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Exhibitions (selected)

Solo Exhibitions

2008 Solo Gallery at Brux Musee des Arts in Poitou-Charente France.

Juried Exhibitions

2020 SAQA, Wide Horizons VII exhibition, due to open at Carrefour Europeen du Patchwork, Saint Marie-aux-Mines, France 2021.

2019 SAQA, Made in Europe III, opening at West Country Quilt and Textile Show in Bristol, UK and then part of touring exhibition at several European venues.

2018 SAQA, Wide Horizons VI, opening at Carrefour Europeen du Patchwork, Saint Marie-aux-Mines, France and then part of touring exhibition at several European venues.

2018 World Quilt Competition XXI, in travelling exhibition around USA

2017 Contemporary Quilt 'In Print' exhibition, opening at West Country Quilt Festival, UK and then travelling around UK.

2016 Bernina Orient exhibition, toured to venues in Poland, Kazakhstan, Germany, Czech Republic and the U.K.

2016 SAQA, Wide Horizons V exhibition opening at Carrefour Europeen du Patchwork, Saint Marie aux Mines, Alsace and then part of touring exhibition at several Europe venues.

2015 Contemporary Quilt 'Elements' exhibition, opening at Festival of Quilts Birmingham and then touring around UK.

2012 Europe Quilting Association EQA gallery XII, opening exhibition at Festival of Quilts Birmingham (representing UK & Spain) and then touring venues in Europe.

2011 Quilters' Guild of the British Isles Great Britain 'Summer in the Park' exhibition at Rufford Abbey Park, Nottinghamshire UK.

2011 European Art Quilt Association, EQA gallery XI, opening exhibition at The Festival of Quilts, Birmingham, UK and then touring venues in Europe.

Invited Exhibitions

2018 Quiltköping, Vänermuseet museum, Lidköping, Sweden.

2014 European Patchwork Meeting 20th anniversary exhibition, Saint Marie-aux-Mines, France.

2013 Contemporary Expressions exhibition 'Hidden Treasures' in 19th Carrefour Europeen du Patchwork, Saint Marie-aux-Mines, France (curator and contributor).

2009 Quilters' Guild commemorative exhibition at Sutton Hoo in Suffolk, UK.

Group Exhibitions

2014-18 Longarm Learning Curve Radiance Challenge I-V, touring UK with Grosvenor Shows.

2007-12 Contemporary Expressions exhibitions :

'Enigmatic' at Bletchley Park, UK

'Scottish Artists' at Loch Lomond, Scotland

'Footloose & Fancy Free' at Northampton Shoe Museum, UK

'Aqua Vitae' at Quilts in the Garden Show, UK

'Power of Red' at AEP show in Sitges, Spain

'Aqua Vitae' at Expo in Zaragoza Spain

'Stepping Out' at Northampton Shoe Museum, UK

Other Exhibitions

2010 QGBI Region 10th anniversary exhibition at St Anthony's Hall York (curator and juror).

Judging

- 2020 Festival of Quilts (virtual) - Contemporary quilts
- 2019 Prague Patchwork Meeting, judge, Art and Traditional
- 2019 Jersey Eisteddfod, Textile Art adjudicator
- 2019 Prague Patchwork Meeting, judge, Art and Challenge
- 2018 Quiltköping, Sweden, SAQA juror, Art, Modern and Traditional
- 2014-18 Festival of Quilts, Birmingham, UK, Art, Contemporary, 2 person and QGBI challenge
- 2015 Juror for On the Edge exhibition of the Contemporary Quilt group of QGBI
- 2013 Juror for CQ @ 10 exhibition of the Contemporary Quilt group of QGBI
- 2011-13 Festival de Patchwork , Asociación Espanola de Patchwork, Sitges, Spain
- 2012 QGBI Bletchley Park quilt show – lead judge for Secret Messages competition
- 2010-12 Royal Dublin Society Crafts competition - Traditional and Contemporary
- 2010 Juror for :
 - QGBI Diversity in Europe – member of the jury panel for the UK selection
 - Quilts in the Cathedral exhibition in Lincoln Cathedral, UK
 - Region 10 exhibition at St Anthony’s Hall, York, UK.
- 2010 Loch Lomond Quilt Show
- 2009 Festival of Quilts - Art Quilts; QGBI Challenge
- 2009 Royal Dublin Society Crafts competition - traditional and contemporary sections
- 2009 Quilts in the Garden Show
- 2008 Qualified as Judge with Quilters’ Guild of British Isles.

Publications

- 2020 Quilt Italia Volume XXIV No1, ‘Intervista a Brenda Wroe’ p36-39
- 2018 SAQA Journal Vol 28, No4, ‘First-time SAQA judge travels to Sweden’ p27-29
- 2018 Rikstacket Winter vol 120, Vad tittat en Kviltomare pa p9-11
- 2018 In Print QGBI Contemporary Quilt Catalogue p12
- 2018 Wide Horizons VI SAQA Catalogue p31
- 2016 On the Edge QGBI Contemporary Quilt Catalogue p4
- 2016 Wide Horizons V SAQA Catalogue pp62-63
- 2015 Elements QGBI Contemporary Quilt Catalogue p19
- 2012 CQ @ 10 QGBI Contemporary Quilt Catalogue p117

Professional Affiliations

- 2018- International Officer QGBI
- 2016- Voices in Cloth (UK exhibiting group)
- 2013- SAQA member
- 2008-11 Chair of Judging committee QGBI
- 2006-14 Contemporary Expressions (UK exhibiting group)
- 2003- The Quilters' Guild of the British Isles
- 2004- Contemporary Quilt, QGBI Miniature Group

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