

Award for Artist from a Traveller Heritage 2025

Deadline: 12pm, Weds 18th
June, 2025

Application Form

Please read the award guidelines before submitting an application.

You can apply by either by completing the form below or by sending responses to the questions below in a voice note or video and send to us via Whatsapp 089 4920728. Email – arts@ageandopportunity.ie Or post to *Traveller Art Award, Age and Opportunity, St. Patricks Hall, Marino Institute of Education, Griffith Avenue, D09 K4P6*

All applications should be fully submitted no later than 12pm, Wednesday 18th June, 2025.

Name of applicant:
Address of applicant:
Phone number:
Email:

Tell us a bit about yourself? (150 words or 1 minute speaking)

Do you identify as a Traveller or of Traveller heritage?

Do you work creatively on a regular basis?

Are you based in the Republic of Ireland?

Are you 40 years or over?

Why do you want this award? (max 150 words or 1 minute speaking)

Please describe your artistic or making practice (500 words or 3 minutes speaking)

For e.g.

- What kind of things do you create / make?
- What are you inspired by?
- What is your style?

Tell us about your past work (500 words or 3 mins speaking)

For e.g.

- How long have you been working in this artform / making?
- How did you learn these skills?
- Have you shown your work any public setting?
- Have you taken part in any public festival events, such as Traveller Pride Week, Culture Night, Misleor Festival or any others (please tell us more)?
- Have you received any recognition from a Traveller or other organisation for your work (please tell us more)?

<p>How would you use the award to support your art/making practice? (max 150 words or 1 minute speaking)</p>
<p>For e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mentorship from another artist• Professional development training• Materials / supplies for making• Transport costs <p>Please give full details</p>

Email/post or Whatsapp us the following:

- 3 examples of work – photos/video/sound or text files that show your work.

Checklist for your application:

- I have read the application guidelines
- I have answered the questions on the application form in either voice note / video on Whatsapp or via the application form.
- I acknowledge that I am solely responsible for ensuring I have Public Liability Insurance cover.

These last few questions allow us to gather information on the diversity and inclusivity of our programmes and we appreciate you taking the time to answer them.

What is your age?

- ☐ 40 – 50
- ☐ 50 – 60
- ☐ 61 – 70
- ☐ 71 – 85
- ☐ 86 or older
- ☐ Prefer not to say

What is your gender?

- ☐ Female

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Non-binary
- ☐ Other (specify if you wish)
- ☐ Prefer not to say

What is your ethnic or cultural background?

- ☐ Asian or Asian Irish: Chinese
- ☐ Asian or Asian Irish: Any other Asian background
- ☐ Black or Black Irish: African
- ☐ Black or Black Irish: Any other Black background
- ☐ White: Irish
- ☐ White: Irish Traveller
- ☐ White: Any other White background
- ☐ Other including mixed background (specify if you wish)