

sue stone - cv

1952 Born Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire

Education / Qualifications

1973/75 Goldsmiths College, University of London, B. A. Hons (Textiles/ Embroidery) 1st Class

1970/71 St Martins School of Art, Fashion/Textiles

1969/70 Grimsby School of Art, Foundation Course

Career History

Oct 2025 -present - self employed - Artist/Maker/Tutor

2002 - 2025 Company Director - Anywear Ltd - Designer/ Artist / Maker

1975-2002 Company Director/ Head Designer - Anywear Ltd Designing/manufacturing and importing womenswear (woven and knitted) including in house individual one-off designs.

Voluntary Work

2010 - 2024 - Trustee - Great Grimsby Ice Factory Trust

2002 - 2010 - Volunteer - N E Lincolnshire Museum's Costume collection

Memberships

2023 - present - Honorary Exhibiting member of the 62 Group of Textile Artists

2008 - 2023 - Exhibiting Member of the 62 Group of Textile Artists (also a member 1975/8)

2013 - 2018 - Chair of the 62 Group of Textile Artists

2014 - present - Fellow of the Society of Designer Craftsmen (MSDC 2012/2014)

Awards

2015 Textile Society Professional Development Bursary

2014 Craft & Design Magazine - Selected Maker Awards, Silver Award - Textiles

2011 Arts Council England /National Lottery Grants for the Arts award : 7 Strands Textile Symposium

7 Strands at the Minster Exhibition 16 June to 17 July 2011, Grimsby Minster, St James Square, Grimsby

Selected Recent / Future Exhibitions

2026

Touchlines - 62 Group - 1st - 31st May 2026, 3rd floor, 1912 Mill, Sunny Bank Mills, Farsley LS28 5UJ,

Conversations - Sue Stone & Lucy Reid - Indigo Crow, Burton Road, Lincoln, LN1 3JY - 2 March - 15 March

2025

The Art of Now - Usher Gallery Open - Lincoln Danes Terrace, Lincoln, LN2 1LP - 20 July to 19 October

Joy in the Detail - 62 Group - 7 May - 6 September - Textile Study Centre, University for the Creative Arts, Falkner Road, Farnham, Surrey GU9 7DS

The Art of Embroidery - Broderers exhibition - 25 February- 2 March - Bankside Gallery, Thames Riverside, London SE1 9JH

13th Baltic Mini textiles exhibition - 30 March to 18 May 2025, Museum Gdynia, Poland (work acquired by Museum)

2024

Making as Learning - 62 Group - 21 November - 24 November - Harrogate Convention centre - Knitting & Stitching Show

Making as Learning - 62 Group - 8 September – 3 November - Roof Space - Salt's Mill - Victoria Road, Saltaire, Bradford, West Yorkshire BD18 3LA

Tailored - 62 Group - March 30 to July 7 - Hub Navigation Wharf, Sleaford, Lincolnshire, NG34 7TW

2023

Tailored - 62 Group - May 13 to July 2 - Sunny Bank Mills, Farsley, Pudsey, West Yorkshire

Shifts and Allusions - solo exhibition 14 January to 12 March - The Hub, Sleaford, Lincs NG34 7TW

2022

12th From Lausanne to Beijing International Fibre Art Biennial Exhibition invited artist 1 Sept to 31 Oct 2022 Yunnan Minzu University and Yunnan Provincial Museum, China

Knitting & Stitching Shows - 62 Group - Essence - Alexandra Palace 6/9 Oct & Harrogate 17/20 November

Transformations - Society of Designer Craftsmen, 15 June to 26 June - Bankside gallery , Thames Riverside, London SE1 9JH

Pride of Grimsby - 9 April to 15 May - Fishing Heritage Centre, Grimsby, Uk

Good Times - 1 April to 27 May - Owen James Gallery, 59 Wooster Street, 2nd floor New York, NY 10012

Conversations - 15 January to 26 February - 62 Group - St Barbe Museum & Art Gallery Lymington, Hampshire, SO41 9BH

The Art of Embroidery - 22 February to 27 February - Broderers exhibition - Bankside Gallery, Thames Riverside, London SE1 9JH

Baltic Minitextiles exhibition touring Australia from 22 May 2021 to end 2022

2021

British Textile Biennial - 1 Oct to 30 Nov - 62 Group - The Whitaker, Haslingden Rd, Rawtenstall, Rossendale BB4 6RE

Baltic Minitextiles exhibition touring Australia from 22 May 2021 to end 2022

Ain't the Archies - 2 August to 12 September - Timeless Textiles, Newcastle NSW, Australia

2020

Intersect Chicago - November 6 - 12 then on Artsy until December 6 2020 - a virtual art fair replacing SOFA 2020 - with Owen James Gallery, New York

Interwoven - to 1 March 2020 - EMMA - Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Finland - invited artist

Ctrl/Shift - to 29 February 2020 - 62 Group touring exhibition, 20:21 Visual Arts, Scunthorpe, UK

