

## CV

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12/03/1965	Born in Cologne, her father paints and plays grand piano in spare time
1968-1970	Kindergarten, she only wanted to draw. Her drawings are shown as examples .teaching herself recorder
1973-1981	Her father takes her on travels to Turkey, Greece, Italy, Holland, Switzerland, Paris Recorder and classical piano
1977-1984	Courses in mime, theatre, pottery, make-up/face painting, art, piano, guitar
1980-1983	Member of mime group "Theatre Tartaruga"
1982	Acting as mime in children's TV-program with W.D.R.
1983	Acting as spider in school play
1984	Finishes school (Gymnasium, Abitur) successfully. Degree in Art, Dance and Philosophy. Degree in Music. Travels half a year through North America.
1985	Performs in "picture": The Pest, the figure 'The Death' in Historical parade in Brühl/Germany. First exhibition in Brühl, travels to France, then Holland.
1986	"Play with history" Theatre- happening in Castle Augustusburg Brühl/Germany
1986-1990	11 exhibitions in Germany and Holland, selection: 1987 group Gallery Kik, Cologne/Germany 1990 solo Tin figure museum, Ommen/ Holland
1990-1998	Organising and Performing in events with all Arts involved for up to 700 people
1990	Gives workshops in mime Performance on year event culture centre Emma/Zwolle
1991	Opens" Gallery Emma" with a group of artists Starts playing fiddle and travels first time to Ireland
1992	Birth of her son.
1993	Costumes and performance "dragon" on year event Emma/Zwolle
1991-1999	18 exhibitions in Holland, variety selection: 1991 solo Gallery "Emma", Zwolle 1991 group RBGD Art Promotion, Rotterdam 1992 solo Café Averechts, Utrecht 1999 solo at home before emigrating to Ireland, Zwolle
1998	Performance in Den Haag with group of artists as the representatives of county Overijssel. Gives workshops in felting
1999	Emigrates to Ireland
1999-2008	Design, Illustrations, Sign writing etc. for Artvaark-design. (www.artvaark-design.com)
2000	Starts giving fiddle lessons session and stage gigs with traditional band "2 1/2 irish"
2001	Exhibitions: Doonbeg Hall Artemis Gallery, Moyasta
2002	Solo Exhibition: Moosehead Café, Kilrush Commission: Scatterry Island for Percy French Bar, Kilrush
2003	Art lessons in Ui Coimin gael scoil Kilrush

	Artistic panel Co. Clare Compass Art Auction, Kilfenora Float & Costumes “ Harry Potter” in parade
2004	Residence: Artists in school scheme: mime, Kilbaha primary School Solo exhibition: “Magic Clare”, Purple Grape Restaurant Exhibition: China, Hangzhou City, 411 Gallery Arts Festival, Kilrush Art in Clare Exhibition, Waterpark House, Ennis Joins Doonbeg Jazz band
2005	Residence: Artists in school scheme: mime, Shragh primary School Residence: Artists and Disability “Embrace “: felting, sculpture, Brothers of Charity, Kilrush Exhibition: Miller Gallery Sixmilebridge With Jazz band on Jazz Festival Trier Cláirseach ( early Irish harp) Kilkenny summer school Monthly Lessons by Siobhan Armstrong Visual Artist, music, acting for Banner Theatre Company Community event “Finbar’s Wedding” acting as Gypsy musician and fortune-teller “Eva”. Solo exhibition: De Valera Gallery, Ennis & Launching website: www.AstridAdler.com Solo exhibition: Miller Gallery, Sixmilebridge Family-School-Community Educational Partnership: Christmas celebration, Shragh primary School
2006	Exhibition: Miller Gallery Sixmilebridge Ska –Band: YAH BA SKA BA DOO, Demo recording Residence: Artists and Disability “Embrace “: willow & clay-dome, Brothers of Charity, Kilrush Performance with Amphitheatre Kilkee Cláirseach Summer School Kilkenny Film: “Hickory Dickory Duck”: musician Performance on Fiddle for TG4: Treasure Island (Toraiocht Taisce) Hunt Museum, Limerick Exhibition: “Hunt the Postcard”
2006-2007	Family School Community Educational Partnership (Mary I, Limerick) Partnership Development Worker for Shragh National School and St. Senan’s Primary School, Kilrush Christmas show, including all 280 Children of the school doing following activities: Writing a play, Acting, Decorations, Costumes, Music, Backdrop Projects: Gardening, Stonewall Building, Creative Dance, Body Awareness, Meditation, Sensory corner, Art, Music, Mime, Mural, Hop scotches, Float: Award winners in St. Patrick’s Parade The School: 1 <sup>st</sup> Price in Children Category Myself: Best overall character: St. Patrick’s Day Trophy. Puppet show in summer camp: Making Puppets, Painting, Backdrop, Write Script, Perform
2007	For Theatre group “Crackd Spoon”: Performing: Mime, Music, Made Puppets Joins GroundUp Artists collective Cláirseach: Regular Harp Circle with Teacher, Harp builder, Historian, and me Artist
2008	Residence: Raheen Daycarecentre: Felting a prayer blanket, Film Solo Exhibition: Metarealistic Paintings in Clare County Museum Residence: Brothers of Charity, Ennis: Felting Residence: Iniscaltra festival Mountshannon: Community research: ”Search for the divine female” Child protection ”Keeping Safe” all 5 modules Shragh Primary School: Improvise with ethnic music Instruments

