

The  
**Anna  
Cheyne**

Visual Arts  
Award 2019

**ISLAND**  
Arts Centre

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Castlereagh  
City Council



# The Anna Cheyne Visual Arts Award 2019

This bi-annual competition acknowledges and honours the outstanding achievements of Northern Irish artist Anna Cheyne (1926 - 2002). Anna, who was a resident of Lisburn, exhibited widely throughout Britain and Ireland and from the 1980s participated annually in both t-Oireachtas and the Royal Ulster Academy exhibitions. In 1994 she achieved one of her life goals when she was appointed an Academician of The Royal Ulster Academy.

The Anna Cheyne Visual Arts Award supports local artists through the purchase of artwork for the Lisburn & Castlereagh City Art Collection. The Award is funded by Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council.

## Eligibility

The Anna Cheyne Visual Arts Award is open to practising visual artists working in any medium. All candidates must be aged **25 years or over** and either have been born in Northern Ireland, be a resident of Northern Ireland, or have parent(s) who were born in Northern Ireland.

## Entry Procedure

An artist may submit up to two finished pieces of visual art in any medium. An official entry form must be submitted in advance detailing all submissions -- **no works may be submitted without the completed entry form having been previously sent. The closing date for the receipt of entry forms is Friday 26 July, 4pm.**

A full Curriculum Vitae must also be included, indicating, if relevant, previous awards obtained. If this information is not submitted applications will be disqualified.

Please ensure the form is completed in block capitals to ensure the correct information is listed.

## General Regulations

All works submitted must not exceed 800mm in their greatest dimensions i.e. length or breadth, inclusive of frame (in case of sculpture inclusive of base or pedestal).

All paintings, drawings, prints must be framed or presented to a normally acceptable standard (clip-on glass frames are not acceptable) and supplied with rings for hanging. Only original and recently executed works are eligible and preferably should not have been exhibited previously.

## Submission Days

Submissions will be accepted on **Saturday 24 August and Tuesday 27 August 9.30am - 4.30pm only.**

All submissions must be handed in to ISLAND Arts Centre  
Lagan Valley Island  
Lisburn, BT27 4RL

Submissions must be **clearly labelled** with the entrant's name and contact details. Where prints are submitted the number of copies available for sale should be clearly stated.

## Collection of Submissions

All submissions not sold as part of the exhibition **must** be collected on either **Wednesday 25 September, 9.30am-9.30pm or Thursday 26 September, 9.30am-9.30pm.** If submissions are not claimed during these times, Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council reserves the right to dispose of them without compensation to the owner.

## Judging

The judging panel is made up of representatives from Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council, the National Museums Northern Ireland and the Arts Council of Northern Ireland. The judges have the right to decide on the Award, or to decide that no submission has reached the required standard for the award to be made. The judges' decision is final, and no correspondence concerning the Award can be entered into.

Submissions will be judged according to the general criteria of:

- Creativity
- Innovation
- Quality
- Professionalism

Award winning submissions will be purchased by Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council. There is a maximum fund of £2000 available for one or multiple purchases.

## Exhibition

ISLAND Arts Centre will host an exhibition of work submitted. Due to limits in space it may not be possible to include all submissions in the exhibition. ISLAND Arts Centre will facilitate the sale of submissions during the public exhibition period. All sales, including award winning pieces, will be subject to 25% commission plus VAT.

## Exhibition Dates

**Thursday 5 –  
Tuesday 24 September**

ISLAND Arts Centre:  
Galleries 1 & 2

## Opening Hours:

**Monday – Friday**  
9.30am - 9.30pm  
**Saturday**  
9.30am - 4.30pm  
**Sunday**  
CLOSED

## Awards Ceremony

The winning artist/s will be announced at the Exhibition Preview which will take place on **Wednesday 4 September, from 7-9pm at ISLAND Arts Centre**. All award entrants and the media will be invited to the ceremony to be notified of the judges' decision.

## Insurance

While all reasonable precautions will be taken, artists are strongly advised to insure their submissions for the period of the competition from the date of handing in to the date of collection.

## Photography of Work

Submission of entries acknowledges the right of Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council to photograph work for publicity purposes in connection with the Anna Cheyne Visual Art Award scheme. The copyright of all such exhibition photographs will remain the property of Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council. Otherwise copyright of all artworks will remain the property of the artists.



