

## 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 (1<sup>st</sup> class)

### Major selected exhibitions since 2004

- 2022 *Shima* solo, The Scottish Gallery, Edinburgh  
*Collect* with Crafts Scotland, London
- 2020 *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.  
Spencer Museum of Art, USA  
Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts, USA

## **Awards**

2022	Freedom of The Gold & Silver Wyre Drawers
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 (2 <sup>nd</sup> 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