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Su Grierson

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CV : SU GRIERSON

Art Education

1989-1993	Duncan of Jordanstone College of Art Dundee
1990	Pat Holmes Prize top student over-all in first year.
1992	Duncan of Drumfork Travel Prize : Germany / Documenta.
1993	B A Honours degree First Class.
1993	S.O.E.D Travel Scholarship - America.
1993-1995	M.F.A. Glasgow School of Art

Committee

2010-	Trustee Perth Contemporary Arts Trust
2007 -2011	Trustee Member Perth Public Arts Trust
2008-	Member Heartwood Artists Group
2006- 2008	Panelist Perth Visual arts Awards
2005- 2011	Chairperson Perthshire Visual Arts Forum.
2004- -2006	President Scottish Artists Union
2001 - 2008	Scottish Artists Union Executive committee member
2001 -	Organiser LookLook connecting & touring international artists to Scottish artists & Scotland
2002- 2008	Board Member SSW International Residency Centre Lumsden Aberdeenshire
1996 -2000	Management Committee , Glasgow Visual Arts Forum
1998 -2000	Member Artworks for Glasgow Panel. Glasgow Development Agency.

Awards/Residency/Commission

2012/13	Professional Development award Creative Scotland exhibition & book
2013	Residency invited artist Fukushima Japan - Japan Foundation
2012	Residency invited artist 'Equinox working symposium' Lithuania
2008	SAC individual artist creative & professional development award for video project in New Zealand 2009
2007	Residency invited artist Abiko Japan
2007/8	'ArchiveLive' Scottish Screen Commission
2007	Threshold commission Perth Concert hall
2005	Alt-W award – a soundwork for the internet
2005	G8 Perthshire video commission
2004	Daiwa Anglo-Japanese Foundation (Slice)
2004	British Council travel award (Invisible Fields) Sealgair Trust (Invisible Fields catalogue)
2002/3	SAC Lottery award. research & development (Japan)
2002	Scottish Arts Council project award (LOOK 2002) Highlands & Islands Art support award(LOOK 2002) Glasgow City Council visual art award. (LOOK 2002)
2001	Moray Badenoch & Strathspey project award
2001	Hope Scott Trust award
2000	British Council Travel award
2000	Scottish Arts Council Public Art award
1999	Scottish Arts Council assistance award
1997	Scottish Arts Council Cross Media Fund award
1997	Hope Scott Trust award
1996/7	Scottish Arts Council assistance award

2015

Forthcoming Royal Scottish Geographic Society exhibition in Perth Festival. (Black tent video)

Forthcoming 'Cusp' Macroberts Art Centre Stirling University with Heartwood artists.

Forthcoming 7th International Artists book Triennial Lithuania

Forthcoming Traverse video festival Toulouse. .Black Tent Video.

2014

Perthshire Visual Arts Forum selected exhibition 2015

RSA Open exhibition Edinburgh (Black tent video film)

SSA exhibition Edinburgh (Black tent video film)

1 week filming performance video Xscape & Chimes with Diane Maclane and Heidi Saarinen Hertfordshire.

Alchemy Film Festival 'Deep Beneath Within'. (Black tent video film)

1 Week residency at SSW Lumsden with Heartwood artists group

Talk at ATLAS arts invited artist series. Skye.

Community lecture series in conjunction with the Intersections exhibition.

Magnetic North. Invited participant, residency with Magnetic North theatre company

Black Tent Video Residency Cove Park collaborative video project

2013

'In 'Afterlife of Gardens' Kumu Tallinn With 'Opposing Eden' an artist group: Liinna Siib, Laura Kuusk, Kyra Clegg, Su Grierson.

Residency invited artist funded 10 week residency Fukushima Japan

Intersections Solo Survey Exhibition Threshold Art space at Perth Concert Hall

Launch 'Intersections' hardback full colour Catalogue of work 1998 - 2014

Commission new video work for the 22 screen Wave Perth Concert Hall

Installation invited artist at Caol Ruadh Sculpture Park Argyll

2012

'Equinox' invited participant sculpture symposium & exhibition Lithuania.

Publication: 'Paradise no exit' Book with attached video.

6th International Juried Artist's Book Triennial; Scuola Internazionale di Grafica, Venice, Italy; Leipzig Book Fair, Germany; Gallery Titanikas, Vilnius, Lithuania: Kloster Bentlage, Rheine, Germany.

StanZa poetry festival, video St Andrews Fife Scotland

North Light Festival Dunbar – public lecture.

Heartwood artists at Cambo –Installations in Historic stables Fife.