	<p>Workshop theatre in cooperation with 2 other people for “ Crackd Spoon”  Arts in Focus visual art presentation and solo piece Mime  Director of physical theatre show “The Trip”  Cláirseach Summer School Kilkenny  Cláirseach: Regular Harp Circle with Teacher, Harp builder, Historian, and me Artist  Image 15 in The “Spoilt Broth” Tea Towel of Vincent Wall for Ground Up  Solo Exhibition Nature Quest Gallery, Kilrush  Art lessons about the influence of surrealism in my work: Shragh N.S. and Moyasta N.S.</p>
2009	<p>Running “Nature Quest Gallery” Kilrush: Exhibitions, film-,  music-, theatre-events, workshops  Opening exhibition: “Harmony and Chaos” from Tania Roberts  inspired by her work: Mime act, Gort  Introduction to Woman’s Studies program, Ennis  Reenactment with opening West Clare Railway, Moyasta  Founding CATA ISLE MIME Theatre(supported by the Arts Council)  Illustrations for children’s book “The Fairy Hunter” by David Hartley  Commission: Kilkee beach, oils  Commission: contemporary celtic Painted goats skull</p>
2010	<p>Mime workshop for Clare Youth Theatre  CATA ISLE MIME Theatre: Carrigaholt, Ennis Street festival, Kilkee  Basket making: Shragh N.S.  Exhibition” No Style”@Doonbeg Jazz Festival  Commission: Mural  Art-challenge Buttermarket Gallery Kilkee: Overall winner  Community art project (supported by Clare County Council): search for the divine  female, Moyasta  Commission: design painted on tractor seat  Band: “Loopheads” harp/fiddle</p>
2011	<p>Residence: Artists in School Kilmihil: develop lessons to teach children how to  draw/paint  Residence: Artists in School Kilkee; learn different needlework, rope making,  felting, knotting, weaving and create a wall hanging of all work done  Cata Isle Mime Theatre: Leaflet printed,  mime solo show  Temple Bar 20 years: show and workshop for children  Mime lessons for adults  Mime lessons Moyasta National School, Kilrush  Loopheads :Love Live Music, weekly gigs in Kilkee  Course: selling at markets and fairs</p>
2012	<p>2000-2016 trad fiddle/piano/wire strung harp/music lessons for children and adults  Loopheads: weekly gig in Kilkee, John Murray Show  Cláirseach: Performing with opening Culturlann Sweeney, Kilkee  Research, development, write tutor book about the 2 G Strings  (ne cawlee, the sisters)  Performance, helping with design, paintwork, float Kilkee Aqua Club  Mime: Ennis Street Festival workshops  Street act Nass Sreetfestival  Workshops for I C W Kilmurry McMahon, Community gardens Scariff</p>
2013	<p>Patrick's parade: “Wickerwoman”  Residence: National Famine Commemoration project, Shragh, Oilpainting  Mime: stand up: Rathlir Farm Party  Ennis Street Festival workshop  Skadoonvaarna : festival decoration</p>

