

'Ground Floor'



The Elysian, Eglantine Street, Cork.

3rd June – 16th June

11am - 5pm daily

Opening 2nd June @ 6pm

An exhibition by Third Year Fine Art and Ceramics students of CIT Crawford College of Art & Design, opens to public viewing from 2nd – 16th June. It will provide a diverse approach to art during the midsummer exhibition and arts circuit, through the utilisation of a non-art space, The Elysian.

After 3 years of study in the Crawford, the 57 students have developed their knowledge and techniques, applying a wide variety of approaches to Fine Art and Ceramics. The group's work is diverse, using mediums such as printmaking, painting, film & photography, textiles, installation, sculpture and more. The students have developed a strong and panoramic conceptual base as diverse as the artists themselves.

The exhibition space was sourced and secured by the students. They found it to be a space that could accommodate ambitious creative interventions within a non-traditional art setting. The name 'Ground Floor' was born out of a visit to the exhibition space in its raw state, inspired by its setting beneath the tower above.

"The exhibition may be rooted on the floor or in the earth, but the students may aspire to the beautiful, gleaming heights of the Elysian Tower, to the skies, and to the future." Dr Julian Campbell.