

Louis Thompson – Resume

Born, 1966, Liverpool, British Nationality.

Education:

2007-2011 M.A. Ceramics and Glass, Royal College of Art, London
1985–1989 B.A. Honours Degree in Design: Glass, North Staffordshire Polytechnic

Teaching Experience:

2019 Masterclass leader 'Glassmakers Orchestra', Northlands Creative, UK
2019 Masterclass with Anthony Scala 'Hot Start, Cold Finish', The Glasshub UK
2017 Masterclass with James Devereux, Cesty Skla, CZ
2015 Masterclass with artist Luke Jerram, Glass Hub, UK
2014 Masterclass leader 'Hot Glass: No Limits' at Glass Hub, UK
2005 Visiting Lecturer, University of Sunderland, UK
2001 Teaching Assistant, Pilchuck Glass School, Seattle, USA
1995-2005 Senior Lecturer for B.A. Design for Glass, Staffordshire University, UK

Selected Group Exhibitions:

2020 COLLECT, Somerset House, London
2019 British Glass Biennale, Ruskin Glass Centre, Stourbridge
2019 BRAFA, Brussels, Belgium
2019 COLLECT Open, Saatchi Gallery London
2018 Johansfors Gallery, Broakulla, Sweden
2018 Paris Biennale with Clara Scremini Gallery, Paris, France
2018 Exhibition, Soneva Art Glass Gallery, Maldives
2018 COLLECT, Saatchi Gallery, London
2017 TRESOR, Vessel Gallery, Basel, Switzerland
2017 Glass Art Society Members Exhibition, Norfolk, USA
2017 COLLECT 2017, Saatchi Gallery, London
2017 New Glass Review, Corning Museum of Glass, USA
2016 Reflections, Salisbury Cathedral, UK
2016 British Glass, Etienne Gallery, Netherlands
2016 Connections, The Scottish Gallery, Edinburgh
2016 Drawing, National Glass Centre, Sunderland
2016 Art Monaco and Art Geneva with Taste Contemporary, Switzerland
2016 Ceramics and Glass Fair with Joanna Bird, New York, USA
2015 British Glass Biennale, Ruskin Glass Centre, Stourbridge
2014 Vetro, London Glassblowing, London
2014 European Glass Prize, Coburg, Germany
2014 UK Glass, Glazenhuis, Lommel, Belgium
2013 SOFA EXPO, Chicago, USA
2012 British Glass Biennale, Stourbridge
2012 Jerwood Makers Open, Jerwood Space, London
2011 Breathtaking, National Touring Exhibition, Crafts Council
2010 International Exhibition of Glass Kanazawa, Japan
2009 London Glass, Leon Salet Gallery, Maastricht, Netherlands
2008 Bombay Sapphire Prize Exhibition, Milan
2007 London Glassblowing, Glas Galerie Koln, Cologne, Germany
2000 Vessels, International Exhibition, Kanazawa, Japan

Permanent / Public Collections:

2019	Victoria and Albert Museum, London, UK
2019	Novotny Glass Museum, Novy Bor, Czech Republic
2019	Boda Glass Factory, Boda, Sweden
2018	Atkinson Art Gallery, Southport, UK
2015	Museum of Glass, Tacoma, USA
2015	Ernsting Stiftung Glass Museum, Coesfeld, Germany
2014	Glazenhuis Museum, Lommel City Collection, Lommel, Belgium
2014	Ernsting Stiftung Glass Museum, Coesfeld, Germany
2011	Toyama Glass Art Museum, Toyama, Japan

Awards, Nominations and Residencies:

2018	Artist in Residence, Soneva Art Glass Studio, Maldives
2015	Artist in Residence, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, USA
2014	Artist in Residence, Glazenhuis, Lommel, Belgium
2012	Winner: Best in Exhibition, British Glass Biennale Award, Stourbridge, UK
2011	Jerwood Makers Open Prize Award, Jerwood Foundation, UK
2001	Visiting Artist, Leerdam Glass Centre, Netherlands
1999	Scholarship Student, Pilchuck Glass School, Seattle, USA