

SUSAN CROSS (summarised biography)

- 1964 Born Herefordshire
1980-82 Herefordshire College of Art & Design
Diploma in General Art & Design (distinction)
1982-86 Middlesex Polytechnic
BA (Hons) Jewellery (1st class)

Major selected exhibitions since 2004

- 2020 *Melting Point*, Valencia, Spain
800 degree + Schmuckgalerie tal 20, Munich.
- 2019 *Tsukuru*, Gallery Nishikawa, Kyoto & het Labo atrium, Tokyo.
- 2018 *Nexus – meetings at the Edge*, Fife Contemporary, Ruthin Craft Centre
UK
- 2017 *Schmuck*, Munich, Germany
20:20 Visions, ACJ, UK touring
- 2015/6 *Heat Exchange 2*, UK & European touring
- 2015 *Modern Masters*, Scottish Gallery, Edinburgh
A Sense of Jewellery, Goldsmith's Centre, London
- 2014 *Back to the Front*, RWA Bristol, UK
- 2013 Retrospective, Scottish Gallery, Edinburgh
Cominelli Foundation Awards for Contemporary Jewellery, Brescia, Italy
- 2011/12 *Drawing, Permanence & Place*, European & UK touring
- 2011 *Objects of Status, Power & Adornment- studio jewellery movement
1950-2011*. Mobilia Gallery, Boston, USA
Crafts in Dialogue, Dovecot Studios, Edinburgh
- 2010 *Drawing with Objects*, Contemporary Applied Arts, London
- 2009 /10 *Collect*, represented by Electrum Gallery, London
Jewellery- what's it all about? Electrum Gallery, London
- 2009 *Creation II*, Worshipful Company of Goldsmith's, London
- 2008 *Collect*, V&A. represented by Scottish Gallery
- 2007 *Jerwood Applied Arts Award, Jewellery*. Jerwood Space, London
- 2006 *Goldmark*, Thomas Goode, London
- 2005 *Pensieri Preziosi 2 gioielle senza confine*, Padova, Italy
Interface: exhibition of international contemporary art textiles.
Scottish Gallery & Ruthin Crafts Centre, N. Wales
- 2004 *...Or gold*, Scottish Galery, Edinburgh UK touring &
L'Or, bijoux d'Europe. France.

Collections

Victoria & Albert Museum, London & Dundee
Craft Council
Birmingham Museums & Art Gallery
Worshipful Company of Goldsmiths
National Museums of Scotland
Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh
The Alice and Louis Koch Collection, Swiss National Museum, Zurich.

Awards

- 2008 Honorary Fellow, Hereford College of Arts
Appointed Reader, Edinburgh College of Art
- 2007 Jerwood Applied Arts Award: Jewellery (joint winner)
- 2001 Inches Carr Trust Bursary
- 1999 Scottish Arts Council travel grant to visit Japan
- 1998 Freedom of the City of London
- 1997 Freeman of the Worshipful Company of Goldsmiths
- 1995 Scottish Arts Council (award for individual development)
- 1987 & 88 Platinum Awards (2nd prize) sponsored by Ayrton Metals Ltd
- 1987 Crafts Council setting - up grant

Selected Academic Posts

- 2008 -11 External Examiner, London Metropolitan University
- 1989 - Edinburgh College of Art