

## Irish Commentary 2017

### Background

The National Library's web archive has been collecting Irish websites since 2011. The NLI is a legal deposit library and therefore receives a copy of all Irish publications. In 2017, The NLI web archive undertook a collection to reflect Irish commentary online.

### Site selection

Site selection was carried out by Della Keating, Joanna Finegan and Maria Ryan

### Crawl parameters

Nine websites in total were included in this crawl. This included two twitter accounts.

### Scope and content of resulting collection

- Nine websites are available for consultation as part of this collection. This includes two twitter accounts.
- The website of Irish music magazine, Hot Press, was included to reflect the exhibition that was held in the National Photographic Archive in Temple Bar.
- The satirical website, Waterford Whispers News, was included in this collection as was the Twitter account, Oireachtas Retort. This reflects the NLI's tradition of collecting Irish satire.
- Websites including Dublin Inquirer, Totally Dublin and Nialler9 were also selected to represent online publications in Ireland.

<b>Name of Website:</b>	<b>Live Website URL:</b>	<b>Archived URL:</b>
RteNoNews @RteNoNews	<a href="https://twitter.com/RteNoNews">https://twitter.com/RteNoNews</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="https://twitter.com/RteNoNews">https://twitter.com/RteNoNews</a>
Village Magazine	<a href="http://villagemagazine.ie/">http://villagemagazine.ie/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://villagemagazine.ie/">http://villagemagazine.ie/</a>
Dublin Inquirer	<a href="http://www.dublininquirer.com/">http://www.dublininquirer.com/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://www.dublininquirer.com/">http://www.dublininquirer.com/</a>
Hot Press	<a href="http://www.hotpress.com/">http://www.hotpress.com/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://www.hotpress.com/">http://www.hotpress.com/</a>
Nialler9	<a href="http://nialler9.com/">http://nialler9.com/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://nialler9.com/">http://nialler9.com/</a>
Totally Dublin	<a href="http://www.totallydublin.ie/">http://www.totallydublin.ie/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://www.totallydublin.ie/">http://www.totallydublin.ie/</a>
Oireachtas Retort	<a href="https://twitter.com/Oireachtas_RX?lang=en">https://twitter.com/Oireachtas_RX?lang=en</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="https://twitter.com/Oireachtas_RX?lang=en">https://twitter.com/Oireachtas_RX?lang=en</a>
Donal Burke	<a href="http://burkeseastgalway.com/">http://burkeseastgalway.com/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://burkeseastgalway.com/">http://burkeseastgalway.com/</a>
Waterford Whispers	<a href="http://waterfordwhispersnews.com/">http://waterfordwhispersnews.com/</a>	<a href="http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/">http://collection.europarchive.org/nli/</a> */ <a href="http://waterfordwhispersnews.com/">http://waterfordwhispersnews.com/</a>