

Futures 10 will exhibit a selection of seven young or emerging artists made by RHA Director Patrick T. Murphy and Exhibitions Curator Ruth Carroll. Futures is not a discovery show but attempt to identify artists around whom there is a growing consensus as to the quality of their work. The artists chosen for Futures are artists who have shown in one-person exhibitions in regional arts centres, in open group exhibitions such as ev+a Limerick and the Claremorris Open Exhibition and who have been involved in various studios residencies in Ireland or abroad. In limiting their selection to seven artists the curators offer sufficient space to each, to allow a good selection of work so that the visitor can gain a real idea of the artist's intentions.

The artists chosen for Futures 10 are **Oisín Byrne, Rhona Byrne, Fiona Chambers, Niall de Buitléar, Damien Flood, Magnhild Opøl** and **Ailbhe Ní Bhriain**.