2011

Remix artist/organiser Dunbar public Library
Hawick film festival 'Aerial roots' lecture presentation
Collections III Threshold Artspace Perth Concert Hall
'Encounters with Place' Threshold Artspace Perth Theatre
'Overlap' The Changing Room Stirling with Belinda Gilbert Scott
'Natural Connections' PVAF members exhibition
Cupar Arts Festival video & installation
Heartwood 2011 Woodland site specific works
'Grierson,Harkess,Law' at Birnam Art Centre with Frances Law & Claire Harkess
Stobhill Hospital New Collection of Art
'Encounters with Time' Threshold Artspace Perth Theatre
Eco film festival Taigh Chearsabhag North Uist Outer Hebrides
'Encounters with Event' Threshold Artspace Perth Theatre
Tallinn Print Triennial KUMU Museum & Art Gallery Tallinn Estonia

2010

Leader & participant Fire & Ice project The Crannog Loch Tay
'Paradise – no exit' – solo exhibition Birnam Institute Perthshire
'Unseen-Uncovered' Heartwood forest project Blairgowrie
'Aerial Roots' - Edinburgh Art Festival -
PVAF members exhibition 'Forms of Narrative'
Rendez-vous aux Jardins at du Chateau de Padies France
'22' Le Salon Recoit Toulouse France
Residency Chateau Padies France
Polaris gallery Japan, solo exhibition and grassroots project with Echo artists group
SSA selected exhibition RSA Edinburgh

2009

Cromarty Film Festival Dec 2009 Aerial Roots in Northern Exposure Scottish Shorts
Cupar Arts Festival 'Aerial Roots' at Cupar Farmers market
ARKA gallery Vilnius Lithuania 'Common Ground' prints with David Blyth – European
City of Culture 09
Scene 1 Selected exhibition Perth Theatre Redrooms.
7sails online collaborative project <http://studiolog.heriot-toun.co.uk/7shortsails>
Filming tour of New Zealand with online blog <http://su-nztrip.blogspot.com/>
SAS selected exhibition Dundee

'Interventions' selected work in Aberfoyle National Park
Cupar Arts Festival - Aerial Roots
Heartwood Blairgowrie woodland installation
REMIX Germany Artist /organiser City of Bad Oldesloe County House September:
City of Bad Segeberg County House October.

2008

Invited speaker CVACV video conference Denmark
Tayside Roots' Festival showing Aerial Roots
Bon Voyage Threshold artspace Perth Concert Hall
Invited speaker Art Strategies & knowledge conference Musselburgh
Samtidskunst I vestjylland' video work Denmark
'Opposing Eden' 4 artists film research project in Estonia/Scotland
'Aerial Roots' Fold Gallery Cumbria
Invited speaker Cross Borders artists network Hawick
SSA selected exhibition Edinburgh
Speaker Fife Arts Forum
LookLook organiser artists from Japan, Germany, France in Scotland
Chair Perth Visual Arts Forum and Art Trail Birnam

2007

Invited residency / sound installation Abiko open air art exhibition Japan
Invited speaker Impact5 international print conference Tallinn Estonia
6th International Triennial of graphic forms Vilnius Lithuania
'Aerial Roots' Scottish Screen Archive Live Commission, Film, exhibition and
website Angus Digital Media Centre Brechin
'Access all Areas' The Travelling Gallery Touring Scotland
'Catch' video work for 22 Screens Perth Concert Hall part of Body Language
'NearHear2' a sound work for Threshold entrance Perth Concert hall
Invited Chair debate 'The Rural Environment - a studio for creative
Communities'. Network artists Northumberland
Chair Perthshire visual Arts Forum 07.
Organiser LookLook 2007 visit to Scotland (Latvia/Lithuania)
REMIX artist /organiser PVAF participatory exhibition Perthshire and China.

2005/06

Research visit Latvia artists Union. Riga
REMIX Artist /organiser Perthshire artists in Lithuania an exchange exhibition & visit

Between Eco & Ego i Kawaguchi Art gallery ATLIA Japan
NearHear interactive soundwork on the internet.(AltW commission)
G8 artists with Susannah Silver (Perth & Kinross Commission) .creating interactive
DVD with invited artists
Video week Organiser participant 6 Scottish & 4 German artists working together
Invisible Fields - artist/co curator 12 Scottish video artists: An tuireann Isle of
Skye. & Glasgow International
Speaker. Cultural debate .Scottish Parliament
Co Organiser LookLook2005 touring artists from Sweden Netherlands, Estonia,
Iceland,Japan in Scotland
Organiser Look 2006: artists from Lithuania, Spain, New Zealand, Germany
Chairperson Perthshire Visual Arts Forum 2

