

Nicola Hicks MBE FRSS

b. 1960, London, UK

Education

1978/82	Chelsea School of Art
1982/85	Royal College of Art

Solo Exhibitions

2025	<i>Nicola Hicks: Dressed for the Woods</i> , Messums West, Salisbury, UK
2021	<i>Nicola Hicks: Dump Circus</i> , Flowers Gallery, Kingsland Road, London
2018	<i>Nicola Hicks</i> , Flowers Gallery, New York, USA <i>Nicola Hicks</i> , Tayloe Piggott Gallery, Wyoming, USA
2017	<i>Wabbling Back to the Fire</i> , Flowers Gallery Kingsland Road, London
2015	<i>Pause</i> , Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London Tayloe Piggott Gallery, Wyoming, USA
2014	<i>Nicola Hicks</i> , Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London
2013-2014	Yale Centre for British Art, New Haven, USA
2013	<i>Sorry, Sorry Sarajevo</i> , St Pauls Cathedral, London <i>Nicola Hicks</i> , Flowers Gallery, New York
2012	<i>Close Up</i> , Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London
2011	<i>Aesop's Fables</i> , Flowers Gallery, Kingsland Road, London
2010	Cliffe Castle Museum Keighley, Bradford Lister Park, Cartwright Hall, Bradford
2009	<i>A Walk in the Park</i> , Flowers Gallery Cork Street, London <i>Nicola Hicks: Bronze Sculpture 1993-2009</i> , Flowers Gallery, Kingsland Road, London
2008	<i>Circus</i> , Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London
2007	Flowers Gallery, New York Eden Rock Hotel, St Barts <i>Animal Etchings</i> , Stephanie Burns Fine Art, Yarralumla, Australia
2005	<i>Drawings</i> , Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London Abbott Hall, Kendal
2004	<i>Nicola Hicks</i> , Flowers Gallery, New York
2003	<i>Sculpture, Drawings and Prints</i> , Flowers & Flowers Graphics, London New Grafton Gallery, London <i>Sculpture at Schoenthal Monastery</i> , Langenbuck, Switzerland <i>Monuments to Love</i> , Flowers East, London <i>Nicola Hicks</i> , Newby Hall, Yorkshire

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2002 Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London

2001 Flowers West, Santa Monica, California

2000 *Nicola Hicks at Newby Hall*, Newby Hall, Yorkshire

1999 Flowers West, Santa Monica, California, USA
Galerie Rachlin Lemarie-Beaubourg, Paris, France
Outrageous Fortune, Ferens Art Gallery, Hull
Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow, Scotland

1998 *Outrageous Fortune*, Flowers East, London

1997 Riverside Studios, London
Galerie de Bellefeuille, Quebec, Canada
Art 28 '97, Basel
Belloc Lowndes Fine Art, Chicago, USA

1996 Aberystwyth Arts Centre, Wales
Flowers Gallery, London Fields, London
Furtive Imagination, Whitworth Art Gallery, Manchester; Yorkshire Sculpture Park, Wakefield

1995 *Sculpture and Drawings*, Djanogly Art Gallery, University of Nottingham

1994 Flowers East at London Fields, London

1993 Peter Scott Gallery, Lancaster
Castlefield Gallery, Manchester

1992 Flowers East, London

1991 *Fire and Brimstone*, Flowers East, London; Watermans Art Centre, Brentford
Drawings, Tegnerforbundet, Oslo, Norway

1990 *Envelope Drawings and Small Paintings*, Flowers East, London
The Economist, London

1989 Flowers East, London

1988 Flowers East, London

1987 Beaux Arts, Bath

1986 Angela Flowers (Ireland) Inc., Co. Cork
Angela Flowers Gallery, London

1985 Angela Flowers Gallery, London

1984 *Artist of the Day*, Angela Flowers Gallery, London

Selected Group Exhibitions

2026 *56 in 26*, Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London

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London Art Fair, Business Design Centre, London
Messums Editions, Messums London, London

2025 *august (adj)*, Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London
The Women's Art Collection: Conversation Not Spectacle, Murray Edwards College, Cambridge, UK

2024 *PRESENCE: The Figure in British Postwar and Contemporary Sculpture*, Messums West, Salisbury

