

# CHRISTIAN FUNNELL CURRICULUM VITAE

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## *Education*

**1984-1987** Leeds Polytechnic BA (Hons) 2.1 Fine Art Painting

## *Selected Exhibitions*

**2007** Pelham House solo show of sculpture.

**2005** 'Hat Full of Heighton.' The Old Forge open house, part of the Brighton festival.

**2003** 'Hamstead Garden Show' part of the 'Ham and Hi Festival,' London.

**1999** 'Human Zoo' with Karen Holebrook. Cork Street, London.

**1998** 'Kunstbombe' Art Fair. Herne, Germany.

**1996** '4 Messages Installation' Phoenix Gallery, Brighton.

**1995** 'Rotting' pocket watch in 'What is Jewellery?' exhibition at the Crafts Council, London.

**1991** 'In Triplicate' Red Herring group exhibition at the Arundel Gallery. West Sussex.

**1990** Solo show of paintings, Leeds Polytechnic.

## *Fashion Industry Commissions*

**1988** Fashion shoot for Paul Smith; feature in Japanese magazine, 'The Edge'.

**1988** 'Iron Wave' installation for Gotcha (surfwear Co) at the Paris boat show and at the Sehm, Paris.

**1989-1990** 'Iron Curtain' stand for Gaultier Junior and Freelance at the Sehm, Paris and the British Designers Show, London.

**1989** Production of two advertisements for freelance shoes for ID magazine.

## *Residencies*

**Dec 1989** Redlands School, Stepney: a project for 8-10 year olds, involving mixed media for a mural at Stepney Neighbourhood Library.

**Nov 1992** Downs Junior School, Brighton. Building playground furniture in collaboration with Jane Lyster and Same Sky Community Arts Organisation.

**2002 - ongoing** The Hillcrest Community Centre, Newhaven, East Sussex.

**2003** Trustee of Hillcrest Community Centre.

**2008** Seaford Museum Mote.

## *Teaching*

**1992 - 1994** Part time teaching 3D at Eastbourne college of Art and Technology and Northbrook College Worthing.

**2006** Eltham Green one week teaching metal techniques.

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## *Trade Fairs*

- 1991 Lamps and candle sticks in a mixed interior design show at the Parc de Expositions, Paris.
- 1992 Creative Eye, design for Interiors. Chelsea Town Hall, London.
- 1993 Chelsea Crafts Fair, Chelsea Town Hall, London.
- 1996 'Running Man', for design company Expertease as part of a stand exhibited in Paris and Vienna promoting British Telecom.
- 2007 Hampton Court, Schools Garden, designed by Chris Beardshaw. Received Gold and Tudor rose.

## *Selected List of Clients*

- Linden Homes
- Rydon Homes
- Red Square Developments
- Taj Developments
- George Hamza Developments
- Graham McDonald Developments
- The Roadmender Trust, Arts centre, Northampton
- Conquest Hospital, Hastings
- Sussex County Hospital, Brighton
- Salisbury Manor Hospital
- Eastleigh Council, Hampshire
- Lewes Council, East Sussex
- Berwick Church, East Sussex
- Seaford Quakers Group
- Brighton and Hove City Council
- Oakgrove and Palatine Schools in Worthing

