

**Photographer:**

Gabriel O' Shaughnessy

Accreditations:

FIPF, FRPS, EFIAP/b.

Joined DPS In:

1994

DPS Club Level:

Senior

**Overview:**

Although I completed the beginner's course in 1994 I did not join the society proper until 1996. In those days my main interest was in slides and colour prints. I served as chairman from 1999 until 2001 and helped shape the present format for our renowned end of year exhibition and image of the year competition.

In 2001 I took over as competition secretary and held that post until 2007. I have again taken over the role of chairman in 2009 and was involved in the production of our 30th anniversary book. I have also acted as a selector for the society on and off over the last eight or nine years. I was elected onto the council of the Irish Photographic Federation in 2008 where I continue to serve.

Being a member of the society and the Irish Photographic Federation has been a source of much enjoyment over the years. I have gained many friendships through my interest in photography both in Ireland and further a field.

Achievements to Date (In Reverse Chronological Order):

To date I have gained in the region of 40 awards in national competitions and over 40 awards in International salons.

2010

- EFIAP/bronze certificate
- Fellowship of the Royal Photographic Society.

**2008**

- Fellowship Irish Photographic Federation
- EFIAP Certificate

2006

- Associate Royal Photographic Society

2005

- AFIAP certificate.
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