997 to 2003 Kelly's Hotel Festival exhibitions
- 2015 The Saturday Gallery, artist-led initiative, *Wish you were here* and *Round*
- 2016 Peyriac De Mer, France, and Summer show at Newtownbarry House, curated by Anya Von Gosseln and Clody Norton
- 2017 *And Creatures Dream... A New Language*, WAC and Wexford CoCo
- 2018 al'Opera, Velletri, Italy,  
Kamera8, Wexford, curated by Anya Von Gosseln  
*Vital Material*, curated by Mary Ruth Walsh.
- 2020 Walter's Cube online exhibition of 19 artists, curated by Valeria Ceregini
- 2021 *Sacred*, 2-person with Lina Varna funded by Creative Ireland in association with Wexford Co Council
- 2022 *Cape Sacred*, a 4-person show exhibited at West Wales Gallery and the National Opera House  
*Doorways and Windows*, curated by Rayne Booth for Wex-Art Festival, Stonebridge, Wexford.