



# An Chomhairle Oidhreachta The Heritage Council

## Heritage Stewardship Fund 2024

Local Authority Area	Ref. Number	Organisation Name	Project Title	Aims of project	Offer Amount
All of Ireland	SF18887	Waterways Ireland	A Boatman's Journey - Navigating Waterways Ireland Heritage through the eyes of a boatman using StoryMaps	Use a StoryMap to showcase a selection of Waterways Ireland archived heritage resources with new multi-media content, creating an immersive digital storytelling experience	€25,434
Carlow	SF19024	Carlow County Museum, c/o Carlow County Council	Carlow Co Museum Collections Database and Storage Enhancement	We will install museum specific catalogue software, Content Management System (CMS) and having invested in a new offsite storage building we require archival boxes to enhance the reserve collection	€7,511
Cavan	SF18935	Cavan County Museum	Cavan County Museum Conservation Improvement Project Phase 2	To follow on from the improvements made and insights gained from the project completed in 2023. To focus on the key collection of our textiles, and to make improvements to general archival storage.	€16,463
Cork - Cork City	SF18931	UCC Library	UCC Special Collections & Archives, Conservation and Collection Care Studio Project	Equip a conservation studio, with key fundamental equipment, to enable conservation of UCC's Library's Special Collections and Archives; enhancing access to cultural heritage for diverse communities.	€30,000
Cork - Cork City & County	SF18992	Cork Public Museum	Museum Storage Improvement Works	The main aim of this project is to renovate and upgrade the costume and weaponry storage in our on-site storerooms, as part of a wider improvement of all the museum's storage facilities.	€13,076



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Donegal	SF19009	Donegal County Council	Oral History Archive Preservation Project	We aim to enhance preservation of a significant percentage of our Oral History collection by converting audio cassettes to high quality archival standard 24bit 96 kHz .wav files, accessible on MP3.	€5,999
Dublin - Dublin City	SF18886	14 Henrietta Street	Museum for Everyone: Improving access and inclusion to 14 Henrietta Street	To identify and remove the barriers that prevent people from accessing 14 Henrietta Street easily and with confidence, and improve the museum experience and the inclusivity of our communications.	€18,500
Dublin - Dublin City	SF18960	Chester Beatty	Conservation of Chinese silk hanging: Buddhas of the Three Generations	Conserve a Buddhist silk hanging made in Chinese imperial textile workshops in the 18th century; record conservation process and share stories about the object through a workshop and online platforms.	€19,008
Dublin - Dublin City	SF18974	Dublin City Council	DCC Built Heritage Attitudes and Behavioural Research Project	An initial research stage to explore the attitudes of home-owners towards their Protected Structures, to enable public bodies improve the design of the conservation grant schemes, guidance & policies	€30,000
Dublin - Dublin City	SF18981	Royal Irish Academy Library	The Birds of Ireland: Curating the Richard J. Ussher Collection at the Royal Irish Academy	This project will enable the long-term preservation, access, and discovery of material from the Ussher Bird Notes Collection through a programme of archival cataloguing, digitisation and outreach.	€22,904



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Dublin -Dublin City and County	SF18985	University College Dublin	Preserving the photographic archive of the Parish of the Travelling People 2023	Appropriately house an archive of c 8,000 photographs linked to the Parish of the Travelling people in archival quality storage and provide surrogate photobooks for continued community access.	€4,500
Dublin - Dublin City	SF18990	Geology, School of Natural Sciences	TCD Geological Museum: "Colour in Geology" On-campus Exhibit 2024	Install an exhibit "Colour in Geology" to showcase select specimens, enhance public engagement, revitalise an existing space, and serve as a catalyst for fundraising and strategic planning.	€23,406
Dublin - Dublin City	SF19041	City of Dublin Education & Training Board	Former Rathmines Town Hall (Conservation Master Plan)	The creation of a Conservation Master Plan of Rathmines Town Hall, following the methodology of the "Burra Charter", to inform future retention & enhancement of the building's heritage significance.	€30,000
Dublin - South Dublin	SF19067	South Dublin Libraries	South Dublin Stories Podcast	To tell the story of South Dublin through showcasing South Dublin Libraries' Local Studies Collection, engaging both local people and outsiders in the story of the county.	€6,336
Galway - Galway County	SF18895	Galway County Council	Gort Town Hall project development measures in advance of future works	Project Development Measures to ready the building for future application for grant to replacement roof and internal alteration works to ensure its continued use and enjoyment by the local community	€24,804