2023 *The Brink*, Ugly Duck, London

2021 *Un/Natural Selection: Wildlife in Contemporary Art*, The National Museum of Wildlife Art, Jackson Hole, Wyoming
The Self-Portrait Prize Exhibition 2021, Coventry Cathedral, Coventry
50 x 50, Flowers Gallery, Kingsland Road, London
FiredUp4 Ceramics, Maak, Ham Yard Hotel, London and Online

2020 *Revisiting The Decameron*, Flowers Gallery, Online

2019 *Flowers Contemporary III*, Flowers Gallery, New York
Flowers Contemporary II, Flowers Gallery, Kingsland Road, London
Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy of Arts, London
Photographs / Contemporary Art: Recent Gifts and Acquisitions, Yale Center for British Art, New Haven
Motherline, Flowers Gallery, Kingsland Road, London

2018 *Push the Boat Out*, The Art Academy, London

2017 *Mono: An Exhibition of Unique Prints*, Flowers Gallery Kingsland Road, London

2016 *Pop-Up Exhibition of Flowers Gallery Artists*, Nockart Gallery, Hong Kong
The Ruth Borchard Collection: The Next Generation Self-Portraiture in the 21st Century, Piano Nobile, London
Ruth Borchard Self-Portrait Prize: The Winners, Pallant House Gallery, Chichester
Winter Group Show 2016, Flowers Gallery, New York

2015 *Small is Beautiful*, Flowers Gallery, Cork Street, London
Ruth Borchard Self-Portrait Prize 2015, Pallant House, London
Silent Movies Art Exhibition, Q Car Park, Cavendish Square, London
The British Figure, Flowers Kingsland Road, London
Homo Sapiens, Beaux Arts, London
Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy of Arts, London

2014 *Reflections of War*, Flowers Kingsland Road, London
Face to Face, The Baker Museum, Artis-Naples, USA; Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, USA

2013 *The Universal Addressability of Dumb Things*, Hayward Gallery Touring exhibition; Venice Biennale, Italy; The Bluecoat Gallery, Liverpool; Nottingham Contemporary, Nottingham; De La Warr Pavilion, Bexhill on Sea
Stranger, An Exhibition of Self Portraits, Flowers Kingsland Road, London

2012 *Angela Flowers at 80*, Flowers Kingsland Road, London
12 British Artists, Flowers New York, USA

2010 *Exhibitionism, The Art of Display*, The Courtauld Institute of Art, London

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Standing Room Only, A Modern Human Portrait, Flowers Kingsland Road, London

2009 *Summer Exhibition*, Royal Academy, London
Life Vividly Lived, Inishturkbeg, Flowers Central, London

2006 *Heads*, Flowers East, London
Drawing Inspiration, Abbot Hall Gallery, Kendal
25th Anniversary Exhibition, Beaux Arts, Bath

2005 Tyringham Hall, Buckinghamshire
Contemporary Nudes, Flowers East, London
Angela Flowers Gallery 35th Anniversary Exhibition, Flowers Central, London

2004 *Sculpture in the Park*, Ayckley Heads, Durham
Flowers West at Keller and Greene, Los Angeles, USA
NAKED, Royal West of England Academy, Bristol

2003 *5th Anniversary Exhibition*, Flowers West, California
Presence, Lincoln Cathedral, Lincoln

2002/03 *Sterling Stuff*, Touring Exhibition; Gallery Pangolin, Chalford; Sigurjon Olafsson Museum, Reykjavik, Iceland; Royal Academy, London; Ashbourne Gallery, Derbyshire
The Contemporary Sculpture Park, Newby Hall, Yorkshire

2002 The Contemporary Sculpture Park, Newby Hall, Yorkshire

2001 *Mirror-Mirror, Self Portraits by Women Artists*, National Portrait Gallery, London
2000 *Angela Flowers Gallery 30th Anniversary Exhibition*, Flowers East, London
Holland Park Sculpture Exhibition, London
Wild Tigers of Bandhavgarh – The Burrell Collection, Glasgow, Scotland

1999 *Sculpture in the Garden (The Pleasure of Influence)*, Deans Court, Wimborne, Dorset
The Shape of the Century-100 years of sculpture in Britain, Salisbury Cathedral; Canary Wharf, London
Animal, Musee Bourdelle, Paris, France

