

	<i>APPLICANT</i>	<i>REQUEST</i>	<i>2017 AWARD</i>	<i>RECOMMENDED AWARD</i>	<i>NOTES</i>
1	<i>Adventures in Music</i>	3,210	2,400	3,000	Curated passive and active music experiences for young children.
2	<i>Architecture on the Edge</i>	5,000	1,000	2,000	Formerly the 'Open House' architecture festival.
3	<i>Artspace Studios</i>	11,000	9,000	9,000	Long established visual arts studios, with room for over 20 artists.
4	<i>Baboró</i>	36,000	15,500	17,000	Ireland's leading festival of the arts for children and their families. In 2018 a new festival 'Wide Eyes' for very young children was added.
5	<i>Blue Teapot Theatre Company</i>	7,000	4,000	5,000	Award winning theatre and film production company of performers with learning challenges.
6	<i>Branar Téatar do Pháistí</i>	10,000	4,000	5,000	Ireland's leading Irish language, live action and puppet theatre company for children.
7	<i>Brú Theatre, Claddagh</i>	7,070	New applicant	2,500	A site specific theatre, opera, dance spectacle and performance project, mainly in Irish, and set in the Claddagh, with community participation.
8	<i>Club Shine Youth Variety Club</i>	1,400	300	500	Youth music project in Westside.
9	<i>Colours Free Festival</i>	8,000	1,500	1,500	Alternative/fringe arts festival drawing on Galway's diverse communities.

10	Colours Street Theatre	8,000	1,000	1,000	Innovative fringe performance company drawing on Galway's diverse communities
11	Crannóg	3,030	1,350	1,600	Long established literary journal offering a quality peer publication platform for emerging and established creative writers.
12	Cúirt International Festival of Literature (Galway Arts Centre)	27,000	13,000	13,000	Ireland's leading literature festival, founded in 1986.
13	Druid Theatre Company	30,000	28,000	29,000	Ireland's finest theatre company and a fine performance venue - The Mick Lally Theatre - widely available and used by Galway's culture providers.
14	Eastside Community Drama	2,500	New applicant	2,250	A new community theatre project replacing (but drawing from) the ALA theatre project.
16	Engage Art Studios	8,000	6,000	7,500	In 2017 Engage doubled its studio space availability for visual artists by taking over new premises in Francis St. Now offering over 20 studio spaces in Galway.
17	Forge Clay Studios	4,500	1,000	1,000	Ceramics studios in New Road, also offering some space for fine artists and youth music projects.
18	Fregoli Theatre Company	2,000	2,000	2,000	Innovative drama company specialising in original plays.
19	Galway Art Club	1,000	1,000	1,000	Celebrating its 80 th anniversary this year as an

					amateur painters' support organisation.
20	<i>Galway Arts Centre</i>	47,000	19,000	20,000	The city's multi-use arts buildings, in No 47 Dominick Street and Nuns' Island Theatre.
21	<i>Galway Baroque Singers</i>	4,500	4,500	4,500	One of Ireland's most celebrated large choirs, multi-award winning over many years.
22	<i>Galway Cartoon Festival</i>	3,000	No award	1,000	A new visual arts festival celebrating the art of international observational and political art cartoons. Enormous potential to become a really significant Galway festival.
23	<i>Galway Choral Association</i>	5,000	2,000	2,000	Long established and very popular Galway choir.
24	<i>Galway Cathedral Recitals</i>	2,500	1,720	2,100	An imaginatively curated summer season of outstanding music and musicians playing on and with the great organs in Galway Cathedral.
25	<i>Galway Community Circus</i>	12,000	6,500	8,500	Going from strength to strength as a substantial, innovative, community arts presence throughout the city and with strong international connections.
26	<i>Galway Dance Project</i>	7,000	5,500	5,500	Well established resource, training and programming body.
27	<i>Galway Early Music</i>	10,000	8,000	9,000	Ireland's leading early music festival, curated really well

