

# artinhealthcare

At the Edinburgh Art Fair 15 – 17 November 2013

Edinburgh Corn Exchange,  
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Three Part Myth by Kate Downie

## Kate Downie 'Bridge Stories'

A one hour talk about working on, over and under the Forth Bridges as an artist over the last 20 years.

For this one off talk (4pm Saturday) for Art in Healthcare, Kate will share some of her adventures as an artist of the Bridges, as well as showing a full range of rarely seen Bridge art in her slide talk.

Kate Downie is an American born British landscape artist whose career over the past 30 years has spanned the media of painting, drawing, printmaking, performance and film. Trained at Gray's

School of Art in Aberdeen, Scotland, she has participated in international artist's residencies since 1983, having made her work in response to environments as diverse as a North Sea oil production platform, a brewery, a maternity hospital, telephone mast sites and bridge structures.

## Alan McGowan

### 'Painting from Preparatory Sketches'

Talented figurative painter, Alan McGowan, will demonstrate how he uses preparatory sketches to inform his paintings. There will be two opportunities to watch Alan work with oils on Friday (noon and 2pm)

Alan McGowan is based in Scotland. He teaches drawing and painting at Leith School of Art, and is a visiting lecturer in drawing and anatomy to The Royal Hibernian Academy in Dublin, The Museum of London, and The Bristol School of Drawing, amongst others.



Untitled by Alan McGowan



Sanctuary by Jacqueline Watt

## Jacqueline Watt 'From Start to Finish'

Jacqueline is an Edinburgh based artist who works mainly in mixed media. Her most recent paintings are landscape inspired. As recipient of the Charles Rennie Mackintosh Residency in Collioure, South of France, Jacqueline is currently developing a large body of strong, expressive and colourful paintings, inspired by her stay there.

Jacqueline's art talk at noon and demonstration at 2pm (both Saturday) will illustrate her working process, from first study through to finished paintings.

## Damian Callan 'Art in Motion'

Damian Callan has created several 'Giant Drawing' performances over the past couple of years. The most recent charcoal drawing 'The Marathon' was completed during the Edinburgh Marathon weekend and featured participating athletes and visitors to the event, either as runners or members of the cheering crowd.



Imaginatively titled, 'The Art Fair' will begin as a blank 1.5m x 4m sheet of paper at the start of The Edinburgh Art Fair 2013. Using volunteer models from the visiting public the drawing will be started during the charity preview on Thursday evening and built up over the course of the weekend. The work will be offered for sale and the proceeds will go to Art in Healthcare.

Damian Callan is a figurative painter based in Edinburgh where he exhibits his work at The Scottish Gallery. He teaches at The National Galleries of Scotland and writes for *Artists and Illustrators* magazine.

## Leo du Feu 'Children's Art Workshops'

Inspired by landscape and nature in artworks from the Art in Healthcare collection, with Leo's guidance, children will have fun exploring nature through drawing, painting and collage. Each participant will leave the workshop with a picture to take home. These one hour long art "play sessions" run each day at 12pm, 2pm and 4pm. Please contact AiH to book a place for your child as space is limited.

Scottish painter Leo du Feu has worked as a full-time freelance artist since graduating from Edinburgh College of Art in 2006. Leo is a keen birdwatcher and supporter of conservation. Landscape and nature are his inspiration and he regularly explores and works out of doors thanks to support from rail operator ScotRail. His art is exhibited across Scotland and the UK and has been recognised through various awards. Leo carries out regular tutoring and commission work.



## Amelia Calvert 'The Healing Qualities of Art'

Amelia Calvert is a qualified occupational therapist and the Outreach Manager at Art in Healthcare. Amelia will talk about the successes of Art in Healthcare's growing outreach programme over the last 18 months, using slides and giving specific examples of art workshops in a range of different healthcare settings. She will also chat with one of the workshop artists, Leo du Feu, hearing about his experience facilitating the workshops in an informal Q&A format before taking questions from the audience. (Talk takes place noon Sunday)

## Trevor Jones 'Why do Hospitals Need Art?'

Trevor Jones is the Director of Art in Healthcare and a professional artist. He graduated with an MA in Fine Art from Edinburgh University with an academic focus on the connection between nature, landscape painting and the healing process.

While looking at artworks owned by Art in Healthcare Trevor's presentation (2pm Sunday) will explore the value of art in the healing environment. Trevor will also discuss how AiH is now using its Collection in more dynamic ways to engage a much larger audience and how the charity is expanding by helping NHS Health Boards care for their own extensive Collections.



Madonna of the Bass Rock by John Bellany

# Please fill in and return to Art in Healthcare

(Book early as space is limited)

Entry into the Edinburgh Art Fair is £5 but the Art in Healthcare artist talks, demos and children's workshops are free

Please mark the events you would like to attend.

Time	Day	Artist	Title	√
12:00 PM	Friday 15th	Alan McGowan	Painting from Sketches	
2:00 PM	Friday 15th	Alan McGowan	Painting from Sketches	
12:00 PM	Saturday 16th	Jacqueline Watt	From Start to Finish (talk)	
2:00 PM	Saturday 16th	Jacqueline Watt	From Start to Finish (demo)	
4:00 PM	Saturday 16th	Kate Downie	Bridge Stories	
12:00 PM	Sunday 17th	Amelia Calvert	The Healing Qualities of Art	
2:00 PM	Sunday 17th	Trevor Jones	Why do Hospitals Need Art?	
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