

CATHERINE ROSS

Biography

1991 Born in Yellowknife, Canada
2010-2014 B.A in Fine Art Painting, Gray's School of Art, Aberdeen

Lives and works in rural Aberdeenshire, Scotland

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2024 *Instalments*, Ingleby, Edinburgh, UK
2022 *PHANTOMS*, Arusha Gallery, Edinburgh, UK
2019 *Hindsight*, Painting Graduate in Residence Solo Exhibition, Gray's School of Art, Aberdeen, UK
2016 *The Narrowing Sky*, Newave Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
2015 *Snowblind Eyes*, Newave Gallery, Aberdeen, UK

Selected Group Exhibitions

2024 *Frontiers: Painting in Scotland Now*, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
2023 *Royal Scottish Academy's Annual Exhibition*, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
2022 *Art at Kings Oaks*, Newtown, Pennsylvania, USA
2021 *Cruel Intentions*, Arusha Gallery, London, UK
Vignettes and Pathways, curated by Sam Drake, Glasgow International, Crownpoint Studios, Glasgow, UK
Group Exhibition, Rendezvous Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
Royal Scottish Academy Open Exhibition (online), Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
2020 *Resonant Strangeness (online)*, Marram Arts, Rendezvous Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
Group Exhibition, Rendezvous Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
Window Exhibition, Rendezvous Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
On the Table (online), Curated by Julie-Ann Simpson and Nicola Wiltshire, Marram Arts, Aberdeen, UK
Coming Home, Aberdeen Artists, UK
Group Show, Tatha Gallery, Fife, UK
2019 *Royal Glasgow Institute*, Kelly Gallery, Glasgow, UK
Joint Exhibition, Rendezvous Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
Royal Scottish Academy Open, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
2017 *More Alchemy*, Tatha Gallery, Fife, UK
Visual Artist Unit Members Show, Crownpoint Studios, 142 Crownpoint Road, Glasgow, UK

Dreamscapes, SMART, BP Exploration, Aberdeen, UK
Uncertain Territories, Seventeen, Aberdeen, UK
Royal Scottish Academy, Annual Exhibition, Invited Artist, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
Painted Space, Rendezvous Gallery, Aberdeen, UK

- 2016 *Winter Exhibition*, Tatha Gallery, Fife, UK
Visual Artist Unit Members Show, Gallery 1, St Margaret's House, Edinburgh, UK
RSA Annual Exhibition, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
Toaty-Wee, Visual Artist Unit, Visual Artist Unit Studios, Glasgow, UK
Stuffed Gallery, Newave Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
- 2015 *RSA Open Exhibition*, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
Royal Scottish Society of Painters in Watercolour Winter Exhibition, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
The Sunday Times Watercolour Competition & Exhibition, Mall Galleries, London, UK
Visual Artist Unit Members Show, Generator Projects, Dundee, UK
Corridor: Visual Arts Unit Members Show, Visual Artist Unit, VAU Studios, Glasgow, UK
Aberdeen Artists Society, Annual Exhibition, Suttie Arts Space, Grampian Hospitals Art Trust, NHS Grampian Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, Aberdeen, UK
Royal Scottish Academy New Contemporaries, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
Royal Scottish Society of Painters in Watercolour Winter Exhibition, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
- 2014 *Undercurrents*, Arusha Art Gallery, Edinburgh, UK
Woon Painting and Sculpture Prize, Gallery North, Baltic 39, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK
Degree Show: *Open Your Eyes*, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
Opening Credits: Gray's School of Art Pre-Degree Show, St. Margaret's House, Edinburgh Arts Complex, Edinburgh, UK
Aberdeen Artists Society Annual Exhibition, Aberdeen Art Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
The Model, Edinburgh College of Art, Edinburgh, UK
- 2013 *SPD Competition & Exhibition*, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
Group Exhibition in support of Mental Health Awareness, Oil and Glass Gallery, Aberdeen, UK
- 2012 *Drawing Competition & Exhibition*, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK

Residencies and Awards

- 2021 David Muirhead Purchase Fund, Royal Scottish Academy Open Exhibition, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
- 2019 Royal Drawing School's Scottish Artist Residency, Dumfries House, Ayrshire, UK
Self-Directed Research, Alberta (Banff National Park, Jasper National Park) British Columbia, Canada
Royal Drawing School's Scottish Artist Residency, Dumfries House, Ayrshire, Scotland, Awarded by Royal Drawing School, London, UK
- 2018 Artist in Residence, Tobermory Distillery, Distell Group Ltd. Ledaig, Tobermory, Isle of Mull, UK
- 2017 Graduate in Residence, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
Hope Scott Trust Award, The Hope Scott Trust, Murray Beith Murray, Aberdeen, UK

- Resident Artist, Scottish Sculpture Workshop Summer Artist in Residence Programme, Scottish Sculpture Workshop, Lumsden, UK
- 2016 Graduate in Residence, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
Invited Artist, RSA Annual Exhibition curated by Marian Leven, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
- 2015 RSA William Littlejohn Award for Excellence and Innovation in Water-based Media Travel Award, The Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
Off The Rails Arthouse, Workshop Prize at the RSA Open Exhibition, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
David and June Gordon Memorial Trust Award, RSA New Contemporaries, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
RSA William Littlejohn Award for Excellence and Innovation in Water-based Media Yellowknife, NWT Canada, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
- 2014 Self-Directed Research, Alberta, Banff National Park & Jasper National Park, Canada
Woon Foundation Painting and Sculpture Prize, Judges Prize. Northumbria University, Baltic 39, Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK
Woon Painting and Sculpture Prize, Shortlist, Northumbria University, Baltic 39, Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK
BP Fine Art Award. Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
Selected Artist, Royal Scottish Academy's New Contemporaries. Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, UK
- 2013 SPD Competition Award, 2nd Place Award. Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University Aberdeen, UK
Carnegie Trust Vacation Scholarship Award, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
Carnegie Vacation Scholarship Award to Birsay, Carnegie Trust, Orkney Islands, Andrew Carnegie House, Pittencrieff Street, Dunfermline, Fife, UK
- 2012 Jen Beattie Life Drawing Prize, Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK
David and June Gordon Memorial Prize, for Life Drawing Gray's School of Art, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, UK

Collections

- 2016 RSA Permanent Collection, The Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, Scotland, Private Collections

Publications

- 2019 Scottish Art News Magazine, Flemming Wyfold Art Foundation
- 2016 A North Within, Sarah Laurenson, The Island Review
- 2015 RSA New Contemporaries: All Hail the Class of 2014, Adam Benmakhlof, The Skinny
New Contemporaries 2015 at the RSA, Edinburgh, Giles Sutherland, The Times.
New Contemporaries, Scotsman
Review: RSA New Contemporaries 2015, Edinburgh, The Herald
- 2014 From a land of ice and snow: Gray's graduate up for major art award, Laura Smith, STV
Life After Art School: Catherine Ross, Central Station
Artist to Watch – Catherine Ross, MoMa UK
Catherine Ross: Interview, MoMa UK
Woon Art Prize Catalogue, Northumbria University
Jenny Rush, Gray's School of Art