

Tom Creed

Director

Tom Creed is one of Ireland's leading opera and theatre directors, with a particular focus on new plays and operas by emerging and established writers and composers. His productions have been seen at all the major Irish theatres and festivals, and internationally in over 30 cities on three continents.

Tom is a member of the Expert Advisory Committee of Culture Ireland, chair of GAZE Film Festival, a board member of Theatre Forum and member of the Alumni Steering Committee of the Festival Academy. He was a member of the steering committee of the National Campaign for the Arts from 2016-2022 and has previously been a board member of Macnas and Dublin Fringe Festival. He was artist in residence at Centre Culturel Irlandais, Paris, in 2016/17 and 2018/19.

Theatre & Opera

2026	Don Giovanni The Blackwater Valley Opera Festival Written by Mozart
2026	The Plough and The Stars Abbey Theatre Written by Sean O'Casey
2025	Mars Irish National Opera & Tour Co-Directed by Jennifer Walshe
2024	Punk Rock The Lir, Dublin Written by Simon Stephens
2024	The President Gate Theatre, Dublin; Roslyn Packer Theatre, Sydney Written by Thomas Bernhard
2024	The Quare Fellow Abby Theatre, Dublin Written by Brendan Behan

- 2024 **Giulio Cesare**
Lismore Castle, Lismore
Written by G.F. Handel
- 2024 **Elsewhere**
Abbey Theatre, Dublin [2021] & Irish tour [2024]
Concept by and Composed by Michael Gallen
- 2023 **Conversations After Sex**
Dublin Theatre Festival [2021]; Irish Arts Centre New York [2023] & Irish Tour [2023]
Written by Mark O'Halloran
- 2023 **The Women, We Will Rise**
Everyman, Cork
Written by Karan Casey
- 2023 **Trade and Mary Motorhead**
PROTOTYPE Festival, New York; LA Opera, Los Angeles
Written by Emma O'Halloran; Libretto by Mark O'Halloran; Music Directed by Elaine Kelly
- 2022 **Lady Windermere's Fan**
The Lir, Dublin
Written by Oscar Wilde
- 2022 **Maria Stuarda**
Gaiety Theatre, Dublin & Irish tour
Conducted by Fergus Sheil
- 2021 **Summerfolk**
The Lir, Dublin
Written Maxim Gorky [In a version by Nick Dear]
- 2021 **Private View**
LOD, Ghent
Conducted by Filip Rathe; Libretto by Jen Hadfield; Composed by Annelies Van Parys
- 2020 **Fourteen Voices from the Bloodied Field: Tom Hogan**
Online Project, Abbey Theatre.ie
Written by Various Writers; Directed by Various Directors
Co-produced by Gaelic Athletic Association
- 2020 **Anatomy of A Suicide**
The Lir, Dublin
Written by Alice Birch
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- 2020 **Watt**
Dublin Theatre Festival [2010]; Under the Radar at the Public Theatre, New York [2011]; Galway Arts Festival [2012]; Edinburgh International Festival [2012]; Perth International Festival [2013]; Barbican Centre, London [2013]; Melbourne International Arts Festival Project Arts Centre, Dublin [2018]; Pavilion Theatre, Dún Laoghaire [2019]; Everyman, Cork [2020]
Written by Samuel Beckett
- 2020 **Libris Solar**
Irish National Opera; Online Project
Composed by and Libretto by Jennifer Walshe; Conducted by Elaine Kelly
- 2020 **Zoonosis**
Dublin Youth Theatre; Online Project
Written by Cal Folger Day
- 2019 **The Bluffer's Guide to Suburbia**
Cork Midsummer Festival; Dublin Theatre Festival
Written By Ray Scannell
Produced By Arts Council
- 2019 **Sure Look It, Fuck It**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin
Written & Performed by Clare Dunne
- 2019 **Griselda**
Irish National Opera; Town Hall Theatre, Galway & Irish Tour