2019

Ctrl/Shift - 14 December to 29 February 2020 - 20:21 Visual Arts, Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire, UK

The Trunk Show - 15 November to 21 December 2019 - Owen James Gallery, Manhattan, New York, USA

SEW Society for Embroidered Work 12 - 17 November, Clerkenwell Gallery, London EC1 0DP

8th International Contemporary Textile Art Biennale WTA , Sustainable City, Madrid, Spain

The Invited Artists Salon, The Essence of textile, Centro Cultural Galileo 17 September to 3 November

Re-Tellings, solo exhibition, The Ropewalk, Barton upon Humber, UK - 14 September to 20 October

Interwoven - 5 June to 1 March 2020 - EMMA - Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Finland - invited artist

11th Baltic Minitextiles - 8 March to 9 June - Museum of Gdynia, Poland

Ctrl/Shift - 2 February to 22 April - 62 Group exhibition, National Centre for Craft and Design, Sleaford, UK

2018

Ctrl/Shift - 21 July to 9 September - 62 Group exhibition - MAC, Birmingham

The 6th Riga International Textile and Fibre Art Triennial 6 June – 9 September

Remember Me? - solo exhibition - 24 March - 29 July - Muriel Barker Gallery, Grimsby, N E Lincs

2017

People ; What are they like? Deda, Derby - Group exhibition - 2 November 2017 - 2 January 2018

What is Stitch? - 5th September to 15th October - The Sunbury Embroidery Gallery, Thames Street, Sunbury-On-Thames - Selected work from the Diana Springall collection

Festival of Quilts - NEC, Birmingham - 10 -13 August - **A Portrait** - Group exhibition with **Through Our Hands**

Unknown People and other Stories - commissioned artist - 31 July - 30 September - Discovery Centre, Cleethorpes, N E Lincolnshire

Displaced - solo exhibition- invited artist - April 28 - May 28 - Owen James Gallery, Brooklyn, NYC, USA

Trait - Portrait - Manufacture Bohin - touring throughout France

Making Space - March/April - 62 Group - Knitting & Stitching show - Olympia, London & Edinburgh, UK

Unknown People - commissioned artist - 1 February - 28 February - Cleethorpes Library, N E Lincs, UK

The Thread Unraveled - 25 January - 15 February - Group exhibition - VM Art Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan

2016

Intoxicating Textiles: Vibrant Colours, Bold Patterns - June - July - Mobilia Gallery, **USA**

Knitting & Stitching Shows - Do You Remember Me? invited Gallery Artist London, Dublin & Harrogate

Making Space -The 62 Group - Macclesfield Silk Museum 17 June to 3 September

People • Place • Time - Solo exhibition - 27 May - 10 July - Howden Park - Livingston, EH54 6AE, Scotland

Normandy Impressionist Festival 2016 - Trait - Portrait - April 16 to Sept 26 - Manufacture Bohin, France

2015

Illustrative and Stitched Drawings - 28 November - 10 January 2016 , Customs House, South Shields, UK

New Textiles Transformed - 3 October - 7 November - Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA

62 Group • NOW! -17 March - 10 May Upfront Gallery Cumbria

Designer Crafts at the Mall - 8 January to 15 January, Mall Galleries, London

2014

Ebb & Flow - Sept 9 - Nov 2 - the 62 Group - Grimsby Minster & Fishing Heritage Centre, Grimsby, UK

Contextile - 26 July to 11 October, 2014, Guimaraes, Portugal

Summer Exhibition - 6 June - Sept The Biscuit Factory, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK

Beside the Sea - 12 April - 14 June - Bilston Craft gallery, Wolverhampton, UK

2013

The British Textile exhibition - December - 62 Group, Koyo Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

Small Talk - June/July - 62 Group exhibition, Constance Howard Gallery, Goldsmiths College, London

9th International Baltic Mini textiles exhibition - 28 June - 1 September - Museum of Gdynia, Poland

Stuff and Nonsense Solo exhibition - 9 May - 29 June - Gate Gallery, Grimsby, N E Lincs

Designer Crafts - 11 January - 20 January - Mall Galleries, London - Society of Designer Craftsmen

2012

62 Group 50th anniversary exhibitions at Knitting & Stitching Shows • Alexandra Palace, Dublin, Harrogate, Farfield Mill • Cumbria, Holden Gallery • Manchester, Platt Hall, Manchester

2011

The Rijswijk Textile Biennial 2011 - 7 June – 11 September - Museum Rijswijk, **The Netherlands**

7 Strands - 2 June - 23 July - work by 7 members of the 62 Group of Textile Artists, Gate Gallery, Grimsby

At a Tangent - 22 Jan - 10 April - 62 Group • Gallery Oldham - Oldham OL1 1AL.

