



Laura Smith is a London based glass designer from the island of Bermuda. With 10 years experience making glass, setting up her practice in 2014 Laura Elizabeth Glass creates exquisite glasswork using her extensive skills in hot glass making to capture the incandescent qualities of glass combined with precious metals. Her pieces often capture a moment in time when an object becomes absorbed by the underwater habitat and through this combination of influences and technique a unique aesthetic evolved.

Birth 12, June, 1980
Nationality British/Bermudian

Exhibitions

2017	Cambridge Contemporary Art	Cambridge
2017	Endeavour to Excel Auction	Bermuda
2017	Americas Cup exhibition, Harry's Restaurant	Bermuda
2016	Handmade in Britain	London
2016	Affordable Art Fair	Hampstead
2016	Top Drawer	London
2015	Chocolate Factory Open Studios	London
2015	Made	London
2015	Affordable Art Fair, Mint Art Gallery	London
2015	Handmade at Kew	London
2015	Affordable Art Fair, Mint Art Gallery	London
2015	Craft, Topdrawer	London
2014	Handmade in Britain	London
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2014	Somerset House, Handmade in Britain	London
2013	Tent, London Design Festival	London
2013	PopUP Britain	London
2013	iArt	India
2012	Winter Glasscape, Zest Gallery	London
2012	Made	London
2012	Great Nothern Contemporary Craft Fair	Manchester
2012	Tent	London
2011	One Stop, Masterworks Museum of Art	Bermuda
2011	Islington Contemporary Art and Design	London
2010	Christmas show, Zest Gallery	London

Education

2004-2007	Edinburgh College of Art Design/Applied Arts Glass Hons
2003-2004	Chelsea College of Art and Design, London
2000-2003	University of Western Ontario BA, English, Canada

Experience

2011 - 2016	Assisting and working at Elin Issakson glass studio, Scotland
2007 - 2011	Aaronson Noon Studio, London
2005 - 2006	Dockyard Glass Summer Glass apprenticeship

Courses

2017	Silversmithing – cut, bend and form, West Dean College, UK
2011	Methods of Molten Madness, Shunji Omura, Pilchuck, USA
July 2004	Abate Zanetti, Fabio Fornasier, Murano, Italy