

R U T H R I C H M O N D

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Current Activity

MA Drawing UAL Wimbledon 2015-2017

2017 Artist in Residence Shotley Peninsula Festival of Arthur Ransome, Suffolk

Education

1997-00 Fine Art BA [hons] Degree, Norwich School of Art and Design.

1995-97 Ipswich School of Art and Design. Foundation Art Course

1984-85 Chelsea Art School. One Year Diploma in Interior Design

1976-77 London College of Fashion, Diploma design/Pattern cutting

Awards

1997. South Bank, London. Millennium Banner exhibition winner*

1997 –1999 Banners hanging outside LWT and The Oxo Tower, The Cut, Waterloo, London

Residencies:

2017 Artist in Residence Shotley Peninsula Festival of Arthur Ransome, Suffolk

2010-2011 Rural Collusions project at Thornham Estates, Suffolk and Lackford lakes, Suffolk
work still in place 5 years later.

Sept 2006 Key Arts at St Mary at the Quay, Ipswich

Mar-June 2004 Rural Idyll? Little Dodnash Farm, Bentley, Ipswich

May 2003 Crear, Lochgilphead, Scotland. Sculptors residency.

Sept. 00-Dec. 00 Year of the Artist, East of England Arts. 'Skip Art'

Working on a Suffolk Landfill site and with a skip company.

Dec. 00 Exhibition of work at Suffolk Wildlife Trust, Melton, Woodbridge, Suffolk

Exhibitions:

2017 Artist in Residence Shotley Peninsula Festival of Arthur Ransome, Suffolk

2017. Same Difference, Cass Art, 103, Clarence St. Kingston, KT1 1QY

2016 In The Frame, Wimbledon College of Art

2016 Drawn Together, Kaleidoscope Gallery, Kent

2016 Out of Line, C4RD, Highbury Station rd, N1

2016 SAS Exhibition, Sudbury, Suffolk

2015 Art on the Prom, Felixstowe, Suffolk - commissioned installation

2014/15 Open House, Brighton Festival

2013 Crown Gallery, Carlisle*

2012 Littlegarth Gallery, Dedham Essex – mixed exhibition

2011 Rural Collusions culmination of Residencies, see above.

2011 Rural Idyll – installations and drawings

2010 Solo show – Paintings. Frame Workshop Gallery, Ipswich

2009 Selected exhibition Wildlife in Ipswich Town Hall Galleries

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Cont.

- 2009 Windows Nero Artists, Ip-Art Festival, Ancient House Gallery, Ipswich
 2009 Shelf Life KeyArts St Mary's at the Quay
 2008 Members show St Mary at the Quay, Ipswich
 2007 Triptych, Key Arts, Ip-Art Festival, St Mary at the Quay, Ipswich
 2007 Off Centre, Ip-Art Festival, Ancient House gallery, Ipswich
 2006 KeyArts residency and exhibition St Mary le Quay, Ipswich
 2006 Beyond the call of duty, Town hall galleries, Ipswich*
 2006 Sugar and Spice, Ip-Art Festival, Ancient House gallery, Ipswich
 2006 Sexhibition, 'Teenage sexual health' Stowhealth, Stowmarket
 2004 Solo Show Butley Barns Gallery, exhibition of current work, July
 2004 Rural Idyll? 'Artists investigations into rural life'. - curating and participating with 9 selected artists, whose work covers a range of media, for an artists residency and exhibition throughout June on a Suffolk sheep farm. Exhibiting in barns, flower gardens, ponds, woodland. Part of Suffolk Open Studios.
 2004 Blank Page A group of freelance artists called 'Creative Freelance' making a 'book' and exhibiting in Christchurch mansions, Ipswich, Suffolk for IP-Art July This book is now archived in the museum gallery
 2004 In memory of.. Mixed exhibition in Artists' Gallery, Ipswich, Suffolk.
 2004 Suffolk Open Studios Media representative and participant for Suffolk Open Studios
 2004. see also 'Rural Idyll' exhibition.
 2003- Brighton Festival, Art in Heaven, Sacred Heart, Hove, East Sussex *
 2003- Front Room, Lewes, Brighton *
 2002- Christmas exhibition, Firstsite Gallery @ The Minories, Colchester *
 2002- 24 hour video viewing @ Colchester Art Centre *
 2002- Over The River, Firstsite Gallery @ The Minories, Colchester *
 2001- Orwell Park Summer exhibition, Orwell Park School, Ipswich *
 2000- Skip Art Exhibition, Foxburrow Farm, Melton, Suffolk for YOA *

* Open submission exhibitions

Professional Experience

- 2013 * Visualising the Rural – Conference at The University of Cumbria
 2011- Hosted, created and exhibited in one week residency and exhibition "RURAL IDYLL" on Suffolk `sheep farm
 2011 Artist in Residence at Thornham Hall Estate and Lackford lakes SuffolkWildlifeTrust autumn 2010 onwards
 Practising artist
 Teaching at Otley College, Suffolk
 Committee member with Key Arts artists' for Artists' space, Ipswich
 2004 Curating and Managing Rural Idyll Residency and exhibition
 Art workshops for: Wolsey gallery, Christchurch Mansions, Ipswich & First Site Gallery, Colchester,
 Year of the Artist, Foxburrow Farm, Melton, Suffolk
 Teaching at Otley College, Suffolk
 Suffolk Open Studios_Media representative

