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Qualifications

Chelsea College of Arts, UAL
Distinction, Graduate Diploma in Fine Art
September 2015 – June 2016

The Slade School of Fine Art, UCL
Summer Foundation in Fine Art
July – September 2014

Durham University, University College
2:1 BA Hons, History
2005 – 2008

Solo

Exhibitions

Residency Solo Exhibition, **Bankside Hotel, London** | 15 - 25 May 2025
The Barbican Reimagined, **Barbican Centre Library, London** | 1 - 27 November 2024
Rotate curated by Natasja Jozsa, **CourtX, Southsea** | 17 July - 11 September 2023
Rising Stars Solo Show, **New Ashgate Gallery, Farnham** | 26 March - 24 April 2022
A Painting of Two Halves, **22 Bury Street, London** | 16-30 July 2021
One hundred and eighty-nine to forty-five | **Haru Gallery, London** | Feb - July 2019

Selected

exhibitions

Materials Worlds, **Degree Art Gallery at Bankside Hotel, London** | 5 July - 5 September 2026
ROOTS: Wood for the Future, **Contemporary Applied Arts Gallery, London** | 2-30 June 2026
Emotion: The Art of Tennis, **Queen's Club, London** | 7 June 2026
Conversations in Colour, **London Craft Week X CAA Galley, London** | 11-16 May 2026
A Thousand Greens, **ArtSnug Gallery, London** | 1-31 April 2026
Walthamstow Stories, **ArtSnug Gallery, London** | 1-31 November 2025
Affordable Art Fair, **Battersea Park, London** | 8 May - 13 October 2025
Art Friend's Art Fair, **Victoria Park, London** | 26 July 2025
Brixton Urban Art Fair, Brixton, London | 5 - 6 July 2025
Affordable Art Fair, **Hampstead Heath, London** | 8 May - 13 May 2025
Art of Flourishing Exhibition, **Happenstance Gallery, London** | 1 May - 24 June, 2025
Affordable Art Fair, **Battersea Park, London** | 8 Oct - 13 Oct 2024
Summer Exhibition, **Horton Arts Centre, Surrey** | 1-21 August 2024
Affordable Art Fair, **Hampstead Heath** | 8 May - 13 May 2024
Abstract Exhibition | **Byard Art Gallery, Cambridge** | 1 March - 30 April 2024
Collect International Craft & Design Fair | **Somerset House, London** | 28 Feb - 3 March 2024
Winter Exhibition | **Byard Art Gallery, Cambridge** | November - December 2023
Art of Belonging curated by Contemporary Collective | **Bankside Hotel, London** | October 2023
The Other Art Fair, **West Handyside Canopy, London** | 29 June - 2 July 2023
UnMute curated by Stephanie Crosland-Goss, **Somerset House, London** | June 2023
Future Icons Selects X London Craft Week 2023, **Bargehouse, London** | 10 - 14 May 2023
Unity, **Bluecoat Display Centre for Contemporary Craft, Liverpool** | 14 April - 3 June 2023
New Makers Showcase, **Contemporary Applied Arts Gallery, London** | November 2022

The Other Art Fair, **Truman Brewery, London** | 13-16 October 2022
 Row, Row, Row, **National Olympic Centre, Račice, Czech Republic** | 18 - 24 September 2022
 Crafting Europe, **Maison et Objet, Paris Design Week** | 8 - 13 September 2022
New Designers One Year In, London | 27 June - 9 July 2022
 London Craft Week 2022, **The Gallery at Liberty London** | 21 April - August 2022
 The Other Art Fair, **Truman Brewery, London** | 10-14 March 2022
 Curious?, **Images in Frames, London** | November - December 2021
 Artwaves Festival, **Artelium Vineyard, Sussex** | September 2021
 SFSA Painting Open, **No Format Gallery, London** | September 2021
 The Other Art Fair, **West Handyside Canopy, London** | July 2021
 Life on venus - The Organic, **The Auction Collective, London** | February 2021
 Life on Venus, **Tub Gallery, London** | December 2020 - February 2021
 New Ashgate Rising Stars, **New Ashgate Gallery, Farnham** | 12 March - 12 April 2020
 The London Design Festival, **Unit 2, London** | September 2020
 The Other Art Fair, **Victoria House, London** | October 2019
 UAL Showcase, **Top Drawer, London** | 8-10 September 2019
 London Festival of Architecture Showcase, **City Centre Gallery, London** | May - July 2019
 The Other Art Fair, **Truman Brewery, London** | March 2019
 One hundred and eighty-nine to forty-five | **Haru Gallery, London** | Feb - July 2019
 Sculpture Prize Exhibition, **Broomhill Sculpture Garden, Devon** | May 2018 - April 2019
 New Artist Fair 2018, **Truman Brewery, London** | September 2018
 Summer Show, **Walthamstow Village Window Gallery** | September 2018
 Artrooms Roma, **Church Palace Hotel, Rome** | March 2018
 The Other Art Fair, **Victoria House, London** | March 2018
 Three100, **No Format Gallery, Deptford** | April 2017
 Chance & happenstance, **room. South London** | April 2017
 CHROMA: Green Issue | **Art Hub Gallery, Deptford** | November 2016
 FLOCK 2016 | **GX Gallery, London** | August 2016