					and a perfect fit for Galway's medieval fabric.
28	<i>Galway Feminist Collective</i>	1,200	500	700	Doing great work in programming art events in the context of prevailing social and cultural mores and agenda.
29	<i>Galway Film Centre</i>	15,000	10,000	10,000	Funding towards the Film Centre's <i>Dig Where You Stand</i> engagement, development and participation project for young European film-makers.
30	<i>Galway Film Fleadh</i>	30,000	18,000	18,000	Ireland's flagship film festival, showcasing the local and national industry, offering unmatched engagement, networking and participation opportunities and showing curated and themed art film programmes for the general public,
31	<i>Galway Film Society</i>	10,000	7,000	5,000	The Film Society is transferring to the Palas cinema. The finer points of its involvement are yet to be confirmed but GFS will be showing a series of international art movies, commencing in April. The funding reflects the initially (at least) abbreviated film season and the experimental nature of the relationship in the first year.
32	<i>Galway Hungarian Yeats Society</i>	3,000	New applicant	750	An innovative programme of contemporary productions of

					the Noh plays of WB Yeats, under the aegis of the Galway branch of the renowned Hungarian Yeats Society.
33	<i>Galway International Arts Festival</i>	76,000	46,000	46,000	Ireland's finest arts festival and one of the best in the world. In 2017 GIAF spent 3.3M in Galway; this year it will be 3.5M.
34	<i>Galway Jazz Festival</i>	10,000	5,000	8,500	A substantial festival with education and emerging artists programming, international quality performers and links with other culture providers. Going from strength to strength.
35	<i>The Galway Music Residency</i>	26,000	23,000	24,000	Featuring Galway's Con Tempo Quartet and a substantial programme of supporting and allied performances and projects across the city, all of the highest international standard.
36	<i>Galway Musical Society</i>	5,000	3,000	3,000	Well established amateur musical society that will present 'The Hired Man', a super choice, this year.
37	<i>Galway Percy French Society</i>	500	300	500	Celebrating the life and art of William Percy French and his circle.
38	<i>Galway Print Studio</i>	21,555	2,000	3,000	An important part of Galway's visual art infrastructure; a resource, training and networking facility.

39	<i>The Galway Review</i>	600	300	300	A fledgling literary journal offering room for diverse Galway voices.
40	<i>The Galway Sessions</i>	10,000	No application	4,000	A return, after a year's break, of the celebrated traditional and roots music festival.
41	<i>Galway Steinway (1981) Trust</i>	600	600	600	Towards the tuning and maintenance costs of the gorgeous (if aging) Steinway grand, available in Galway for elite musicians.
42	<i>Galway Theatre Festival</i>	12,000	6,000	8,500	Towards the programming and administration of an increasingly impressive showcases for Galway theatre and invited companies, with associated support programming.
43	<i>Galway University Hospitals Arts Trust</i>	18,000	9,000	10,000	A powerful programme of active and passive arts and health programmes for the staff, patients and their families and visitors in University Hospital Galway and Merlin Park Hospital. It is recognised that in this context the arts are 'healing arts', with a significant role in the hospital stay of patients.
44	<i>Galway Youth Arts Alliance</i>	3,000	2,000	2,000	Catering to teenage youth in Galway/
45	<i>Galway Youth Theatre (Galway Arts Centre)</i>	8,000	6,000	2,000	Long-established youth theatre programme of excellence.
46	<i>Hot Potato Productions</i>	4,800	280	900	Formerly Banner Theatre, this project brings theatre workshops and performance

					opportunities to Direct Provision centres.
47	<i>Impressions Print Biennial</i>	4,500	1,000	2,000	The large scale international biennial version of the highly regarded annual Impression print competition and exhibition.
48	<i>Irish Patchwork Society (Western Branch)</i>	500	500	500	Community craft making of the highest standard, with exhibition, workshops and networking.
49	<i>John Rogers Theatre</i>	3,375	200	700	Innovative experimental theatre.
50	<i>Junior Galway Film Fleadh (Galway Film Fleadh)</i>	7,500	1,500	1,500	Youth and schools offshoot of the Galway Film Fleadh, held in November and offering real opportunities to learn from and interact with Galway's burgeoning film industry.
51	<i>KATS</i>	3,600	500	1,000	Long-established amateur drama company based in Knocknacarra.
52	<i>Little Cinema Galway</i>	13,000	4,000	5,000	Monthly showcasing of experimental and emerging film programmes, providing a crucial first step for young film-makers.
53	<i>A Little Door</i>	2,000	No award	1,000	A Galway puppetry / theatre project for early years.
54	<i>Macnas</i>	94,000	24,000	24,000	The outstanding Galway street theatre and spectacle company, synonymous with Galway creativity.