Conducted by Peter Whelan
- 2019 **The Hunger**
Bam Next Wave Festival, New York [2016]; Opera Theatre of St Louis [2016]; Abbey Theatre, Dublin [2019]
Conducted by Alan Pierson
- 2018 **The Tales of Hoffmann**
O'reilly Theatre, Dublin & Irish Tour
Conducted by Andrew Synnott
- 2018 **I Am Tonie Walsh**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin
Written By: Phillip McMahon & Tonie Walsh
- 2017 **The Caucasian Chalk Circle**
The Lir, Dublin
Written by Bertolt Brecht; Translated by Alistair Beaton
- 2017 **Futureproof**
Everyman, Cork; Project Arts Centre, Dublin
Written by Lynda Radley
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- 2017 **The Skriker**
The Lir, Dublin
Written by Caryl Churchill
- 2017 **Owen Wingrave**
Paris Opera, Amphithéâtre Bastille, Paris [2016]; Lime Tree Theatre, Limerick [2017];
The Everyman, Cork [2017]; O'reilly Theatre, Dublin [2017]
Composed by Benjamin Britten
- 2017 **Acis and Galatea**
National Opera House, Wexford & Irish Tour
Conducted by Peter Whelan
Produced by Opera Theatre Company
- 2016 **Mavra**
The Lir, Dublin [2013]; Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, Glasgow [2016]
- 2016 **The Bear**
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, Glasgow
- 2016 **Die Zauberflöte**
Samuel Beckett Theatre, Dublin
- 2016 **Rising**
Peacock Theatre, Dublin
- 2015 **Buddleia**
The Lir, Dublin
- 2015 **Deep**
Dublin Fringe Festival [2014] & Irish Tour [2015]
- 2015 **O Go My Man**
The Lir, Dublin
- 2015 **Air India [Redacted]**
Sfu Woodward, Vancouver
- 2015 **Private View**
Opera Vlaanderen, Antwerp; Operadagen Rotterdam; Deutsche Oper Berlin; Grand
Théâtre De Luxembourg & International Tour
- 2015 **The Human Voice**
Kilkenny Arts Festival & Irish Tour
- 2015 **Susanna's Secret**
Kilkenny Arts Festival & Irish Tour
- 2015 **Suor Angelica**
Peacock Theatre, Dublin
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- 2014 **Into the Woods**
The Lir, Dublin
- 2014 **Trojan Women: A Love Story**
Granary Theatre, Cork
- 2014 **Mimic**
Cork Midsummer Festival [2007]; Ps122, Nyc Irish Arts Centre, Nyc [2011]; Irish Cultural Centre, Paris [2012]; Bristol Old Vic [2014] & Irish Tour [2014]
- 2013 **Beyond the Pale**
Aldeburgh Music
- 2013 **Renard**
The Lir, Dublin
- 2012 **Shibari**
Peacock Theatre, Dublin
- 2012 **Berlin Love Tour**
Dublin Fringe Festival [2010]; Fierce Festival, Birmingham [2012]; Cork Midsummer Festival [2012]
- 2011 **Così Fan Tutte**
Wales Millennium Centre, Cardiff; Birmingham Hippodrome
- 2010 **Una Santa Oscura**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin; Dublin Theatre Festival
- 2010 **Trade**
Dublin Theatre Festival
- 2010 **Broken Croí/Heart Briste**
Dublin Fringe Festival [2009]; Project Arts Centre, Dublin [2010]; Cork Midsummer Festival [2010]
- 2009 **All Over Town**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin
- 2009 **Solemn Mass for A Full Moon in Summer**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin
- 2009 **The Art of Swimming**
Arches, Glasgow [2006]; Traverse Theatre, Edinburgh [2007]; Cork Midsummer Festival [2007]; Dublin Fringe Festival [2007]; Amsterdam Fringe Festival [2008]; Citizens Theatre, Glasgow [2009]
- 2008 **Life Is a Dream**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin
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2007 **Attempts on Her Life**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin

2006 **Dream of Autumn**
Project Arts Centre, Dublin

