

Susanna Callaghan

I immerse myself in the landscape until the energy, essence and emotional resonance flows out in splashes of colour and voluptuous shapes. These take form as mixed media paintings and photographs and can also emerge as sculptures of wood and stone.

Having recently moved to North Wales, my first impressions and responses are emerging through my camera lens. My camera is my paintbrush, capturing fleeting splashes of colour and light to reveal the emotional essence of a place, opening viewers' perceptions to different perspectives.



Education

I am largely self-taught over a period of 10 years, interspersed with intensive 1 to 1 and group trainings in specific skills:

- 2017: The Design Trust: Making the most of events course
- 2016: BSAA course: Making it as an Artist in the 21st century course
- 2014: Jennifer Tetlow – Sculpture in stone (2 days)
- 2013: Watercolour course with Niamh Hanlon, Staithes Art
- 2012: Steve Gosling - Landscape Photography course
- 2011: Michael McManus – Wood carving and sculpting 1 to 1 intensive (2 days)
- 2011: Tony Wilson 1 to 1, group courses and woodturning group sessions
- 2010: Matombo – Sculpture in stone with stone carvers from the Gambia
- 2010: Phil Greenwood - Wood turning courses

Society memberships

- 2010–2014: Snainton Woodturning Group, North Yorkshire
- 2009/2010: Thirlby Art Group, North Yorkshire

Group exhibitions

- 2017: Anglesey Arts Week Open Studios
- 2016: SeaThought Exhibition, Ucheldre Centre, Holyhead
- 2016: A5 Postcard Exhibition, Slate Quay, Caernarfon
- 2016: Mostyn, Llandudno
- 2015: North Yorkshire Open Studios
- 2014: York Minster photography exhibition

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Art prizes and Awards

2015: Harrogate Flower Show photography awards
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Commissions

2014: Scampston Hall, North Yorkshire – Interior photography of Scampston Hall

Collections

Private collections in North Yorkshire, Lancashire, Germany and USA.

Projects:

2013-2015: Scampston Hall and Gardens, North Yorkshire:
Documenting Grade II* William Richardson Conservatory renovation project.

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