

JESSICA KELLY

1982. Dublin, Ireland.

Education

- 2012-14 *MFA with Distinction, Multimedia*. KASK School of Arts, Ghent.
2004-07 *BA (Hons) 2:1, Fine Art Media*. National College of Art and Design, Dublin.
2002-04 *Audio-Visual Communications*. Institute of Technology Tallaght, Dublin.

Exhibitions / Screenings / Performances

- 2016 *Culture Night*. StArt Studios, Leitrim.
2016 *Wayward Fruit Tree*. Ormond Studios, Dublin.
2016 *Fragmented Identities*. Borders Festival at Venice Art House, Venice, Italy.
2016 *Homeland: A Terrible Beauty is Born*. Damer House Gallery, Tipperary.
2016 *(phe)NOM(e)NON*. The Guesthouse Project, Cork.
2016 *2016...* Ormond Studios, Dublin.
2015 *Ormond Stew*. Ormond Studios, Dublin.
2015 *Zaradi Tebe*. Pierkespark, Ghent, Belgium.
2015 *Open House*. Werkhuis de Raaf, Aalst, Belgium.
2014 *Scratch + Snuffest*. Hangaar 1, Oostende, Belgium.
2014 *Culture Night*. Talbot Studios, Dublin.
2014 *Graduation 2014*. KASK, Ghent, Belgium.
2014 *Mayday Mayday*. Campo, Ghent, Belgium.
2014 *190 A Retelling*. The MART, Dublin.
2014 *MAP #18*. KASK, Ghent, Belgium.
2013 *TANK #13*. Het Entrepot, Bruges, Belgium.
2012 *Culture Night*. Market Studios, Dublin.
2012 *Never Going to GIF You Up*. Open Here, Dublin.
2011 *If Only*. Birr Theatre & Arts Centre, Offaly.
2011 *Livestock*. Market Studios, Dublin.
2011 *Open Screen*. Värmland, Sweden.
2011 *The Ponderous Counter-Spectacle of Things Ceasing To Be*. Daghdha, Limerick.
2011 *BYOB*. IMOCA, Dublin.
2011 *The Theatre Machine Turns You On*. Project Arts Centre, Dublin.
2010 *Opened 6 / Gravity & Grace*. Daghdha, Limerick.
2010 *Now*. Daghdha, Limerick.
2010 *Livestock*. Market Studios, Dublin.
2009 *God's Dancehall*. Daghdha, Limerick.
2009 *Straying Closer To The Truth*. The Abbey at Multyfarnham, Westmeath.
2009 *Brunch*. Daghdha, Limerick.
2009 *It's An Art Off*. MART at Twisted Pepper, Dublin.
2009 *Video Mash-Up*. MART at Twisted Pepper, Dublin.
2009 *The Arty Party*. 4 Dame Lane, Dublin.
2008 *Video Black: Snow Illusions & Other Questions (What the Fuck is Video Art?)*.
Dublin Electronic Arts Festival (DEAF) at The Joinery, Dublin.
2007 *Fine Art Degree Show*. National College of Art and Design, Dublin.
2007 *Sony PSP NCAD Showcase*. Sony Online & NCAD, Dublin.
2006 *Open Day*. 101 Teresa's Gardens, Dublin.
2006 *NCAD Public Art Placement*. IMMA, Dublin.
2006 *Mixed Media*. Filmbase, Dublin.
2006 *Vrrrrr! Tempo* (online magazine).

Awards & Residencies

- 2017 Artist Bursary. Leitrim County Council.
- 2016 Artist-in-Residence. Dance Limerick. (June)
- 2015 Arts Practice Support Grant. Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council.
- 2015 Artist-in-Residence. Werkhuis De Raaf, Aalst. (April)
- 2014 Shortlisted. Burren College of Art Emerging Irish Artist Residency Award.
- 2009 Artist-in-Residence. Daghdha Dance Company, Limerick. (Sept. 2009 – 10)
- 2008 Artist-in-Residence. The Abbey at Multyfarnham, Westmeath. (May)
- 2004 Arts Bursary. South Dublin County Council.

Curated Projects

- 2010 *Millipede*. Occupy Space, Limerick.
- 2008 *Digitonic*. Bodytonic Village at Electric Picnic, Stradbally.

Community Art / Facilitation

- 2006 The Dán Project (youth-at-risk). Donore Avenue Youth Club, Dublin.

Collaborative Projects

- 2016 *Postcards From...* (zine) with Nollaig Molloy and Philip Kavanagh
- 2016 *(phe)NOM(e)NON* (multimedia & event) with Chloe Brenan and Irene Murphy
- 2016 *A Dancer Drowned* (mixed media) with Mary-Jo Gilligan
- 2014 *LOVEDOLL* (video) with Elisabeth Van Dam
- 2014 *Cher Amie* (installation) with Ciara Scanlan
- 2011 *A Sonnet for Dark Love* (visuals for dance performance) for Ruairí Donovan
- 2010 *All Structures Are Unstable* (video & installation) with Maria Svensson
- 2010 *Tissue* (video) with Emmalena Fredriksson
- 2008 *The Shoe Banger* (video) with Sophie Iremonger

Performed with as a VJ (2007-11)

Carl Craig, Green Velvet, Henrik Schwarz, Alex Paterson (The Orb), Ralph Lawson, Oscar Mulero, Claro Intelecto, Nick Höppner, Altern8, Si Begg, Fish Go Deep, Chymera, The Bloody Beetroots, Yuksek, Psycatron.

Set Design

- 2009 *The Morning After Optimism*. Mephisto Theatre at The Black Box, Galway.

Professional Development

- 2014 *Training & Development (FETAC Level 6)*. QQI / Paramount HR, Dublin.
- 2010 *Musical Production & Performance (FETAC Level 3)*. LTI Limerick.
- 2009-10 *Daghdha Mentoring Programme*. Daghdha Dance Company, Limerick.
- 2006 *Health & Safety in the Workplace*. CREATE, Dublin.
- 2006 *Child Protection Policy*. CREATE, Dublin.

Extra-mural Courses

- 2016 *The Logic and Probability of After-death Existences*. Trinity College Dublin.
- 2015 *Dutch*. Trinity College Dublin.
- 2014 *Soul Beliefs: Causes and Consequences*. Rutgers University (online)
- 2013 *Writing for the Web*. Open2Study (online)
- 2013 *The Modern and the Postmodern*. Wesleyan University (online)

Professional Affiliations

CREATE – National Development Agency for Collaborative Arts.
LUX Critical Forum Dublin.
NCAD Graduate Network, Dublin.
Ormond Studios, Dublin – Associate Artist.
Visual Artists Ireland.