

## CAROLYNE KARDIA



Carolyne Kardia studied at St Martin's School of Art and then the Royal College of Art in London, receiving an MA in sculpture in 1977. She also completed a postgraduate diploma in art and psychology at Hertfordshire College of Art. Her early work took the form of sculptural installation with cast components made in response to the architecture of particular gallery spaces. Painting became a central part of her practice once she began to work in colour. She continues to make site-specific sculpture, often in conjunction with two-dimensional work. Of her bold use of pigment, Kardia says: "The colours aim to speak of themselves, to be disassociated from their method of application and soar above themselves, but equally they are rooted in the materiality of pigment and surface."

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### **Selected Exhibitions**

2010 Royal united Hospital, Bath

2010 Open View Bath

2010 Ambika P3 Westminster London

2010 Allsop Gallery Bridport Dorset

2009 Widecombe Studios Bath

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2009 Commission Kings Fund, Northampton Hospital  
2009 Nine Springs Yeovil Somerset  
2008 Millers Barn, Plush, Dorset  
2008 Space Gallery, Bridport Dorset  
2008 Chemotherapy Department Dorchester County Hospital  
2008 Ashcroft Arts Centre. Hampshire  
2008 Scientific Institute, Bath  
2007 Blyth Gallery Manchester  
2007 Widecombe Studios, Bath  
2007 Millers Barn, Plush Dorset  
2007 Lyons Davidson Bristol, Avon  
2007 Telephone Exchange, Beaminster Dorset  
2006 City Hall Jules Thorn Group Project London  
2006 Millers Barn, Plush, Dorset  
2006 St Mary's Church Swanage, Dorset  
2005 Dialysis Unit, St Pancras Hospital, London  
2005 Conference Centre, St Pancras Hospital London  
2005 Widecombe Studios Bath  
2005 Sherborne House Dorset  
2004/5 Royal United Hospital Bath, Somerset  
2004/5 Sherborne School for Girls Commission. Evershot, Dorset  
2004 Sticklands School Painting Commission, Evershot Dorset.  
2004 Victoria Miro Gallery, London  
2003/4 Blyth Gallery, Manchester  
2003 Rope Store Studio Gallery, Gloucestershire  
2003 Dorset County Museum  
2002 Max-Planck-Institut, Berlin  
2002 Sherborne House, Dorset  
2001 London House, Brussels

2001 Café Arts Gallery, Axminster  
2001 Llewellyn Gallery, London  
2000 Schwanenwerder, Berlin  
2000 Aquariana, Berlin  
2000 Bridport Community Hospital  
1999 Community Art, Yeovil Hospital (ongoing)  
1998 Town Mill, Lyme Regis  
1997 Meeting House, Ilminster  
1991 109 Charing Cross Road, London  
1982 Architectural Association, London  
1980 Felicity Samuel Gallery, London  
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### **Awards**

2003 Arts Council Award  
2003 Moule Trust Fund  
2003 South West Arts Exhibition Award  
2002 British Council Travel Award  
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