	<p>Cláirseach: Release Book:” Play the companions, bass for Wire Strung Harp, A practical explanation for the unison-ne cawlee- strings” Loopheads: Weekly gigs Kilkee</p>
2014	<p>Patrick's parade: willow shields, weapons, hurdles, fishtail, Shragh N.S. Children music workshops: Jazz Festival Doonbeg Residence: Flashmob Brian Boru Boys school, Killaloe Skadoonvaarna : festival decoration Residence: teach schizophrenics how to paint, Ennis Gigs: Kilkee, Kilbaha, Carrigaholt Residence: mimeshow with Ui Cuimin geal scoil Kilrush Cláirseach: teaching performance opening exhibition Pip Sides Launch book and workshop Brian Boru Fest Killaloe Commission: Storm boards painted like french shutters, person sitting inside Developing music card game</p>
2015	<p>Residence: Mimeshow about feet/shoes and Patrik Henry Pearce Caherea N.S. Gigs: Carrigaholt, Kilbaha Cláirseach: teaching, gig Ennis Fringe, record Brake Cafe Exhibition: “Between River and Sea” Culturlann Sweeney Kilkee</p>
2016	<p>Cláirseach: Recording CD West Cavan: tourism brochure launch Cd promotions: Ennis Street Festival, Dome Purecamping , Buddhist centre ,Cavan Residence: Mimeshow 1916-2016, float Patrick’s parade(won best of schools and overall)Shragh N.S. Residence: Painting Moveen.N.S. Residence: Sockpuppets and show Scariff BOC Residence: Mime and Music Miltown Malbay BOC Residence: 1916 and now, painting on 2x3m, depressed, Orchard Kilrush Residence: Oilpainting ,local evictionstory1916, Shragh NS Art: mural ,Strandcamping Doonbeg</p>
2017	<p>Expo: Poetry and Art challenge, RBC Ennis, Scariff ”The candle of vision,” Belfast “Between River and See”, RBC Ennis Music: Astrid and friends, trad. sessions Willow workshops: growing, basket and fencing</p>
2018	<p>Willow workshops: growing, basket, xmasdecoration and fencing Residence: Moveen NS, printing Expo: Shila na gigs and other Gods, RBC Ennis Poetry and Art challenge, RBC Ennis Music: gigs: Astrid and friends trad. sessions (fiddle) Raggy Boot Boys, Ska (keyboard) Wire Harp performances and radio interview giving lessons on fiddle, keyboard and hammerdulcimer Mime: development and performance for enviremental group, Kilkee development of theatre and performance with wire harp, mime, storytelling, harp workshop, Culturenight Ouchteraard Float : Shragh NS</p>
2019	<p>Willowworkshops: Ennistymon, Carrigaholt, Moyasta and at home Gigs: Geogopolie, Crete, McGinty's Astrid and friends weekly session Uisneach fire fest: harp Band: Raggy Boot Boys Lessons: fiddle, hammerdulcimer, mandolin</p>

	Residence: Kilmurry Mc, Mahen: puppets and show Brothers Ennis feltlandscape Float; Kilkee O'Mara Film: processing nettle into spinnable fibre
2020	Lessons: hammerdulcimer, wire strung harp, fiddle Residence: Moveen N.S. : cordage and weaving Costumes and basket for Sea feaver film productions Expo: Shila na gigs and other Gods Culturlann Sweeney Kilkee Nettle fibre workshop Tutorbook: Arranging 10 tunes for wire strung harp Film, harp: Carolan challenge