2004

Su Grierson – Slice solo exhibition Yokohama Art Museum Japan
Festival Exhibition Collective gallery Edinburgh
Marking Time solo exhibition Angus Digital Media Centre Brechin
Marking Time solo exhibition ET4U gallery Bovlingbjerg Denmark
Eyeshine solo exhibition The theatre Chipping Norton England
'Invisible Fields' Tallinn Art Hall Estonia
'Invisible Fields' Angus Digital Media Centre Brechin
'Invisible Fields' Theatre presentation Yokohama Art Museum
speaker Applied Arts' symposium Edinburgh
speaker Nan symposium Cove Park
Speaker SAC Visual Arts Forum Edinburgh
Scottish Artists Union representative at 3 Cultural Commission meetings

2003

'TWO connecting' with Tomoko Esashi, Crawford Arts Centre St Andrews
Scotland with lecture
'Touch Down' artist/curator 8 artists from 5 countries Galleri 54 Gothenburg
Sweden
Residency 5 weeks with ECHO artist group , Kamakura Japan
ECHO exhibition / discussion/ events'lectures Toki annex Tokyo Japan
ECHO 2 group exhibitions Toki Art Gallery Tokyo & Omantasandau Gallery
Tokyo Japan
Proto-Academy Edinburgh installation of new work .
Marking Time publication of artist's own book.
Organiser LOOK2003 6 printmakers from Estonia, Lithuania, Finland

Denmark and Sweden connecting/touring in Scotland
Organiser LOOK2003 (Japan) connecting/touring 3 Japanese artists to

2002

Eyeshine solo exhibition Algarden gallery. Boras Sweden
'Exposure' Hereford Photography Festival.
Pop Menos exhibition Kaire-Desine Gallery Vilnius Lithuania.
'Art for Europe' Scotland House Brussels. Belgium.
'Outside-In' Museum of Interior Design & Architecture. Middlesex University England
Pop Menos Invited delegate International Symposium Klaipeda Lithuania
Co organiser LOOK2002 12 artists from Sweden, Lithuania, Germany,
Finland, Estonia, Japan, connecting across Scotland.

2001

Tallin International print tri-ennial. Rottermanni Art centre Tallin Estonia.with
installation 'feedback' an interactive environment.
Generator 'Open' Dundee
'Eyeshine'solo exhibition Street Level Gallery Glasgow
'Solus' An Tuireann, Group exhibition. Isle of Skye.
Street Level 'Open' exhibition Glasgow.
Origin' Public video projection . (with Diane Maclean).Museum of Scotland
Edinburgh
'Shifting Horizons' . Q gallery Derby England.
Organiser LookLook 2001 bringing 6 Lithuanian MA graduates to Scotland
Invited participant at Uberfahrt symposium..'On The Edge' artists from East &
West in Nida Lithuania

2000

EYESHINE solo exhibition Forteviot Gallery Perthshire.
Hereford Photography Festival . City Art Centre Hereford England
'Shifting Horizons' Midland Arts Centre Birmingham England .
'Coming to our Senses' Turku Finland.
'Solus' Arrainn Chaulum Chille. University of the Highlands & Islands.
'Surface' an tuireann, Isle of Skye (collaboration with Mary Bourne)
'Coming into View' Solo exhibition 'Limousin Bull' Aberdeen.
'Scenario' solo exhibition Kaire-Desine Gallery Vilnius Lithuania

1999

'Illumination' artists working with light Grundy Art Gallery Blackpool England
'Lustre' lightwork installation McManus Gallery Dundee.
and Lighthouse Museum Fraserburgh
Artists at Work Residency. Otago School of Art Dunedin New Zealand.
Lecture series Otago School of Art. Dunedin New Zealand
'Scenario' solo exhibition High St Gallery Dunedin New Zealand.
'New Horizons' Maas gallery & Girder Gallery. Melbourne Festival Fringe Australia
Tower residency, University of Melbourne in conjunction with 200 Gertrude Street.
'Walktalk' sound installation solo exhibition Queens College, University of
Melbourne Australia.
'DEEPEND' text work at:
Queen's College Library University of Melbourne: Australia
Artspace Sydney Perspecta: Australia
200 Gertrude St Melbourne September: Australia
High St. Gallery Dunedin New Zealand:
Waterstones Glasgow. part of Education in Reverse.

'Departure Lounge' Cameo Cinema Edinburgh
Residency Europas Parkas Vilnius Lithuania
'Ladies Room' Collective Gallery Edinburgh

1998

'Revolution' ISEA 98: Tea Factory & Open Eye Gallery Liverpool England
'Sliding Forms' Cameo cinema Edinburgh
'Trongate' Transmission Gallery.
'Changing Perceptions' Towner Gallery Eastbourne England
'Various Artists' East Kilbride Arts Centre.

