

Catharine Somerville

Herringbroom Studio

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Catharine Somerville was born in Canada and lives both in the UK and Canada. She works as a painter, print maker an architect/designer, set designer, and teacher. Her work is in private collections throughout Canada, The United States, England, Mexico and the Caribbean. .

Recently, Catharine has been visiting remote areas of Canada focusing on the state of the natural world.

Education:

2006 -08 Post Graduate, Visual Arts Degree, Sussex University, West Dean College, UK

2005 British Institute of Florence, Italy

1999-2003 Humanities (Art History), Open University, UK

1978 Cape Cod Conservatory of Music and Arts, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

1977 Three Schools, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

1973 Georgian College, Ontario, Canada

1970 York University, Ontario, Canada

More:

In 1992 Catharine started an artist's co-operative called Herringbroom Studio, in Sussex. Professional artists and academic lecturers are invited to provide a supportive teaching base for artists who need to expand their ideas and work practice.

Herringbroom Studio has been written about in The Times newspaper, London, UK

Catharine continues to teach art and paint at both in England and in Canada.

Web: www.catharinesomerville.com

Selected Exhibitions: Solo

2013 Geraldine's Gallery – “My Grandmother's House” , Ottawa, Canada

2011 Westerkirk Works of Art, “Into the Wild”, Elmwood Spa Gallery, Toronto, Ontario

2011 Upper House Gallery, “Art at Upper House”, Chichester, West Sussex, UK

2009 Upper House Gallery – “Catharine Somerville” Chichester, UK

2009 Arundel Gallery Trail - “A Woodland”, Arundel, UK

2008 Westerkirk Works of Art Gallery - “Fireflies”, The Elmwood Spa, Toronto, Canada

2008 Edward James Museum, “ Surreal Eden Firefly” Las Pozas, Xilitla, Mexico

2007 Upper House Gallery- “Catharine Somerville”, Chichester, UK

2005 Upper House Gallery - “The Sea, Chichester, UK

2003 Herringbroom Studio Gallery- West Sussex, UK

1998 Elmwood Gallery- Elmwood Club, Toronto, Canada

1997 Glengowan Studio - “Northwest Passages”, Toronto, Canada

Group Shows:

2011 Artel Contemporary - “PRELUDE”, Guildhall, Priory Park, Chichester, UK

2010 Sussex Barn Gallery - “5x5”, Chichester, West Sussex, UK

2010 Upper House Gallery – “Esemplastic”, Chichester, West Sussex, UK

2010 Artel Contemporary- “Blake's Heaven”, Guildhall, Priory Park, Chichester, UK

2011 The Spring Gallery- “Conversations”, Havant, UK

2009 Artel Contemporary- Art Trail, West Sussex, UK

2009 Arundel Festival, West Sussex, UK

2009 Upper House Gallery- "Latitudes", Chichester, West Sussex, UK

2009 Firle Place Gallery, - "The Garden Show" Brighton, UK

2008 Sussex Barn Gallery-Degree Show, West Dean College, UK

2008 Artel Studio Trust- "Transept Traverse", Chichester, UK

2006 Upper House Gallery- "Explorations", Chichester, UK

1999 Oxmarket Galleries, Chichester, West Sussex, UK

1997 Midhurst Gallery, "Reflections of Constable" UK

2004 Mall Galleries Royal Society of British Artists- London, UK

1993 Herringbroom Studio Gallery-London Art Fair, Islington, London, UK

1990 "At the Markets" -St. John's, Antigua and Galley Bay, West Indies

1990 Brighton Art Fair, Brighton, West Sussex, UK

1989 Midhurst Gallery, West Sussex, UK

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Juried Shows

2013-Gallery 1313, Eco Art Exhibition" , Toronto, Canada

2012- Gallery 1313- "The Canadian Landscape" , Toronto, Canada

2001 Arundel Art Festival, West Sussex, UK

2000 Carter Gallery, Treyford, West Sussex, UK

1996 Brighton Art Fair, Brighton, UK

1995 Oxmarket Galleries, Chichester, West Sussex, UK

1994 Herringbroom Studio, West Sussex, UK

1992 Royal Academy Summer Show, London, UK

1991 Royal Academy Summer Show, London, UK

1990, Arundel Festival Gallery Trail, West Sussex, UK

Awards:

2007 The Chairman's Prize, Edward James Foundation, West Dean College, UK

1975 The Gryphon Theatre Prize, Georgian College, Barrie Ontario

Commissions and Collections:

Mr. and Mrs. A Armitage

Baron and Baroness B Von Schenk

Ms. Twanette Tharp, Tharp Design Build, Martha's Vineyard, U.S.A.

Mr. John Schley, New Jersey, U.S.A.

Las Pozas, Edward James Foundation, Mexico

West Dean College, Sussex Barn Gallery, UK

Ms. Holly Brydson, British Columbia, Canada

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dillane, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Ms. Gaye Sihin, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Mrs. Diane Somerville, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Westerkirk Capital, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Somerville National Leasing, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Elmwood Spa, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Responsive Health Management Inc., Ontario, Canada, Mr. William Dillane, St. Richard's Hospital, Chichester, West Sussex, UK

St Richard's Hospital, Chichester, UK

Petworth Surgery, West Sussex, UK

1980 Midhurst Gallery Award, UK

2006 Chairman's Prize, West Dean College, Sussex University, UK

1974 Gryphon Theatre Prize, Georgian College, Barrie, Ontario, Canada

Residencies:

Artist in Residence, Gibraltar Point Centre for the Arts, Toronto, Canada

2010 Artist in Residence, Sherry Bydson, Honey Harbour Georgian Bay, Canada

2009 Artist in Residence, Gibraltar Point Centre for the Arts, Artscape, Toronto, Canada,

2008 Edward James Foundation, Las Pozas, Xilitla, Mexico

1996 Banff School Fine Art, Alberta, Canada

1978 Galley Bay, St. John's, Antigua, West Indies

Publications and Press:

Bridget Woods L.S.I.A.D. Life Drawing Book Homes and Gardens, London, UK

Country Living, London, UK

The Observer, Chichester, UK

Interiors Magazine, Daily Mail, London, UK The Times, London, UK

Mexico Xilitla – El Mantra de Valles, Mexico Chichester and Midhurst Observer, UK CNW Group, Toronto, Canada