### Disclaimer

Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council reserves to itself the sole and absolute right to interpret these or any other prescribed rules, conditions and regulations and to settle and determine all or any matters, questions, or differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the competition, and also to refuse or to cancel any entries, disqualify competitors, prohibit exhibition of works, and relax conditions, as the Council may deem expedient. **The decision of the Council shall be final in all respects.** Neither the Council nor any of its officers will be responsible or accountable for anything that may happen (from any cause or circumstance whatever) to any entry or property brought into the premises at ISLAND Arts Centre, or for anything else in connection with, or arising out of, or attributable to, the competition and exhibition. Each entrant shall be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss; injury or damage done to or occasioned by, or arising from, any article exhibited by him or her, and shall indemnify the Council against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto.

## Frequently Asked Questions

### 1] What if my submission is sold during the exhibition?

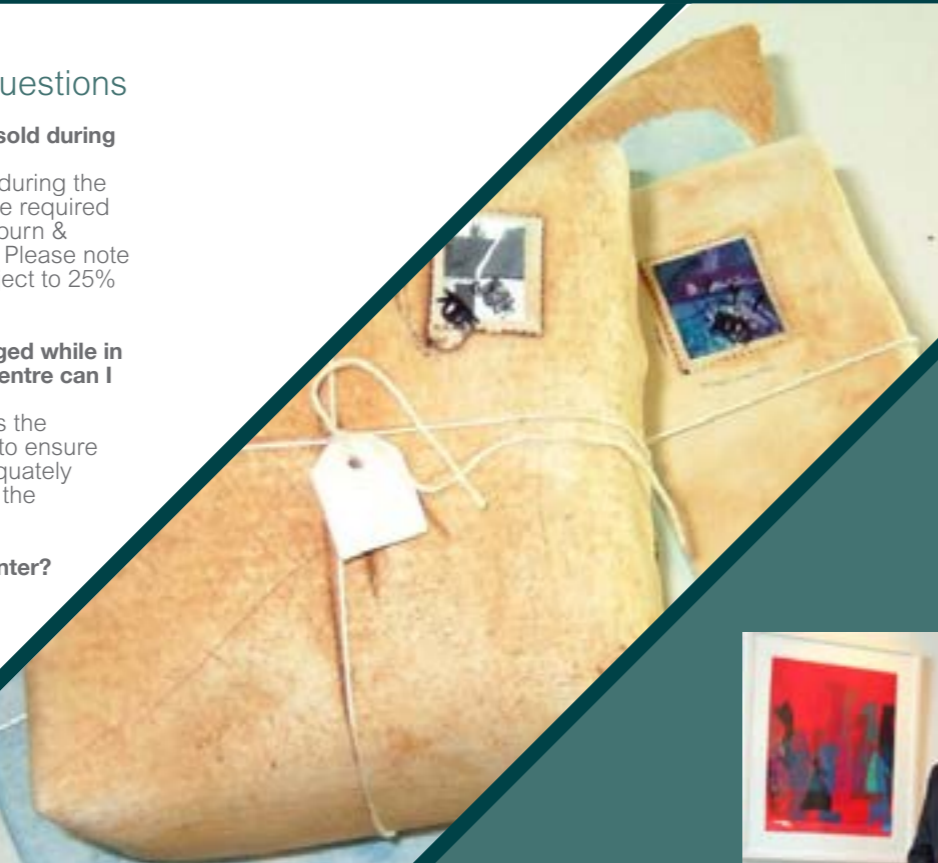
If your submission is sold during the public exhibition you will be required to submit an invoice to Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council. Please note that all purchases are subject to 25% commission plus VAT.

### 2] If my submission is damaged while in the care of ISLAND Arts Centre can I claim compensation?

No – as detailed above it is the responsibility of all artists to ensure their submissions are adequately insured for the duration of the competition.

### 3] Does it cost anything to enter?

No – there is no charge for submitting work for the Award.



2017 Winning Artists, Anushiya Sundaralingam and Michael Geddis with their work.

Official  
Entry Form  
(Deadline for receipt of  
entry forms is Fri 26 July, 4pm)

Description  
of Submissions  
(Maximum of 2  
submissions per person)

### Entry Details

Name:

Address:

Town/city:

Postcode:

Daytime Phone Number:

Email Address:

Date of Birth:

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Complete form online and submit to [artsubmissions@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk](mailto:artsubmissions@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk) or download, complete and send to ISLAND Arts Centre, The Island, Lisburn BT27 4RL.

Submission 1  
Title of Artwork:

Size of Artwork:

Retail Price of Artwork (£stg):

Medium used:

Submission 2  
Title of Artwork:

Size of Artwork:

Retail Price of Artwork (£stg):

Medium used:

### Declaration

I declare that the work submitted for the Award was conceived and executed wholly by me. I declare that I have read the rules of the Award and agree to be bound by them.

Signed

Date