1998 Animal Crackers at Virgin Gatwick, London
British Figurative Art: Drawings for Sculptures, Galerie Rachlin Lemarié Beaubourg, Paris, France
Crusade, Edinburgh Art Gallery, Scotland
Animal Pride (Charity Exhibition Animal Aid), Slaughterhouse Gallery, London
British Figurative Art Part 2: Sculpture, Flowers East, London

1997 *Marking Presences*, ArtSway, Hampshire
Foundations of Fame, The London Institute
The Body Politic, Wolverhampton Art Gallery

1996 *The Hare*, The City Gallery, Leicester
Hove Museum and Art Gallery
Naked, Flowers East at London Fields, London
Current Issues, Royal College of Art, London
Markovitch Gallery, Miami, USA
Belloc Lowndes Fine Art, Chicago, USA

1995 Atrium Gallery, Coopers & Lybrand, London
25th Anniversary Exhibition, Flowers East at London Fields, London
The Economist Student Summer Exhibitions 1985-1995, London

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Flowers at Koplin, Koplin Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

1994 *Dialogue with the Other*, Kunsthallen Brandts Klaedefabrik, Odense, Denmark
Norrkopings Museum, Norrkopings, Sweden
The Downeen Decade, Angela Flowers (Ireland) Inc., Co. Cork
2nd RWA Open Sculpture Exhibition 1994, Bristol (invited artist)

1993 *Fish*, Gainsborough's House, Suffolk
Drawing Towards Sculpture, ISIS Gallery and Art Institute, Leigh-On-Sea
1st RWA Open Sculpture Exhibition 1993, Bristol (Morris Singer Award)

1992 Millfield British 20th Century Sculpture Exhibition, Somerset

1991 *Inaugural exhibition*, Lannon Cole Gallery, Chicago, USA
Noah's Ark, The Minories Gallery, Colchester
The Downeen Collection, Angela Flowers (Ireland) Inc., Co. Cork

1990 *Sculptors' Drawings*, Cleveland Bridge Gallery, Bath
The Drawings Show, Thumb Gallery, London
Bryan Kneale's Choice, Dover Street Arts Club, London
The Discerning Eye, Mall Galleries, London

1989/1990 *Angela Flowers Gallery 1970-1990*, Concourse Gallery, Barbican Centre, London

1988 Hakone Open Air Museum, Japan (British representative)
Veksolund Udstilling for Sculpture, Copenhagen
Out of Clay, Manchester City Art Gallery

1987 Henry Moore Memorial Exhibition, India
Edinburgh Festival Show, The Scottish Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland
Art in the City, Lloyds Building, London
Cats, Louise Hallett Gallery, London
Process and Product, Turnpike Gallery, Leigh

1986 *Works in Clay*, Nigel Greenwood Gallery, London
Sixteen, Angela Flowers Gallery, London
The Human Zoo, Castle Museum, Nottingham
The Bretton Menagerie, Yorkshire Sculpture Park, Wakefield
Anti-Thesis, Angela Flowers Gallery, London

1985 *Prelude*, Kettles Yard, Cambridge
Hayward Annual, Hayward Gallery, London
Economart, Public Art Development Trust, London
The '85 Show, Serpentine Gallery, London
Menagerie, Ramsgate Library
British Art, Printemps, Paris
CAS Market, Smith's Gallery, London
Inaugural Exhibition, Damon Brandt Gallery, New York, USA

1984 International Garden Festival, Liverpool: Sculpture Garden

1983 Portland Clifftops Sculpture Park
Sculptural Drawings, Ruskin College, Oxford

1982 Christie's Inaugural Graduate Exhibition, London

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PUBLIC COMMISSIONS

Monument to the Brown Dog, Battersea Park

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Arthur Andersen
Brentwood High School, Essex
Castle Museum, Norwich
Chase Manhattan Bank
Chatsworth House, Derbyshire
Contemporary Art Society
The Contemporary Art Museum St. Louis and the Gateway Foundation, USA
Coopers & Lybrand
Djanogly Art Gallery, The University of Nottingham Arts Centre
Drumcroon Education Centre, Wigan
Government Art Collection
Grand Valley State University Collection
Hakone Open Air Museum
Huddersfield Art Gallery
Ipswich County Council
Kentuck Knob, Pennsylvania
Tate Gallery
Yale Centre for British Art, Connecticut

ARTIST IN RESIDENCE

Brentwood High School
Residency at Yorkshire Sculpture Park
Manchester City Art Gallery: Work on site for Out of Clay
New York Academy, New York