

Dublin City Council

Supporting:

Social Economy



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Policy



A Social Enterprise is an enterprise whose objective is to achieve a social, societal or environmental impact, rather than maximising profit for its owners or shareholders.



It pursues its objectives by trading on an ongoing basis through the provision of goods and/or services, and by reinvesting surpluses into achieving social objectives.



It is governed in a fully accountable and transparent manner and is independent of the public sector. If dissolved, it should transfer its assets to another organisation with a similar mission.

Policy Objective 1:

Building Awareness of Social Enterprise

Policy Objective 2:

Growing and Strengthening Social Enterprise

Policy Objective 3:

Achieving Better Policy Alignment



Rialtas na hÉireann
Government of Ireland

National Social Enterprise Policy for Ireland 2019-2022



Department of Rural and Community Development
gov.ie

Policy

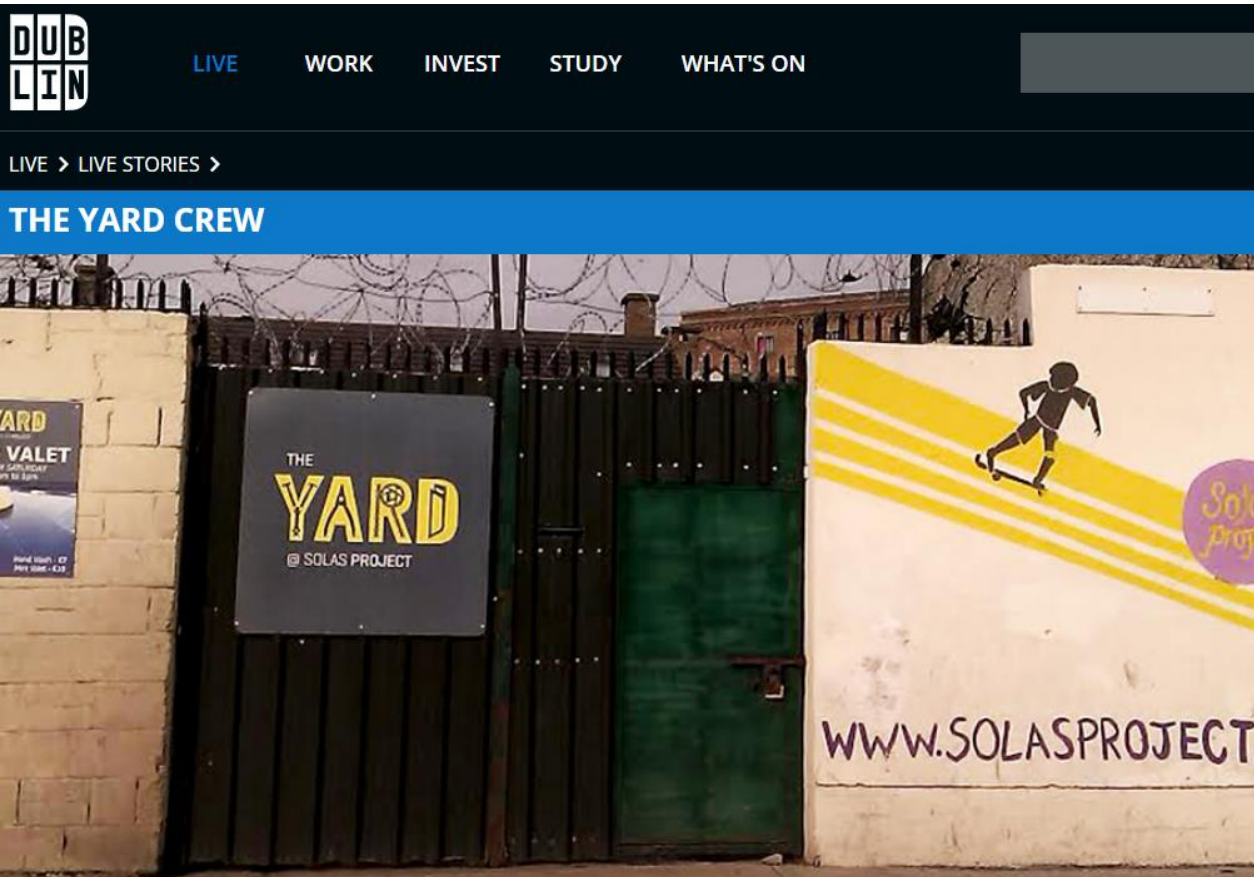
SoCircular Summit



Outcomes Report



Publications



They're a group of lads from around the Liberties. Late teens to early 20s, bustling with animation. Bit of slagging about who is going to talk to Dublin.ie. Probably a bit of slagging about the guy from Dublin.ie. But these are decent guys.

