

# **Julia Douglas**

## **Biography**

### **UNIVERSITY EDUCATION**

Grays School of Art, The Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen  
1998-1999 PGDip/MA Art & Design  
1994-1998 BA (Hons) Design & Craft: Textiles & Surface Decoration (2:1)

### **FURTHER TRAINING**

2001 - 2003 Tailoring & corsetry (p/t) - Aberdeen College  
2001 - 2002 Creative And Technical Skills (p/t) - Dundee Contemporary Arts Centre  
Scottish Arts Council funded training for professional artists in screen-printing, papermaking, bookbinding, exhibition & curatorial skills

### **SOLO & TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS**

2004 Winter Open Studios - Cockpit Arts café, London  
2002 Accoutre - The Foyer, Aberdeen  
2001 Home Comforts - The Foyer, Aberdeen  
Full Fat - Stranraer Museum, Stranraer  
A Fixed Abode - Peacock Visual Arts, Aberdeen  
2000 Retail Therapy - Limousine Bull, Aberdeen  
Threadbare - The Brander Museum, Huntly, Aberdeenshire/Deveron Arts

### **SELECTED EXHIBITIONS**

2006 Roter Salon - Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh  
Open Doors - Hospitalfield House, Arbroath  
Visual Arts Scotland Open - Royal Scottish Academy  
Royal Scottish Academy Open - Royal Scottish Academy  
2001- 2006 A5 Christmas Exhibition, Invited artist - Peacock Visual Arts, Aberdeen  
2005 Good Housekeeping - Blue, Teal & Silver, Wivelliscombe, Somerset  
2004 Insideout - Corridor Gallery, London  
2003 Konfuzion - Peacock Visual Arts  
Life after... - The Bridge Gallery, Aberdeen  
2002 Works in Progress - The V.R.C., Dundee Contemporary Arts, Dundee  
Traces - R.K.Burt Gallery, London  
2001 Creative Education - Gracefield Arts Centre, Dumfries  
2000 Just Now - Limousine Bull, Aberdeen  
Aberdeen Artists - Aberdeen Art Gallery  
1999 Flitting - 360 Contemporary Arts, Aberdeen & Vancouver  
1998 The Royal Glasgow Institute - The McLellan Gallery, Glasgow

### **AWARDS & COMMENDATIONS**

2006 Sally Schofield Memorial Prize - Visual Art Scotland  
2004 Artworks Award: Working With Artists - For Jist About A'hing produced by children at Peacock Visual Arts, Aberdeen  
2002 Aberdeen Visual Arts Awards Scheme - Aberdeen City Council  
2000 Shell Expro Award - Aberdeen Artists, Aberdeen Art Gallery  
2000 Commendation - Aberdeen Artists  
1998 N.S. MacFarlane Charitable Trust Award - The Royal Glasgow Institute

## **ARTIST RESIDENCIES**

05-09/2006

Hospitalfield House, Arbroath

Friends of the Royal Scottish Academy award

09/2000-06/2001

Gracefield Arts Centre, Dumfries

Creative Education Scheme, based in Stranraer Academy

10/1999-01/2000

Deveron Arts, Huntly, Aberdeenshire

Based in The Brander Museum

## **COMMISSIONS**

People Show Theatre Company, London

06/2005

People Show 114, The Obituary Show - Wardrobe

12/2004

Building Show 2004, We Are Here - Working with a group of 18 artists over one week to create a sight specific event. Involved costume, installation and performance work

02/2004

People Show 115, Play Dead - Wardrobe and props for the tour; installations at the venue; and maintaining and remaking costumes for the Edinburgh Festival Fringe

09/2004

Shunt, London

Tropicana (produced in collaboration with the National Theatre) - Breaking down costumes

05/2003-07/2003

Traverse Theatre, Edinburgh

Sourcing, making and altering costumes for Dark Earth and The People Next Door for the Edinburgh Festival

04-06/2003

Elbow Room Dance Company, Aberdeenshire

Sourcing and making costumes for touring production, Medsmama

04-05/2002

AAYT, Aberdeen

Designing sourcing and constructing garments for three productions

09/2000

Nova, Aberdeen

Sculpture for window display

07/2000

The John Lewis Partnership, Aberdeen

CAD textile banners for window display

12/1999-02/2000

The Sustrans Cycle Network

Permanent artwork for cycle route in Aberdeenshire

## **PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

07/2006-present

The Cockburn Association - Edinburgh

Development and Events Committee Member

## **PUBLICATIONS**

2006

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