



**THE GERARD MANLEY HOPKINS SOCIETY**  
**27th INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL**  
**NEWBRIDGE COLLEGE**

**Saturday 19th to Friday 25th July 2014**

*Dedicated to the memory of JIM HARRIS OP, GILL BERRY, EVELYN WILSON; R.I.P.*



*celebrating*  
**Gerard Manley Hopkins**  
*his interests*  
Poetry Painting Music The Arts  
Philosophy Conservation  
*and his mentor*  
**John Henry Newman**

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**VISITORS WELCOME TO ANY EVENT**





## SATURDAY 19th JULY

2.00 **REGISTRATION** begins

7.30 **RECEPTION** and **GRAND OPENING**

Reception kindly supported by the permanent representative of the EU in Dublin

Cello and Viola: Tony Brychta and Marianna Alaberдова (Czech Republic), with Naas Youth Orchestra

Opening by by H.E. Dominick Chilcott, Ambassador of UK  
Andrew Delohery Vice President Quinnipiac University USA  
Paul Keane, Hon Swedish Consul

Martin Heydon, TD;

The Mayor of Kildare, Fional O'Loughlin MCC;

Conor Bowman, President The Hopkins Society

A Reading of some Hopkins Poems by Ambassador Chilcott

MC: Elaine Murphy

**ART EXHIBITIONS: OPENING**

Wilhelm Föckersperger; Gill Berry; Brian Bourke; Padraig

McCaul; Ann Quinn

Opening: Desmond Egan

Eleanor Swan; Daniel Lipstein; James McKenna; John Behan

Opening: Adrian McGoldrick MC: Eleanor Swan

9.30 **NIGHTCAP** in O'Rourke's pub (Main St., opposite Xtravision)

3 poems by Desmond Egan; Glorjana Veber, Slovenia

MC: Morgan McCabe



## SUNDAY 20th JULY

### N.U.I. Maynooth Day

10.30 **MASS** in Newbridge College Chapel

Celebrant: Bishop Denis Nulty

Organ: Peter Moloney; Soprano: Philomena Breslin

Lessons: Derek Egan; Elaine Murphy

Prayers of the Faithful: Eleanor Swan; Alan O'Neill;

Morgan McCabe; Mary Parsons; Jenny Adamson.

After Communion: Extract from a Hopkins Sermon

read by Pastor Douglas Grandgeorge (Amenia, New York)

MC: Elaine Murphy

11.45 Cars go to **NEWBRIDGE SILVER** Showrooms.

Short Tour of The Style Museum, led by Conor Mahony

12.30 **LUNCH** (Newbridge Silver Restaurant); optional

One Hopkins poem: Elaine Murphy; one poem: Shizue

Ogawa (Japan); Barbara Pogacnic (Slovenia)

MC: Derek Egan

2.00 **BUS** for Maynooth (names in advance to Mary Parsons)

leaving from Newbridge Silver car park

MC: Morgan McCabe

3.30 **MAYNOOTH COLLEGE**

Welcome by Teresa Redmond (NUIM);



Short visit to College Chapel (optional).

**A Visit to RUSSELL LIBRARY** with Barbara McCormack, Librarian or **SCIENCE MUSEUM** with Dr Niall McKeith  
MC: Jenny Adamson

5.30 **SHERRY RECEPTION** (Renehan Hall)

sponsored by President Philip Nolan.

Guitar: Conor Mahony

A Hopkins poem: Jenny Adamson; one poem: Philip Brady;  
David Cappella (USA).

MC: Teresa Redmond (NUI Maynooth)

6.15 **HOPKINS SOCIETY BANQUET** 2013 (Pugin Hall)

Entry by ticket only (€35); booking in advance or from Jenny Adamson.

Speakers: Stuart Dwyer, Chargé d' Affaires, Embassy of USA;  
Jim Walsh, Vice-President, NUI Maynooth;

Conor Bowman, President, The Hopkins Society

**Presentation: Newbridge Silver Literary Award**  
to Robert Smart (Quinnipiac University USA)

**James McKenna Award**

to Kevin McEneaney (New York)

Masked Mystery: Con Cummins.

MC: Derek Egan

9.00 Bus leaves from Front Gate

10.00 NIGHTCAP: Johnson's on the Liffey

## MONDAY 21st JULY

9.15 **REGISTRATION**

Parallel Youth Programme begins.

