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Date

2017

Primary Maker

Reilly, Bennie

Medium

Oil on canvas

Description

Bennie Reilly is visual artist based in Dublin. She graduated from IADT DunLaoghaire in 2004 with a BA in Fine Art and received an MA in Illustration from Kingston University, London in 2008. Reilly's practice is informed by an interest in museology, natural history and the core act of collecting and explores the importance and potency of the artifact. She has documented the collections of

multiple museums throughout Ireland and Europe and in 2017 received funding from the Thomas Dammann Jnr Memorial Trust for a research trip to the Smithsonian Institute in Washington DC. Her research has also lead her to remote residencies in Iceland, Norway and in Ireland. Reilly has exhibited across Europe and Ireland with seven solo exhibitions to date including Rara Avis at the Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin (2013), Small Pieces of Precarious Life at Dunamais Arts Centre, Portlaoise in 2017 and most recently The New Past at Triskle Arts Centre, Cork, 2019.

Dimensions

Object: 90 × 70 cm Framed: 92 × 72 cm