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Galway - Galway County	SF18910	Galway County Council	Mountbellew Poor Law Union collection digitisation project, Galway Co. Co. Archives, 2024	To digitise for preservation and access purposes a quantity of poor law union minute books	€12,500
Limerick - Limerick City & County	SF18961	Limerick Museum	Limerick Museum, Protection of Collection Plan 2024	To stabilise and improve the storage conditions of our reserve collection to accepted professional standards via the purchase of archival/conservation grade storage materials.	€20,000
Longford & Westmeath	SF18859	University of Galway	Longford and Westmeath landed estates Data Collection	It is proposed to create and upload bibliographical and descriptive data relating to the landed estates which existed in the counties of Longford and Westmeath, c.1700-c.1914.	€17,760
Mayo	SF18971	Mayo County Council	Mo Scéal Digital Dissemination, Co Mayo, 2024	To make the Mo Scéal series of oral-history recordings available in subtitled digital format and create an accessible bilingual resource which showcases the intangible heritage of the Mayo Gaeltacht.	€14,812
Mayo	SF19053	Mayo County Council	Croagh Patrick Ambassador Programme 2024	Establish a volunteer team to enhance Croagh Patrick's appreciation via education, data collection, community engagement, and conservation efforts.	€30,000
Mayo	SF19085	Mayo County Council	Westport - Irish Historic Towns Atlas Research Project	The aim is to complete a portion of research in historic archives for publication in the Irish Historic Towns Atlas Westport volume, which will chart the town's topographical history.	€9,000



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Meath	SF18984	Meath County Council	Meath County Archive Catalogue Development Project	The aim of this project is to provide a platform for the records of Meath County Archive. We are undergoing a project to bring legacy record lists on to an Axial compatible excel spreadsheet.	€13,159
Monaghan	SF18894	St Louis Secondary School	Conservation and Restoration of sash windows, metal doors and windows and oriel window in Teach Essex Phase 2	To conserve the original windows, spy holes and metal door with unique locking system for future generations	€22,320
Offaly	SF18889	Offaly County Council	Offaly's Heritage Buildings: Traditional Building Skills Demonstrations & Conservation Talks with the Irish Georgian Society	The aim of the project is to provide free, accurate and impartial conservation advice to both owners and guardians of Offaly's traditionally built buildings.	€17,760
Sligo	SF18870	The Model, Home of The Niland Collection	The Model, Sligo, Phase 2 of Museum Standards Programme for Ireland (MSPI) Delivery Plan 2024.	To bring the management, care & conservation of The Niland Collection & all our operations in line with standards of international best practice by achieving full MSPI accreditation in 2024/25.	€15,565
Sligo	SF19078	Atlantic Technological University Library	Special Collections Book Conservation Project	The aim of this project is to conserve a set of 24 bound volumes of Punch magazine for the Library Special Collections.	€10,327



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Tipperary	SF19010	Tipperary Museum of Hidden History	Traditional Irish Skills Programme Working with Diverse Communities in Tipperary 2024	Transfer traditional Irish heritage and craft skills among Irish & migrant communities resident in Tipperary. Using objects from the Museum's collection & their own traditions as inspiration to create	€17,730
Waterford - Waterford City & County	SF18912	Waterford Treasures, Five Museums in the Viking Triangle	Upgrade Waterford Treasures Museums Collection Management System/Catalogue	To operate a robust cataloguing/documentation system. As support for the current Adlib catalogue will expire in 2024, it is time to upgrade from Adlib to Axiell Collections.	€9,349
Wexford	SF19062	Wexford County Council	Conservation of a mould-damaged series of minute books under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts for New Ross Union, and digitisation of volumes following repair work	To salvage important early local housing information from mould-damaged volumes of New Ross Union minute books by engaging a conservator and to digitise the repaired volumes for enhanced public access	€14,000
Wicklow	SF18939	Wicklow County Archives	The Tate Charity Trust collection, 1787-1990	Creating an archival descriptive list, exhibition and online resources for the archival collection Tate Charity Trust, established by John Tate in 1787.(See "Tate Charity Trust info" doc.)	€8,800
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