Director: Derek Egan.

Art Exhibitions open to public. (10%  
Deposit on sales)

10.00 **LECTURES**

*The Struggle of Faith: Hopkins and  
Vasser Miller:* David Cappella

(Central Connecticut Uni. USA)

*Hopkins's Faith and Hardy's Hope:* Bert  
Hornbach (Uni. Saarland, Germany)

Moderator: Douglas Grandgeorge  
(New York). MC: Derek Egan

11.00 **Coffee**

11.45 **LECTURES**

*Cezanne and Hopkins:* Brendan  
Staunton SJ (Milltown, Dublin)

*Death and Grace in Hopkins:* Hank

Edmundson (Georgia State Uni. USA)

Moderator: Pushpa Parekh (Spelman  
College, Atlanta).

MC: Mary Parsons

1.00 **Lunch:** Swifts Restaurant

2.30 **LECTURES**

*Hopkins, McCartney and the Creative  
Process:* Conor Bowman B.L.

*Hopkins and Disability:* Pushpa Parekh  
(Spelman College, Atlanta)

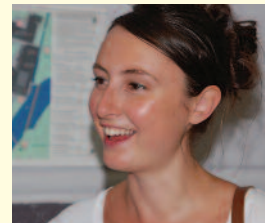
Moderator: Conor Mahony.

MC: Mary Rea

3.30 **Coffee**

4.15 **LECTURES**

*Hopkins, Emerson and Newman:* Andrew Delohery  
(Quinnipiac University USA)



*Hopkins and Mauriac*: Vivienne Abbott M.A. M.Phil.  
Moderator: Mark Bosco SJ (Loyola Uni. Chicago)  
MC: Elaine Murphy

6.00 **Dinner**: Harrigans (Main St.)

8.30 **FESTIVAL CLUB**: Coffeys (Main Street)

*My Favourite Hopkins*: Robert Smart (USA); Glorjana Veber (Slovenia); Sakiko Takagi (Japan); Jenny Adamson; Pushpa Parekh (India); Mary Parsons; Will Adamson (Germany); Shizue Ogawa (Japan); Elaine Murphy; Christine Gaurier (France); Kate Jorgensen (USA); Jan Erik Rekdal (Norway); Miho Takahashi (Japan); Barbara Pogačnik (Slovenia); Andrew Delohery (USA); Conor Bowman; Youngmin Kim (Korea).  
MC: Morgan McCabe



## TUESDAY 22nd JULY

10.00 **LECTURES**

*Reading the Wreck*: Eamon Kiernan (Magdeburg Uni., Germany)

*Bridges and the Publication of Hopkins*: William Adamson (Uni. of Ulm, Germany)  
Moderator: Mark Bosco SJ (Loyola Uni., Chicago).  
MC: Michael Jacob

11.00 **Coffee**

11.45 **LECTURES**

*The Wreck and the Humanities*: Youngmin Kim (Dongguk Uni. Korea)  
*Hopkins and Habbakuk*: Douglas Grandgeorge (New York)  
Moderator: Brendan Staunton SJ.  
MC: Elaine Murphy

1.00 **Lunch**: All Seasons Bistro (Limerick Street)

4.30 **RECEPTION**

Wine Reception Courtesy, The Czech Embassy

**LECTURES and PRESENTATION**

The James McKenna Award, 2014: Shizue Ogawa (Tokyo)  
Presentation by Conor Bowman, President, The Hopkins Society  
Three poems by Ms Ogawa  
*Hopkins and Flannery O'Connor*: Mark Bosco (Loyola Uni., Chicago)  
*Four Views of Rural Space*: Diarmuid Johnson (Wales)  
Moderator: Robert Smart (Quinnipiac Uni. New Haven).  
MC: Mary Parsons

6.00 **Dinner**: Harrigan's Restaurant, Main Street

8.00 **TRADITIONAL IRISH MUSIC CONCERT**

Malachy Bourke, with Toner Quinn, Diarmuid Johnson; Justin Duane; Conor Mahony  
Bean á Ti: Fiona McLoughlin-Healy MCC  
MC: Alan O'Neill Admission: €15

10.00 **FESTIVAL CLUB**: Johnsons on the Liffey

Three poems: Kevin McEaney (New York); Barbara Pogačnik (Slovenia); Jan Erik Rekdal (Norway).  
Poems in Irish: Derek Egan; Alan O'Neill; Máire Nic Chonchubhair; Conor Mahony  
MCs: Derek Egan and Conor Mahony



