

MUSIC & LITERARY WORK:

Poetry Ireland invited MissElayneous to be a guest performer for **'Poetry Aloud' (National poetry competition)** in The National Library of Ireland and in association with Dublin City Council Libraries, 2011.

Letterkenny Culture Night Festival - live performance in An Grianán Theatre, 2011.

Collaborative work with renowned non-musician and punk pioneer Stano, 2011 - 2014.

<https://villagemagazine.ie/index.php/2014/02/temper-mental-misselayneous/>

[Stano announces first live performance in 25 years](#)

[Double Entendre | Temper-Mental MissElayneous](#)

[Photophobia | Temper-Mental MissElayneous](#)

Festivals - Castlepalooza Festival, Electric Picnic, Body & Soul, Lingo Spoken Word Festival, 10 Days In Dublin, Hard Working Class Heroes, KnockanStockan, Vantastival, Life Festival (live performances, panel discussions and special features). 2011-present.

Jazz Hiphop fusion band with prominent saxophonist Ciarán Wilde, 2011 - present.

Hotpress Magazine: Niall Stokes, editor of Hotpress invited MissElayneous to perform for Michael D. Higgins at the Music Show in 2012 whom she discussed *'Home Comes the Rover'* with afterwards (A poem written in response to the president's own poetic work *'The Poisoning'*). A later panel discussion on 'Protest and the Arts' featured MissElayneous alongside other artists such as Glen Hansard.

[Home Comes The Rover by Temper-Mental MissElayneous](#)

Irish Rappers - TV, 2012. [Irish Rappers Revealed: Meet the new stars of Ireland's booming rap scene - BBC News](#)

Hosted and performed at Northside Music Festival *Street Sounds*, Axis, Ballymun Plaza, August, 2012.
[Northside Music Festival](#)

Poetry publications in The Irish Times, (*Proletarian Restitution*) and *'Stinging Fly', Trotting Talisman*, July 2012 and The Irish Marxist Review (*Soul's Quench*) Feb, 2013 and Looking at the Stars: *An anthology of Irish Writing* in aid of the Dublin Simon Community

[Recession Sessions # 3 : Proletarian Restitution \(irishtimes.com\)](#)

<https://soundcloud.com/misselayneous/trotting-talisman>

[Elayne Harrington/Temper-Mental MissElayneous: Souls' Quench \(08th March 2012\) \(marxists.org\)](#)

[Looking at the Stars | The Stinging Fly](#)

Performance for Michael D Higgins at Hot Press Music Show, followed by a panel discussion with Glen Hansard on 'Music and Protest', February 2012. [WATCH: Temper-Mental MissElayneous @ The Music Show](#)

A speech on 'How The Arts Can Influence Progressive Political Change' for a political party in a Cork Summer school, June 2012.

Step In The Ring - Song written for olympic champion boxer Katie Taylor to support the morale of the young boxers in local clubs which MissElayneous trains in and to celebrate and defend women's rights. Produced by Eberhart, June, 2012.

[Temper-Mental MissElayneous | "Step In the Ring"](#)
[Step In The Ring](#)

Playground - Participated in theatre/performance development with Jason Byrne in Ballymun, Axis Theatre, 2012.

Arena Arts (RTÉ) Radio One - Collaborative Irish poetry collective with Dave Lordan, 2012.

Fingal County Council Writers Festival - Writing 3.0 - Hiphop workshops with young writers/performers ranging from ages 8-20 years. A showcase to close the festival at Seamus Ennis Centre, The Naul, 2012.

[Writing 3.0](#)

Arthur Guinness Arts Project advert - features 'Dominoes' (MissElayneous' first music single) as the soundtrack and also stars MissElayneous for this promotion of bursary and support of the arts in Ireland, 2012.

['Guinness Bursary 2013 featuring Temper-Mental MissElayneous with 'Dominoes' soundtrack](#)

Theatrical production - Break - a breakthrough development theatre project at Fringe Lab written by Amy Conroy and directed by Veronica Coburn. Fringe Festival, 2012.

[Dublin Fringe Festival to begin tomorrow \(rte.ie\)](#) [Amy Conroy | Blog - Draíocht](#)
[Fringe video: Amy Conroy in Break \(irishtimes.com\)](#) [Dublin Fringe Festival Break @ Project Arts Centre](#)

RTÉ2s 'The Beo Show' & Swipe TV - featured guest presenter MissElayneous as a Hiphop mentor for 5 episodes: Turn a Poem Into a Rap, What Is Rap? Sean-Nós to Rap, Improvised rap, Keeping the Beat, Nov 2013.

