



Portrait of Paula Meehan

Date

2017

Primary Maker

Mick O'Dea

Medium

Oil on canvas

Dimensions

70 × 100 cm

Description

Mick O'Dea produced this portrait of the poet Paula Meehan when he was visual artist-in-residence at Kilkenny Arts Festival (2015-17). O'Dea painted portraits of many artists, performers, actors, musicians and writers taking part in the Festival. Meehan is acclaimed for her poems and plays, and was Ireland Professor of Poetry, 2013-16.