## WEDNESDAY 23rd JULY

10.00 **TRANSLATION WORKSHOP**

Workshop will focus on *Hurrahing in Harvest*  
Director: Barbara Pogacnik (Slovenia), with visiting Translators and Students. MC: Desmond Egan





11.15 **Coffee**

11.45 **TRANSLATION WORKSHOP** continues

1.00 **Lunch:** An Chistin

2.30 **LECTURES**

*Design and Pattern in Hopkins:* Michael Woods (Malvern College, UK)

*Aesthetics of Absence and Presence:* Kevin McEneaney (New York)

Moderator: Andrew Delohery (Quinnipiac University USA).

MC: Mary Parsons

3.35 **RECEPTION and LECTURES**

Wine Reception, Courtesy, Alan O'Neill

*Hopkins:* Barbara Pogacnik (Slovenia)

*The Wreck of the Deutschland:* Miho Takahashi (Kansai University, Osaka)

Moderator: Brian Arkins (NUI Galway).

MC: Alan O'Neill

5.15 **MEMORY TREE** in College Grounds

Fr. Joseph Dineen OP, Prior  
Special remembrance: James Harris OP;  
artist Gill Berry; Evelyn Wilson.

Poems by Kevin McEneaney and Michael Woods. MC: Desmond Egan

Group Photograph: Jim Kelly (KCWU, Washburn University)

6.00 **DINNER:** All Seasons Bistro

8.00 **FESTIVAL CLUB:** O'Rourkes Bar

Short Documentary Film: *Newbridge* presented by

Claire Doyle and Willie Crowley

3 Poems: Ron Smith (USA); Michael Woods (UK);

John Kelly; Richard Murphy (USA);

Prose: Conor Bowman. MC: Jenny Adamson



## THURSDAY 24th JULY

10.00 **LECTURES**

*Some Poems of John Donne* - a guided tour for students:  
Desmond Egan

*Hopkins and Pascal:* Robert Smart (Quinnipiac University, New Haven)



Invitation by President Michael D. Higgins to Áras an Uachtaráin, 2014.





Moderator: Youngmin Kim (Korea)

MC: Mary Rea

11.00 **Coffee**

11.45 **LECTURES**

*Hopkins and The Catholic University*: Seán Bagnall

*Hopkins and Robert Frost*: Patrick Samway SJ (St. Joseph's Uni. Philadelphia)

Moderator: Miho Takahashi (Kansai Uni. Japan)

MC: Derek Egan

1.00 **Lunch**: An Chistin

2.30 **LECTURES**

*Hopkins and the Classics*: Brian Arkins (NUI Galway)

*Stephens - Hopkins's Descendant*: Richard Murphy (Bay Path College, Mass.)

Moderator: David Cappella (Central Conn. Univ.)

MC: Elaine Murphy

3.30 **Coffee**

4.30 **SYMPOSIUM**

A resumé of Lectures by Miho Takahashi; followed by a discussion led by Robert Smart; Michael Woods; Eamon Kiernan; Youngmin Kim

Moderator: Brian Arkins.

MC: Michael Jacob

5.30 NB earlier time **DINNER**: All Seasons Bistro

7.30 RIVERBANK ARTS CENTRE, Main Street

**THE G.M.HOPKINS 27th FESTIVAL of INTERNATIONAL POETRY**

Two poems by: Hopkins (read by Douglas Grandgeorge); Thomas Kinsella (read by Will Adamson); Patrick Kavanagh (read by Jenny Adamson); a Baudelaire poem in French and English (read by Bruno Gaurier); A Slovenian poem (original and translation) read by Glorjana Veber;

2 poems each by international writers:

Barbara Pogačnik (Slovenia); Shizue Ogawa (Japan); Michael Woods (UK); Viktor Bepalyy (Ukraine); Philip Brady (Ireland); David Cappella (USA); Donald Gardner (Netherlands); Neil Donnelly (Ireland); Kevin McEneaney (USA); Conor Bowman (Ireland); Desmond Egan (Ireland). MC: Elaine Murphy

10.00 **FESTIVAL CLUB**: O'Rourkes Bar

3 poems: Ron Smith (USA); Brian Arkins; John Kelly, Richard Murphy (USA).

