Opportunity to study the history and theory of art and design practice in a creative art school setting.

This programme is suitable for individuals with a broad interest in history, culture and society.

# NGAD

Course was launched in 2013.

Portfolio submission not required.



This degree introduces and debates the values of curation, critical and popular writing and event management informed by theoretical and historical study of art and design.

## NGAD

Year 1

Introduction to Key Concepts in Art & Design\* Histories of Visual & Material Culture Introduction to Professional Practice Histories of Art & Design I Technologies of Visual Culture



Year 2

Contemporary Theories & Practices\* Professional Practice II Histories of Art & Design II Understanding Digital Culture



#### **Contemporary Theories & Practices:**

What Does it Mean to be Modern? The Dematerialized Art Object Clothing & Cloth: Idea, Object & Image What is Contemporary Art? Media & the Body The Fine Art of Fashion The Impact of Industrialization Irish Visual Culture: themes, tremors & tensions Crafting Narratives NGAD

Year 3

Work Placement Economies of Visual Culture Research Practices I & II Collaborative Practices Professional Practice III



Assessed course work may include text and image essays, curatorial projects, event development, self-publishing, and the development/adaptation of online platforms.

### NCAD

Engagement with studio-based NCAD students may take the form of critical/professional writing and publication projects, curation, event development.

### NGAD

future employment opportunities in the arts:

curation critical writing journalism & publishing arts management



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