Awards

Arts Council England, Developing Your Creative Practice 2021 | Grant Award
New Ashgate Rising Stars 2021 | Winner
London Festival of Architecture City Benches Competition 2019 | Winner
Richard Seager Annual Art Award 2019 | Winner
B-Side Festival Artist Award 2019 | Shortlisted
Broomhill National Sculpture Prize 2018 | Winner
The Signature Art Prize 2018 | Shortlisted
The Jackson's Painting Prize 2018 | Shortlisted
The Annex Collection Acquisition Award 2016 | Shortlisted
Kumpabana 2016 | Grant Award
Student/Staff Collaboration Fund 2016 | Grant Award
The Eaton Fund 2015 | Grant Award
The South Square Trust 2015 | Grant Award

Residencies & Artist talks	Contemporary Collective Residency Bankside Hotel, London 3 March - 25 May 2025 The Future of Craft Panel Discussion Liberty's, London 26 May 2022 Bankside Hotel X Contemporary Collective Artist Residency, London September 2020 Craft Council Hothouse Talent Programme 2020 February - September 2020 Placemaking in the City of London Pecha Kucha talk, City Centre Gallery 26 July 2019 NLCS Jeju Arts Festival Artist in Residence, South Korea June 2019 The Griffin Gallery Project Residency, London May 2018 Chroma: Green artist talk, ArtHub, London September 2016
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Notable Commissions & Collections	Artelium Wine Estate September 2021 Nobu Hotel London Penthouse, Portman Square October 2020 Haru Stuck-on Design X The Feeding House September 2019 Julia's House Children's Hospice July 2019 London Festival of Architecture, City Bench June 2019 Canary Wharf Arts + Events, Play me I'm Yours March 2019 Haru Stuck-on Design February 2019 New Dawn Risk January 2019 Global Counsel November 2018 Broomhill Sculpture Garden May 2018 Westminster Gardens May 2017 Ascent Underwriting October 2016 LEWIS PR September 2016 Frontier Economics July 2016
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Press & Publications	Interiors, Rotate Modern Art, Harper's Bazaar, pg 72 May 2023 Frieze Week Highlights Sudoku no. 4, Financial Times 2 October 2022 The Other Art Fair Top 10, FAD Magazine 18 March 2022 The Faces of the Future, Livingetc UK, pg. 56 October 2021 The Upcoming: Sarah Emily Porter, FAD Magazine 6 July 2021 Porter + Trundle, We Are Makers, Edition 2, pg. 128 - 131 April 2021 Welcome to the House of Fun, Elle Decoration NL, Issue 2, pg. 52-53 March 2021 The power of craftsmanship: from passion to mastery, Black Label 3, Pg. 218-220 2020 Where to find handmade homeware, London Evening Standard 30 July 2020 Transformative public art that alters perceptions and neighbourhoods, Home and Design Trends Magazine India, Vol. 7, Issue 3 Autumn 2019 Tube ponderings by Barry Heck, Londonist 14 August 2019 Sarah Emily Porter speaks to Paul Lindt about her career to date, The E List July/August 2019 Eccentric benches sit pretty in London Festival of Architecture, Wallpaper* 14 June 2019 City Benches by young designers brighten London's Cheapside, Deezen 13 June 2019 World Piano Day, Timeout London 25 March 2019 Five design teams chosen in city benches contest, Architects Journal 25 March 2019 LFA and Cheapside Business Alliance announce winners of the second edition of 'City Benches' design competition, London Festival of Architecture 22 March 2019
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