

ARTISTS in ACTION Harrogate

Susan Chapman

Susan Chapman is a professional artist, tutor and lecturer in stitched textiles and contemporary art practice. She exhibits and sells her work both nationally and internationally, and is a member of the European group ArtQuiltFusion, as well as the British groups, Studio21, ByDesign, and Room 6. She is also a Member of the Society of Designer Craftsmen.

Susan's work makes use of her observation of people gathering. This demands very fast sketches as she tries to capture their place in the world and how they interact with it. She is concerned with the effect modern life is having and the potential isolation it brings, and is aware of the passage of time, looking forward to the future as well as feeling the emotional attachment of her past.

She has exhibitions throughout the U.K. and Europe during 2016, including shows with all the groups she belongs to; a two man show with Kim Thittichai; and culminating in a solo show in Maastricht in October.



Susan has written and teaches Higher Education courses at Eastleigh College, Southampton, and runs her own studio, **The Granary Studio**, from which she also organises a programme of visiting tutors including, Life Drawing, Eco-Printing, a full programme of stitch courses and specialist dayschools. Shortly she will be teaching the Patchwork and Quilting City and Guilds courses online with Distant Stitch.

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