

Brexit (2016-2017)

Background reasons for collection

The National Library's web archive has been collecting political websites since 2011. All Irish elections and referendums have been archived. Given the importance of the 2016 Brexit referendum and the impact it has on Ireland, a decision was undertaken to curate a collection to reflect this. This collection will be updated on an ongoing basis.

Site selection

Site selection was carried out by Joanna Finegan and Della Murphy

Crawl parameters

Fifteen websites were selected for inclusion in the Brexit Referendum 2016 collection.

Thirty websites were selected for inclusion in the Brexit Referendum 2017 collection.

Scope and content of resulting collection

- Websites were archived on 23rd and 24th June 2016.
- Fifteen websites were selected and archived.
- The collection includes Irish political parties and news websites.
- The collection also includes organisations such as the Irish Exporters Association and Agriland.
- A further Brexit collection was undertaken on the 30th March and 6th April 2017. This included the websites of blogs, "Brexit Border" and "Brexit People".

Name of Website:	Live Website URL:	Archived Website URL:
Irish Post - Twitter	https://twitter.com/theirishpost	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/https://twitter.com/theirishpost
AgriLand	http://www.agriland.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.agriland.ie/
Bord Bia	http://www.bordbia.ie	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.bordbia.ie
Border People	http://borderpeople.info/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://borderpeople.info/
Brexit Border	http://brexitborder.com/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://brexitborder.com/
British Irish Chamber of Commerce	http://www.britishirishchamber.com/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.britishirishchamber.com/
Center for Cross Border Studies	http://crossborder.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://crossborder.ie/
Dan Mulhall @DanMulhall on Twitter	https://twitter.com/DanMulhall	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/https://twitter.com/DanMulhall
Department of Agriculture	https://www.agriculture.gov.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/https://www.agriculture.gov.ie/
Department of Taoiseach	http://www.taoiseach.gov.ie/eng/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.taoiseach.gov.ie/eng/
Department of Foreign Affairs	https://www.dfa.ie	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/https://www.dfa.ie
ESRI	http://www.esri.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.esri.ie/
European Movement Ireland	http://www.europeanmovement.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.europeanmovement.ie/
Failte Ireland	http://www.failteireland.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.failteireland.ie/
Fianna Fáil	http://www.fiannafail.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444/*/http://www.fiannafail.ie/

Fine Gael	http://www.finegael.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.finegael.ie/
IBEC	https://www.ibec.ie/	https://www.ibec.ie/
IDA	http://www.idaireland.com/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.idaireland.com/
Independent.ie	http://www.independent.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.independent.ie/
Institute of International European Affairs	http://www.iiea.com/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.iiea.com/
Irish Exporters Association	http://www.irishexporters.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.irishexporters.ie/
Irish Post - Twitter	https://twitter.com/theirishpost	https://twitter.com/theirishpost
Irish Times Brexit	http://www.irishtimes.com/news/world/brexit	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.irishtimes.com/news/world/brexit
Irish World	http://www.theirishworld.com/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.theirishworld.com/
Irish4Europe	http://irishforeurope.org/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://irishforeurope.org/
Labour Party	https://www.labour.ie	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/https://www.labour.ie
Merrion Street.ie	http://www.merrionstreet.ie	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.merrionstreet.ie
RTÉ News	http://www.rte.ie/news/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.rte.ie/news/
Sinn Féin	http://www.sinnfein.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.sinnfein.ie/
The Journal - Brexit	http://www.thejournal.ie	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://www.thejournal.ie
Tuarisc	http://tuairisc.ie/	https://wayback.archive-it.org/org-1444*/http://tuairisc.ie/