MC: Mary Rea





## FRIDAY 25th JULY Conservation Day

- 9.00 **ART EXHIBITIONS:** Closing at 11am.  
Artists, please collect works; Purchasers may collect, on payment at Office.
- 11.00 **Coffee**
- 12.00 **YOUTH PROGRAMME CONCLUSION** (parents welcome to attend)  
Closing events; Questionnaires  
Presentation of Bowman Award and of Student Certificates  
Moderator: Derek Egan. MC: Michael Jacob
- 12.30 **LUNCH:** All Seasons Bistro (Limerick Street, opposite Pennys)
- 2.00 **FIELD TRIP** (bus and cars leave from College; one stop at Riverbank)  
A Visit to The Bog of Allen  
Guide: Michael Jacob. Visitors welcome  
*A Favourite Hopkins Poem* introduced and recited by: Pastor Douglas Grandgeorge; David Cappella; Youngmin Kim; Donald Gardner
- WINE RECEPTION** MC: Derek Egan
- 5.00 Return to Newbridge
- 6.00 **Dinner:** Harrigans
- 8.00 Transport from Riverbank Arts Centre to Hotel Keadeen
- 9.00 **RECEPTION AND FESTIVAL CLUB:** Hotel Keadeen  
Bruno Gaurier (France): 2 poems and translations  
*Riposte* Poetry: 3 poems by Michael O'Flanagan (editor, *Riposte*);  
Christine Broe; Liam O'Meara; and guests.  
MC: Conor Mahony  
**FINALE:** Everyone sings or recites!



### GRAND OPENING and RECEPTION

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Sincere thanks to our Sponsors, without whom we could not continue.

Proposals for Lectures on Hopkins or on Newman welcome; before Nov. 30 2014.

### COMMITTEE

*Artistic Director:* Desmond Egan

*President:* Conor Bowman

*Administrator:* Vivienne Abbott

*Treasurers:* Michael Jacob, Conor Mahony

*Youth Programme:* Derek Egan

*Events Coordinator:* Elaine Murphy

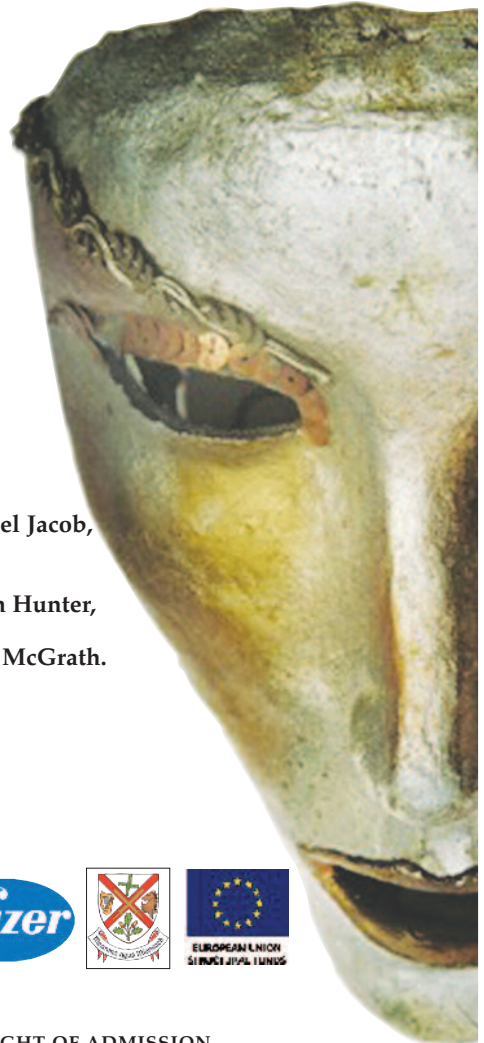
*Music:* Conor Mahony

*Website:* Vivienne Abbott

*NUI Maynooth:* Jenny Adamson, Teresa Redmond

*Other Events:* Eleanor Swan, Morgan McCabe, Michael Jacob, Mary Rea, Alan O'Neill, Mary Parsons

*Consultants:* Youngmin Kim, William Adamson, John Hunter, Michael Allsopp, Miho Takahashi, Bruno Gaurier, Michael Woods, Robert Smart, Sakiko Takagi, Shane McGrath.



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