1997

'Small Change' & Little Wonder'. solo exhibition Firstdraft Gallery, Sydney
Australia
Visiting artist Centre For the Arts, Hobart, Tasmania.
Lecture series in Sydney, Tasmania and Scotland at...
Sydney College of the Arts. The University of Sydney. Australia
Sydney College of Fine Arts. University of New South Wales. Australia
Tasmanian School of Art at Launceston. University of Tasmania
Launceston College of Art Tasmania
Hobart School of Art. University of Tasmania.
Glasgow University. Visual Arts Club.
Duncan of Jordanstone College of Art Dundee. (lecture and tutorials)

'Changing Perceptions' City Art Centre, Edinburgh. Collins Gallery, Glasgow.
Crawford Art Centre, St Andrews
'See, Sense' Travelling Gallery.
"Running time' Collective Gallery/Cameo Cinema Edinburgh
'Hide & Seek' part of 'Assembly Alive' Assembly Rooms with Collective Gallery
Edinburgh
'Off The Wall' Collaborative performance residency Gallery of Modern Art
Glasgow.
'both/and/also' experimental research project with Tom Murray sound
and Vanessa Smith movement.

1996

'Art for People' Transmission Gallery Glasgow.
'Collapse' project room Collective Gallery Edinburgh
'Serious' Collision Gallery & 1101 Gallery, San Francisco.USA
'Artists Multiples' Collective Gallery Edinburgh.

1995

"Cluster" New graduates Collective Gallery Edinburgh
"Touch and Go" curator/participant Street Level Gallery Glasgow.
'Unbroken view - Extended Frame' *with* Rosemary Butcher choreographer, Tom
Murray composer GroupN contemporary dance
Tramway Glasgow (Nov 95) *Dark Lights season*
Tramway Glasgow (March 96) *New Moves Across Europe*
Traverse Theatre Edinburgh (June 96)
"New Rose Hotel" Transmission Gallery Glasgow
"EAST International" Sainsbury Art Centre Norwich England
"Highland Graduates Exhibition" touring Inverness, Kingussie, Thurso, Wick and
Skye.
"100 Years of Women in Education" Goulven France and Stuttgart Germany
'Pollard & Prune' solo exhibition FOTOFEIS '95 Glasgow1995
"Cluster" Collective Gallery Edinburgh
"Touch and Go" Street Level Gallery Glasgow.

1994

Visiting artist Centre For the Arts Hobart (MA student exchange) Tasmania

Catalogues/documentation

'Intersections' Solo exhibition Book with Threshold Arts Perth
'Spirit of North' Japan 2013,
International Artists Book Triennial Vilnius catalogue 2012
'Land Matters' Liz Wells I B Taurus 2011
'The Grace of the Birch' Collection at Stobhill Hospital Glasgow.2011
'Paradise no exit' book and DVD Archive and artist journals New Zealand
Overlap 'boxed set of prints & text Changing room Gallery Stirling.
Tallinn Print Triennial KUMU 2011
Heartwood Artists Catalogues 2006 ----- 2012
6th International Triennial of small Graphic forms Vilnius 2007.
'Invisible Fields' 12 video artists catalogue
Common Ground 4 side catalogue with text by Andrea Peachy ARKA gallery Vilnius
Access all areas Travelling Gallery catalogue 2007
Marking Time, artist's book to accompany exhibition.2002 Liveline Projects.
Exposure Hereford Photography festival catalogue 2002
Eyeshine 16 page publication with text by Liz Wells. 2001 Street level Glasgow
Source Magazine. Book review Stephen Bull No 28 2001 pp57
'Su Grierson' Elisabeth Mahony Guardian May 22nd 2001
Radio Scotland Brian Morton Show May 2001
Origin BBC 2 TACSI 7th May 2001
Book 'Shifting Horizons' 12 women landscape photographers (Pub I.B.Tauris ISBN 1
86064 635 20) EDSWells, Newton, Fehily.)
Hereford Photography Festival. Exposure 2000 catalogue
Mutating Image Tallinna X11 graafikatriennaal October 2001 catalogue
'Surface' BBC 2 television documentary.TACSI June 2000
Contributor to 'Without Day' Morning Star Publications.
Artists at work publication 1999 Otago Dunedin New Zealand
'Illumination' Grundy Art Gallery Blackpool 1999 catalogue
'Revolution' ISEA 98 Liverpool catalogue
'Changing Perceptions' City Art Centre, Edinburgh 1997 catalogue
Unbroken view -- Mary Brennan The Herald March 26 1996
Emotional minefields -- Mary Brennan The Herald Oct 23 1995
"EAST International" July 1995 catalogue
Fotofeis Glasgow October 1995. catalogue