SWIPE TV samples:

[Beat Box with Temper-Mental MissElayneous | SwipeTV](#)
[Learn to Write Rap with Temper-Mental MissElayneous | SwipeTV](#)
[Breath Control While Rapping | SwipeTV](#)

Work with Poetry Ireland including the 'Encountering the Arts Ireland' launch, where MissElayneous recited her specially commissioned piece *No Versus*, December, 2013.

[No Versus by Elayne Harrington](#)

'Inspiring Women Inspiring Stories' - "40 years of Irish Women making it work". Temper-Mental MissElayneous and her mother feature in the National Women's Council of Ireland book: Their stories earned 'No. 1' in the publication, Jan, 2014.

https://www.nwci.ie/learn/publication/inspiring_women_inspiring_stories

International Women's Day - A speech and performance in association with National Women's Council of Ireland, The Y Factor and the 'Soapbox' proceedings that celebrate and elevate femininity and feminism. 2014. [Abolish 'ESS' \(International Wommin Day Manifesto 2014\) by Elayne Harrington on SoundCloud](#)

Trailblaze Justice - Performance/speech at a seminar exploring ideas around justice, held in the historical Special Criminal Courthouse, Dublin, 2014.

Radio -

[Mental MissElayneous LIVE WDAR \(Performance of Heart Lose Tempo & Cailín Rua plus interview\)](#)
2014

[Reviewables #35 | Hold that Door with Temper-Mental MissElayneous - HeadStuff](#) 2018.

Paula Meehan, former Poet Laureate of Ireland, (Professor of Poetry) launched a Temper-Mental MissElayneous record. *Heart Lose Tempo* was released in July 2014. entitled *Heart Lose Tempo*, [Temper-Mental MissElayneous set to launch new single at Tower Records](#)
<https://www.flickr.com/photos/antokanephotography/14956128127/>
[Heart Lose Tempo | Temper-Mental MissElayneous](#)

Margaret Aylward's Pop-Up Museum - live performance at the pop-up museum launch in Margaret Aylwards school for Dublin's Culture Connects 2016 in association with The National Neighbourhood - Press Play Project.

<http://www.dublincultureconnects.ie/...>

[MissElayneous performing at Margaret Aylward's pop-up museum](#)

Dublin's Culture Connects - Artist Jennie Moran invites Temper-Mental MissElayneous to close the *The National Neighbourhood...Around The Table - Stories of Food Journeys* event at Luncheonette on the 15th of February 2017.

[Dublin's Culture Connects - Jennie Moran \(MissElayneous close\)](#)

Praise In The Cliche - A collaboration with Elaine Mai, 2017.

[Elaine Mai Shares 'Praise in the cliché' feat Temper-Mental MissElayneous](#)

[Praise in the cliché by Elaine Mai](#)

Monday Night Gay Cure - live unplugged set for Derry Pride at The Monday Night (Gay) Cure on the 21st August, 2017.

[MissElayneous LIVE - Monday Night Gay Cure \(Derry Pride\) 2017 - YouTube](#)

DEAR - for Drop Everything And Read week 2018 and also promoting the 'book in the bag policy' at Margaret Aylwards Community College. 24th September 2018.

[MissElayneous for D.E.A.R. week 2018 - Margaret Aylwards](#)

IMMA, in association with Poetry Ireland - 'IMMA AFTER 'Spoken Realities' a spoken word event which took place in the galleries, in response to IMMA's Collection exhibitions in the West Wing. February 2019.

[IMMA After, Spoken Realities | IMMA](#)

[IMMA After event 'Spoken Realities' MissElayneous set - YouTube](#)

[Succumb - MissElayneous LIVE at IMMA - YouTube](#)

UCD Archive - I am archive building at present for the UCD James Joyce Library, Irish Poetry Archive, which is physical & digital. I have been invited along with other poets to contribute to the National Repository. I am in the process of creating a publication to coincide with an official event to launch my addition to the repository. This will mark and promote an excellent resource of contemporary Irish Literature.

[Celebrating Poetry and Music Invite](#)

[A Celebration of Poetry at UCD Festival](#)

[Irish Poetry Reading Collection Volumes 1-3 - UCD Digital Library](#)

[UCD Special Collections | Irish Poetry Reading Archive](#)

[MissElayneous live - Irish Poetry Archive launch 2016](#)

Interviews:

[A City of Words: Temper-Mental MissElayneous | Dublin.ie](#)

[Global Music & Culture With a Local Accent](#)

[Temper-Mental, a Truly Dublin Rapper – The University Times](#)