



# KT Hemmings



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Full name: Katie Hemmings  
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Date of Birth: 5 March 1967  
Nationality: British  
Driving Licence: Full, clean

## Work profile

I travel. I collect, acquiring images, fragments, texts, objects, ideas, thoughts and responses. I consider site and origin as important locators for identity, even if the work develops beyond original points of reference. Much of my work is contextual, investigating and revealing references to mapping, journeys and networks.

Issues of a sense of place interest me. These include the individual, fusions of cultures and impacting globalisation. My Zimbabwean roots influence my practice. I want to inspire varied responses by creating pieces with multiple layers of meaning. Using a wide range of ideas, I push concepts around to explore themes and select the medium in which to express them. The process sometimes forms the work itself.

Art works are held in private collections in the United Kingdom, Australia, Zimbabwe, U.S.A. and Portugal.

## Exhibitions and competitions



Browns Bistro, Sidmouth	Dec 2009 – Mar 2010
Devon Open Studios	September 2009
Artist In Residence, Plant World, Newton Abbot	2009 - present
Duchy Centre for Creativity, Devon	2009 - present
Off the Wall Gallery, Algarve, Portugal	2008 - present
'Post' exhibition, Farnham Maltings	2009
Linhay Exhibition and sale	December 2008
Devon Open Studios	September 2008
Poltimore photographic competition - winner	2008
Cockwood Parish wall hanging	2007
Cockwood Chair of Governors painting	2003
Commissioned to design Rydon C.P. school logo	1996

## Art teaching

Woodbury Art Group, art teacher	2008 - present
Artist in residence, Northleigh School, Malvern	March 2009
Visiting Artist Dawlish Garden Trust	August 2008
Littletown School Arts week	June 2008
Arts week, Canada Hill School	June 2008
Theme weeks, Cockwood School	2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007
Southwest Academy Schools Exhibition	2005, 2006, 2008
Digital Arts Awards	2004, 2005, 2006
Buildings development artist, CWCS	April - July 2004
Multicultural week, Cockwood School	2002, 2004, 2006, 2007
Arts week, Kenton School	2003, 2004, 2005
Wembworthy Centre, resident artist	2002, 2003, 2005, 2007
Artist in residence, Cockwood school	Autumn 2001
Sculpture artist in residence, Cockwood School	July 2001
Devon Schools Art Project	1996, 2001, 2007
Beaford Art Centre, Devon	1986, 2000, 2002



## Primary Teaching



Supply teacher in Devon  
Cockwood Primary School, Devon  
Countess Wear Primary School, Devon  
Kenton Primary School, Devon  
Rydon C.P.School, Devon  
Exminster C.P.School, Devon  
Supply teacher in Devon

September 2009 -present  
September 1998 – April 2008  
September 2005 – July 2006  
April 2003 – October 2003  
September 1993 – July 1998  
September 1991 – July 1993  
September 1990 - July 1991

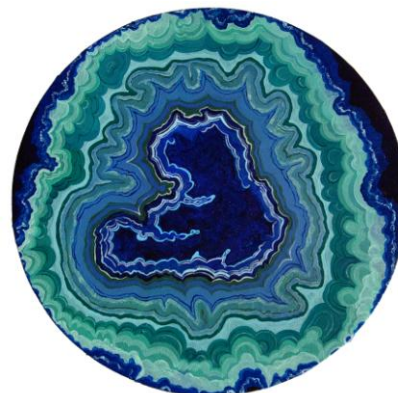
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## Professional qualifications

**B.A.Hons Fine Art 2.1** 1998 – 2001  
University of Plymouth, Exeter Campus, Exeter, Devon

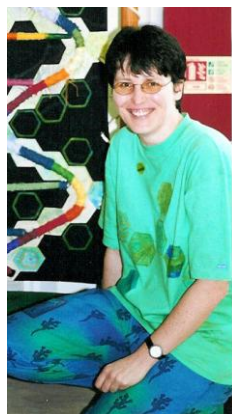
**B.Ed Hons Primary Education 2.1** 1986 – 1990  
Subject Specialism: Art and Design  
Polytechnic Southwest, Rolle Campus, Exmouth, Devon

DFEE Teacher Reference Number RP89/52474 Issued July 1990



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## Interests



Visiting galleries and exhibitions  
Devon Artist Network  
Garden design  
Photography  
Philately  
Travel writing  
Poetry  
Walking  
Book collecting  
Gardening  
Alpine Garden Society  
Cofton in Bloom  
Travelling: Zimbabwe, Asia, New York, Europe, Australia

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## References

Mrs Joy Taylor

Mr Rod and Mrs Jan Crook

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