

# Red Hugh O'Donnell Commission

## **Public Art Commission**

### **By invitation based on limited competition**

Donegal Town, County Donegal. Donegal County Council in partnership with Donegal Town Community Chamber and The O'Donnell Clan Association. Donegal Bay Waste Water Scheme / Per Cent for Art

## **Commission Theme**

Donegal County Council wish to commission work that celebrates the life and legacy of Red Hugh O' Donnell 1427 – 1505

## **Nature of Artwork**

A permanent outdoor work

## **Sites**

The Harbour /Pier area (in/out of the water) however the commissioners are open to artists suggestions in relation to siting of this new work.

## **Budget Available**

€35,000 ( to include artist's fee, materials, transport to site etc. ). Please also note, the appointed artist will be required to submit a tax clearance certificate ( TC2 ) to Donegal County Council in advance of any commission payments being made.

## **Submissions**

A curated shortlist has been drawn up and five artists are now invited to submit a full submission in respect of which premia of €750 will be awarded. Submissions must include the following:

- a) a current curriculum vitae
- b) at least 10 slides, photographs or images on disc of public art works / commissions completed by the artist
- c) detailed notes about the artwork including size, material, installation requirements, timeframe for completion, long term maintenance plan
- d) a artist statement about the proposed artwork
- e) a model of the artwork

## **Adjudication**

Artists will be invited to attend selection, make a presentation and answers questions. Adjudication is by a committee - which will include Donegal County Council Public Art Manager, Public Representative of Donegal County Council, an Artists' representative, a representative of The O'Donnell Clan Association and a representative of Donegal Town Community Chamber.

## **Site Visit**

To facilitate artists, site visits will be arranged as required by artists with The Public Art Manager.

## **Closing Date for Completed Submissions**

Completed Submissions: Red Hugh O' Donnell Commission, Donegal County Library Administration Centre, Rosemount, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal by close of business ( 4.30pm) on 15th June 2006

## **Further Information**

For further information please contact Ms. Terre Duffy, Public Art Manager Donegal County Library, Rosemount, Letterkenny. Tel. 00353 (74) 21968.  
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