

## MICHELE LYNNE WHITE

### Personal Details

Address: 23/24 Warstone Lane,  
Hockley,  
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Date of birth: 21st February 1947

Nationality: British

Marital Status: Married with 3 children

### Qualifications

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| Diploma of Education                                 | 1968        |
| City and Guilds Diamond Mounting                     | 1987        |
| City and Guilds Diamond Mounting (advanced)          | 1988        |
| Fellow of the Gemmological Association               | 1995        |
| Diamond Member of the Gemmological Association       | 1996        |
| Associate of the Royal Birmingham Society of Artists | 1998        |
| Member of the Royal Birmingham Society of Artists    | 2000        |
| Vice President R.B.S.A                               | 2003        |
| President R.B.S.A.                                   | 2005 – 2008 |
| Past President and Vice President                    | 2008 -      |

### The Royal Birmingham Society of Artists

The first evidence of the existence of this Society was in 1814. Past Presidents include Burne-Jones and Milais .  
I was the first jeweller to be elected a member in modern times.

### Prizes

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| Lucas prize Royal Birmingham Society of Artists | 1997 |
| 1st Prize RBSA Prize Exhibition                 | 2000 |
| TNT Prize RBSA Exhibition                       | 2003 |

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| Reg Lewis Sculpture Prize | 2006 |
| Adenda Prize              | 2008 |
| Tanner Prize              | 2008 |
| Birmingham Today prize    | 2011 |

### **Present Post**

Part time lecturer in Gemmology : Birmingham City University

#### Teaching

Jasso weekend workshops ( Jewellery and silver Society of Oxford )

#### Guest lecturer

### **Education**

School of Jewellery , University of Central England

All Saints Teachers Training College, London

Tottenham High School

### **Employment**

#### Teaching Posts:

Teacher in Charge of Specialist Unit for Autistic Children in Walsall Wood Special School, for children with severe learning disabilities. Sept. 1972 - Dec. 1973

Art Teacher ( Ceramics ) Cardinal Newman Comprehensive School., Birmingham  
Jan. 1971- July 1972

Primary school teacher Hackney Junior School, London, Sept. 1970 - Dec 1970

Art Teacher ( Ceramics and Three Dimensional Art ) Downshall Comprehensive School, Barkingside, Essex, ( Ordinary and Advanced level classes ) 1968 - 1970.

Adult Evening Classes ( Ceramics ) Barkingside, Essex. 1968-1970

I interrupted my career in order to bring up my three children and then took up training in the making and design of fine Jewellery, and subsequently Gemmology.

**Work has been exhibited and / or on sale in the following galleries / shops**

Discovery Centre, Hockley, Birmingham

Electrum Gallery, South Moulton St., London

Diane Cross, Great Western Arcade, Birmingham

Richardson & Brown, Swinfen, Staffordshire

Royal Birmingham Society of Artists

Fenny Lodge Gallery, Milton Keynes

Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery, West Midlands

Limited Edition brooch for Royal Shakespeare Co. Christmas 1997

Limited Edition brooch for Royal Shakespeare Co. Christmas 2004

The Coronet Collection. Mail order catalogue 1998.

J McCarthy Ltd., London S.W.1

Gardeninglove website

Art in Action Gallery , Waterperry, Oxford

Primavera, Cambridge

Gallery 48, Lavenham, Suffolk

ARTifex , Sutton Coldfield, WM

Model House, Llantrisant, Wales

Castle Gallery, Inverness, Scotland

Highland Scene , Montrose

Fowey River Gallery, Cornwall

Calamus , Seven Oaks ,Kent

Gallery 9 , Birmingham

Cecilia Colman Gallery, St Johns Wood London

Stone Gallery, Burford

Argentium Gallery, Preston

Lumbers, Leicester

Parrys, Malvern

Pebbles , St Ives Cornwall

Broadway Modern, Worcs.

Goose Gallery, Milton on Stour Dorset

Verandah, Oxford

Polkadot Exeter

Atelier Contemporary Jewellery Newark

Magic Number 3 Gallery Saltair

Face2Face Exhibition London 2006

Addition to website of Love2have.co.uk

Inhorgenta Fair

VIP Hong Kong 2008

Member of Centrepiece: Exhibitions at Symphony Hall since 1997

Foyer Exhibition Goldsmiths' Fair

RBSA Craft Gallery, Brook St Birmingham

Commissioned by R.B.S.A. to make presentation piece for HRH Prince Charles April 2000

Commissioned by R.B.S.A. to make presentation piece for RBSA President Marylane Barfield April 2000

Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery purchase for permanent collection 2005.

Barber Institute of Fine Arts, Birmingham University

British Museum

Desire fairs - Richmond and Winchester

One man show Royal Birmingham Society of Artists 2011

Commissioned by Barber Institute of Fine Arts ( Birmingham University ) to design and create a piece in response to Claude Monet's "The Church at Varengeville " as part of the celebration for their 80<sup>th</sup> year.

Handmade in Britain

Mall Exhibition

### **Voluntary Work**

Member, B.H.C. Moseley Management team and Functions Committee

President R.B.S.A April 2005 – 2008

Vice president RBSA 2008 -

### **Other Interests**

Gardening

Fell walking

Cooking

Birmingham Festival Choral Society