55	<i>Mayfly to the Moon</i>	5,000	New applicant	1,000	An experimental music project, drawing on the wonderful and diverse music talents in the city.
56	<i>Merlin Woods Arts Collective</i>	4,000	New applicant	2,000	Bringing into a year-round arts and theatre programme, the remarkable work undertaken for Culture Night in the Merlin woods / Doughiska / Ballybane neighbourhoods. A long anticipated development of the original Culture Night project, a creative arts group for the whole year round.
57	<i>Moonfish Theatre Company</i>	10,000	4,900	5,300	The award-winning Irish language / digital literary theatre experience.
58	<i>Morgan Brothers</i>	740	New applicant	600	A new theatre / film / music company led by talented Galway brothers Jake and Luke Morgan.
59	<i>Music for Galway</i>	19,850	14,000	16,000	Magnificent programme curation of a winter to spring season of outstanding music experiences.
60	<i>New Moon (Brothers of Charity)</i>	2,000	1,500	1,500	Disability arts under the leadership of Claude Madec.
61	<i>NoRopes Theatre Company</i>	12,296	500	1,000	An innovative literary and disability theatre company.
62	<i>126 Artist-run Gallery</i>	12,000	7,500	8,000	The long-established artist-led gallery space, programming ground-breaking visual art exhibitions.

63	<i>Over the Edge</i>	4,500	3,000	3,000	Iconic monthly readings with associated workshops, networking and promotions, mainly in Galway City Library.
64	<i>Patrick Kavanagh Western Association</i>	650	200	200	Kavanagh and his circle, celebrated annually.
65	<i>Saint Nicholas Schola Cantorum</i>	3,250	3,000	3,200	A remarkable gathering of choirs based in St Nicholas Collegiate Church, offering tuition and performance for several ages under the leadership of Mark Duley.
66	<i>Solemn Record Collective</i>	1,200	500	500	Ne punk, new metal and associated music forms, a significant and very creative niche in Galway's youth culture.
67	<i>Speckled Egg Dance Company</i>	890	300	300	Disability dance company.
68	<i>That's Life (Brothers of Charity)</i>	5,000	4,000	4,000	Disability street theatre, spectacle and performance unit that offers superb opportunities to performers with learning challenges.
69	<i>The Theatre Room</i>	2,500	2,000	2,000	An innovative theatre experiment in playwriting and performance for emerging Galway practitioners.
70	<i>Third Space Arts</i>	700	500	500	Where art and ecology meet and work together.
71	<i>Tulca Festival of Visual Art</i>	18,000	10,000	10,000	A major curated visual art festival that showcases local, national and international trends and themes in a fresh and compelling programme.

72	<i>Westside Arts Festival</i>	3,700	3,000	3,500	The superb community arts festival that has made a significant impression on the Westside, particularly its youth culture.
73	<i>Westside Youth Project (Youthwork Ireland)</i>	1,005	New applicant	500	A youth project, based in the Corrach Bui community centre.
74	<i>Westworks Theatre</i>	1,440	New applicant	500	An innovative experimental theatre project drawing on fine young Galway writers and theatre-makers.
75	<i>Youth Ballet West</i>	5,840	2,000	2,500	The long-established ballet performance company for young people.

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No recommendation

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<i>Amigo Productions</i>	Due to the volume of outstanding applications it has not been possible to find funding for this submission.
<i>Chekhov Training and Performance</i>	Due to the volume of outstanding applications it has not been possible to find funding for this submission.
<i>Decadent Theatre Company</i>	Decadent is ineligible as it is not a 'not for profit' but a private company limited by shares. I suggest an application to LEO
<i>Fionnathan Productions</i>	Incomplete application
<i>Galway Baytones</i>	Partially - and properly - application to Galway 2020.
<i>Galway City Gallery</i>	Insufficient evident of potential for survival, no business plan, no policy.
<i>Ionad an Léinn Éireannaigh, Ollscoil na Gaillimhe</i>	Much more appropriate for a partnership with the Arts Office, perhaps involving Pillar Two of Creative Ireland

<i>Kadira Theatre</i>	Possible for a partnership with the Arts Office, perhaps involving Pillar One of Creative Ireland
<i>Plean Teanga Bearna Cnoc na Cathrach</i>	Not entirely an arts organisation (the proposal involves <i>card playing</i> as Gaeilge)