2010

The Dartboard for Witches - 23 July - 18 September - contemporary work in textiles, Aberystwyth, Wales

Bending more lines - April/ August - 62 Group - Collins Gallery, Glasgow & Rijswijk, Netherlands

2009

Life on the Coast - November/ December, Campden Gallery, Chipping Campden ,Gloucestershire,

Woman with a Fish - May/June - Solo exhibition, Gate Gallery, Grimsby

2008

Art of the Stitch - International Open Exhibition 2008/9 - March 2008 - November 2009

International Tour - Birmingham, UK, Krefeld, Germany,, Budapest, Hungary, K&S, London & Harrogate

Collections

VM Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan

North East Lincolnshire Museums service

Franklin Trust

Diana Springall Embroidery Collection

Gdynia City Museum, Poland - 3 works

Private collections in UK, Europe, USA , Australia, New Zealand & South America

Selected Publications / Articles

2024 - Soulful Stitch - Cas Holmes & Deena Beverley published by Batsford

2024 - Handwerken Magazine - Netherlands

2023 - Textile Portraits - Anne Kelly published by Batsford

2020 - Selvedge magazine issue 95 July/August - illustration of Anne Morrell for ROOTS IN TWO

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2019 - Threads - Charlotte Vannier - published by Thames & Hudson

2018 - Selvedge magazine - issue 86 - TEXT-ILE Messaging article by Dr Nicola Donovan

2018 - Riga Textiles Triennial - Identity catalogue

2018 - De Fil En Aiguille - Charlotte Vannier - published by Pyramyd

2018 - Textile Landscapes - Cas Holmes published by Batsford

2018 - Textile Folk Art - Anne Kelly published by Batsford

2017 - Embroidery Magazine March/April • front cover & featured artist

2017 - May 12 - Crafts Council Directory - Maker of the Week

2016 - The Encyclopedia of Embroidery Techniques - Pauline Brown - Published by Search press

2016 - Do You Remember Me? book - Sue Stone

2016 -Textile Collage - Mandy Patullo - published by Batsford

2015 - Axisweb Featured Artist of the Month - May

2014 - Textile Art Around the World • Ellen Bakker & Dorothé Swinkels

2014 - Embroidery Magazine • September/October - Ebb & Flow exhibition feature

2012 - Textiles • The Art of Mankind - Mary Schoeser - published by Thames & Hudson

2012 - Radical Thread - Lesley Millar - celebrating 50 years of the 62 Group of Textile Artists

2011 - Rijswijk Textile Biennial 2011 Catalogue

2010 - Machine Stitch Perspectives - Alice Kettle and Jane McKeating

Selected Recent/ Future Talks/ Workshops

2027 - Tollesbury Coastal Collective - Essex - 24/25 April - People & Their Stories

2026 - Hudson River Valley Art Workshops USA - 26 April to 2 May - People & Their Stories

2026 - Beth Morris Workshops - Sat 26 September- Sun 27 September - The Dairy, Insole Court Lodge, Fairwater Rd, Cardiff CF5 2LN - Illustrative Stitched Portraits

2025 - Beth Morris Workshops - Sat 26 April - Sun 27 April - The Dairy, Insole Court Lodge, Fairwater Rd, Cardiff CF5 2LN

2024 - a sabbatical!

Ongoing - Online workshops - in conjunction with textileartist.org

2023 - 5 day workshop at Hudson River Valley Workshops USA • Imagined Journeys
Sun April 16 to Sat, April 22

2023 - Bath Textile Summer School UK - August 14/15 & August 17/18 - Every Picture Tells a Story

2023 - Studio Preniac - France - Sat September 9 to Sat September 16 - Faces, Figures, Facts & Fictions

2022 - textileartist.org Stitch Club - Sept 26 to Oct 7 - Off the Grid

2022 - 5 day workshop at Hudson River Valley Workshops USA • Making A Statement • A Personal Narrative
March 27 to Sat, April 2

2021 - 7/11 October - talk/ 3 day workshop STARS - Bury St Edmunds - Suffolk

2021 - July - online workshop of textileartist.org Stitch Club

2021 - 4/5 May - A Focus on faces - Zoom workshop for Alexandra Waylett Studios, Suffolk Uk

2021 - 19/20 March - A Focus on faces - Zoom workshop for Alexandra Waylett Studios, Suffolk Uk

2021 - 15/20 March - textileartist.org Community Stitch Challenge

2020 - w/b 29 June - textileartist.org Stitch Club - online hand stitch workshop

2020 - March - online workshop for community Challenge in conjunction with Textileartist.org

2020 - 18 January – 1 day workshop – A Focus on Faces at 20:21, Scunthorpe, N Lincs ,Uk

2020 - Talk – 11 January – East Yorkshire Embroidery group, Cottingham, Yorkshire

2019 - July - In Stitches, 2 day Portrait workshop, Wokingham, Berkshire

2019 - March 6 - Selvedge, London - Illustrative Hand Stitch & Appliqué Portraits

2019 - April - USA - Hudson Valley workshops & Potomac Fibre Arts Guild USA

2018 - September 12 to 16 - Maiwa School of Textiles, Granville Island, Vancouver, Canada

2018 - Aug 4 to Aug 11 - Chateau Dumas, France

2018 - May 26 to June 2 - Studio Preniac, France