

Who publishes Irish books, and where on the Web can we find information on them?

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Booksellers on the Web:

The following booksellers' websites are useful for learning about current publications:

Kennys Bookshop (Galway):
<http://www.kennys.ie/>

Eason (chain of stationers and booksellers):
<http://www.eason.ie>

Read Ireland (Small, independent bookseller):
<http://readireland.ie>

Publishers:

Irish Books in Print (subscription database) includes a directory of Irish publishers.

Publishing Ireland/ Foilsiú Éireann provides a list of members on its website: <http://publishingireland.com>

Academic publishers:

Carysfort Press
Cork University Press
Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies
Four Courts Press
Irish Academic Press
Irish Manuscripts Commission
Lagan Press
Royal Irish Academy
Ulster Historical Foundation
Academica Press
Field Day Publications
UCD Press

Social, Economic and Political:

ESRI (Economic and Social Research Institute of Ireland)
Gill & Macmillan
Government Publications
Guildhall Press
Hachette Books Ireland
Institute of Public Administration
Penguin Ireland

Literature (including children's):

Arlen House
Blackstaff Press
Brandon
Dedalus Press
The Gallery Press
Mercier Press
Lagan Press
New Island
O'Brien Press
Salmon Poetry

Irish Language:

An Gúm
An Sagart
Cló Iar-Chonnachta
Coiscéim
Cois Life
Comhar

Religious

Columba Press
Veritas

Audio-Visual:

RTE Shop: find this link in the "Explore RTE" area at the bottom of the home page, <http://www.rte.ie>

How can I find information on new Irish publications?

Irish Books in Print: A subscription database:

<http://www.rapidmultimedia.com/ibip.shtm>

The National Library of Ireland maintains a **Record of Irish Publishing**. The annual list of books received under legal deposit may be downloaded from the NLI website:

<http://www.nli.ie/en/irish-publishing-record.aspx>

NIPR, the **Northern Ireland Publications Resource**, provides a quarterly list of acquisitions of the member libraries of this project. <http://www.nibooks.org>

Book Reviews:

Books Ireland

A monthly magazine of book reviews and publishing news.

Subscription information:

Publisher: Jeremy Addis

11 Newgrove Avenue, Dublin 4

353 1 269 2185 or email booksi@eircom.net

DRB: The Dublin Review of Books.

A free online journal: <http://drb.ie>