You could probably place a safe bet that one or two of them might be no stranger to



The importance of sustainable and social enterprises

Making your startup or existing business sustainable or ethical is a smart, future-proof option. Customers are now much more informed and aware of the

DCSE Committee



Dublin City Social Enterprise Awards



DCSEA Promotion

Dublin City

Social Enterprise Awards

Awards

2015-2021

Brochure



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Crafts

4.1.1.1 Frontline Bikes

Established to provide training and employment for those struggling with addiction problems and ex-offenders, Frontline Bikes makes and sells unique, upcycled bicycles. Each bicycle is created by people who are participating in upskilling, accredited training and an overall re-integration programme.

♥ Social Cause(s): Addiction, Ex-Offenders, Environment

📦 Products / Services: Bicycles, Cycling Accessories, Repair & Maintenance



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4.1.1.2 House of AKI-NA

House of AKI-NA supports migrant / refugee / asylum seeker women and young people through providing workshop, training and employment opportunities. Participants are trained and ethically paid to make bespoke fashion, personal and home accessories in line with fair trade standards.

♥ Social Cause(s): Refugees / Migrants / Asylum Seekers, Diversity

📦 Products / Services: Bow Ties, Travel Bags, Vases, Desk Pals



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Environment

4.1.1.3 Pocket Forests

Pocket Forests aims to make the city more liveable by creating new and enhanced urban, green outdoor spaces. It collaborates with local communities, schools and organisations to utilise unused spaces to plant small native forests while using locally sourced recycled waste materials.

♥ Social Cause(s): Disadvantaged Adults, Education

📦 Products / Services: Miniature Forests, Tree Planting, Advice, Training, Workshops



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Training & Resources



Management vs Governance

- The governing body must govern, that is, it must provide leadership and strategy and must focus on the 'big picture'.
- Governance is about planning the framework for work and ensuring it is done. As such, it is distinct from management (organising the work) and operations (doing the work). As far as possible, the governing body should therefore steer clear from making managerial decisions and getting involved in the day-to-day implementation of strategy.

Government Development
Dublin City
2007-2014

Training & Resources



Training & Resources – LEO Mentoring



Projects



Respond, Rebuild, Reinvent offered to share, and collaborate across

EUROPEAN SOCIAL ECONOMY REGIONS 2023



Events - Hosting



SoCircular		Program
18:00	Registration	
18:30	Event Kick-off	
19:00	Panel Discussion: The Future of Circular Economy	
19:30	Networking	
20:00	Event Ends	

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PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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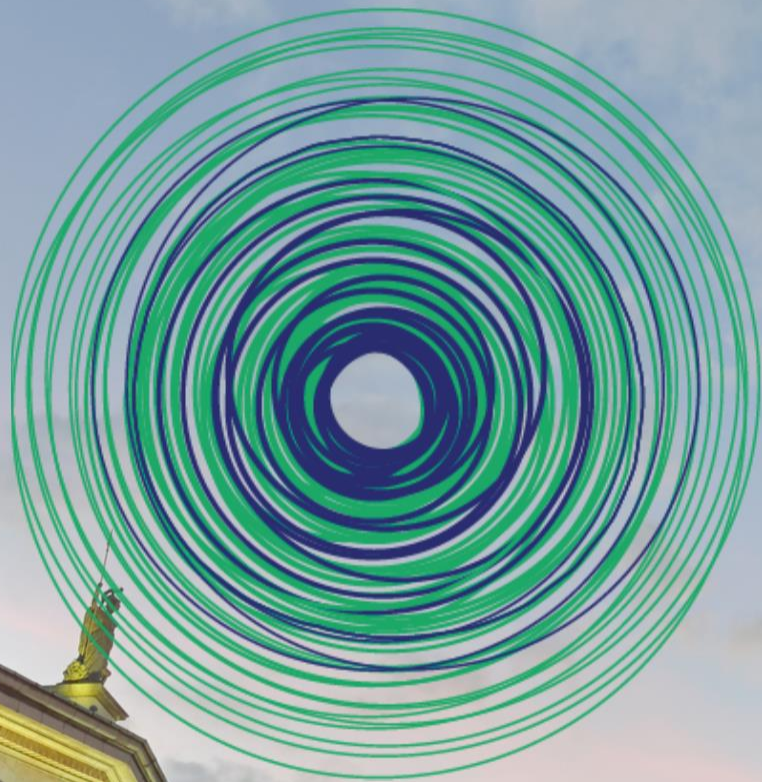
THE WORLD
WORKING

DUBLIN
ECONOMY
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Dublin

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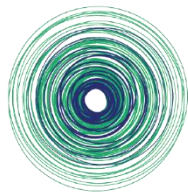
Events - Support



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LEGACY PROJECT WINNER



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