

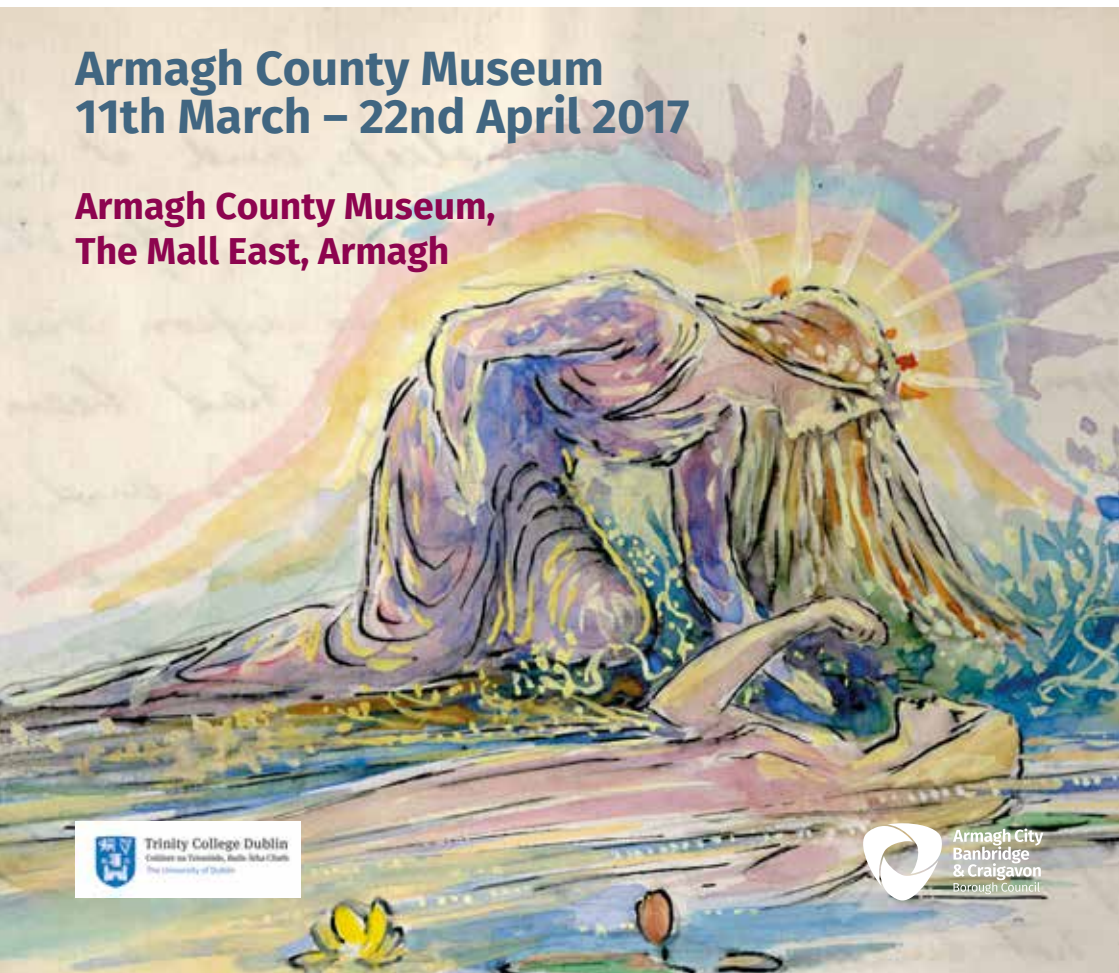
Armagh County Museum
and Craigavon Museum Services
Programme of Events

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Armagh County Museum
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Armagh County Museum,
The Mall East, Armagh



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George Russell (AE) painter, poet and mystic

Drawing on the Museum's extensive collection of AE's personal papers and effects which is the largest outside the USA.

Events/ Public Lectures

Friday 10th March @ 7:30 pm Public Lecture in Armagh County Museum

'Natural Magic: the paintings of AE Russell' by **Dr Deirdre Kelly**.

Wednesday 29th March @ 7:30 pm Public Lecture in the Irish and Local Studies Library, Armagh

George Russell and the Role of Visual Art in the New Ireland by **Roisin Kennedy**.

Saturday 8th April 2017 - AE Day in Lurgan

11.00am AE Historical Walking Tour

Meet at Brownlow House for a guided walking tour of Lurgan sites connected with George Russell (AE) by local historian **Jim Conway**. The walk will last approximately one hour.

2.00pm Public Lecture in Brownlow House, Lurgan

'George Russell and the New Ireland' by **Professor Nicholas Allen**, Franklin Professor of English at the University of Georgia, USA.

4.00pm Public Lecture in Brownlow House, Lurgan

'George Russell, the Myriad-Minded Man from Lurgan: Out among the Small Farmers of Ireland' by **Professor Liam Kennedy** of Queen's University Belfast.

Monday 10th April 2017 @ 8.00pm in the Beehive Bar, Lurgan (AE's former home) Open Mic Poetry Night in Honour of AE's Birthday

Come along and read your own poetry or that of your favourite poet. Readers of all styles and experiences, from first timers to old pros, are welcome.

Tuesday 11th April 2017 @ 7.00pm Public Lecture in Lurgan Library

'The Life of AE Russell' by **John Donahoe**. In association with Libraries NI.

Saturday 22nd April @ 11:30 am Public Lecture in Armagh County Museum

'His Opalescence: AE, writer, painter, mystic, champion of wisdom, sense and artistic vision during the Irish Revival' by **Nichola Gordon-Bowe**.

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