
Valerie Chandler – artiste-peintre

Paintings

Through my painting I explore the essential spirit I perceive in the human figure, it's power strength and profundity.

Incorporating the fluidity and rhythm of line and texture to express the tension and energy, in the relationship of the figures and their surrounding space.

Exhibitions 2010:

- October 2010 Le Dôme Centre d'Art Contemporain, Port Vendres
May 2010 Affordable Art Fair, Paris : represented by La Galerie
 Cécile Charron, Paris.
April 2010 Grand Marche d'art Contemporain ("GMAC"),
 La Bastille, Paris.
March 2010 Galerie Française Estran, Marseille
March 2010 Galerie le Cercle des Arts, Toulouse.

Exhibitions:

- August 2009 La galerie de la Coursive :Galerie Dock Sud, Sète
May 2009 Salon d'art Contemporain.Le Sm'art, Aix en Provence
April\May 2009 Galerie 'Art Gallery', Nîmes
Mars 2009 Salon International de l'Art Contemporain, Marseille;
February 2009 Art Thémis, Céret;
June 2008 Salon d'Art Contemporain, Carrousel du Louvre;
 Presented by La Galerie Cécile Charron, Paris.
April\May 2008 Galerie Cécile Charron Village Suisse, Paris.
Oct 2007 Les Clos de Paulilles, Port-Vendres, France
1998 Coach House Gallery, Guernsey
1995 St, James Gallery, Guernsey
1994 Coach House Gallery, Guernsey
1992 Coach House Gallery, Guernsey
1990 Les Côtils, Guernsey
1989 Coach House Gallery, Guernsey
1977 Coach House Gallery, Guernsey

En Permanence

- 2010 Galerie 'le Zele des Anges', Lourmarin, Provence
2010 Galerie Française Estran, Marseille
2003-05 Lemon Pink Gallery, Guernsey
1980-87 Colognoli Gallery, Guernsey

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Professional Experience

I was born in Guernsey, Channel Islands, in 1955.

- 2011 I moved to Questembert in Southern Brittany and opened my new studio.
- 2005-2010 Port Vendres, Pyrénées-Orientales. I moved to France in September 2005 and set up my studio.
- 2000-2005 Guernsey: Aside from sales of work and commissions from private individuals commissions included:
- In Guernsey: AON Insurance Managers, The Bank of Butterfield, Princess Elizabeth Hospital.
- In London: K West Hotel, West Kensington. St James' Apartments. Buckingham Gate. The Holiday Inn, Kensington.
- 2000-2002 Illustrations and set designs for 'Merlin` a series of children's television programmes, broadcast internationally.
- 1998-1999 Designed the ten panels for The Bailiwick of Guernsey Millennium Tapestry.
- 1981-1998 Teaching art part time to young people and adults, both privately and in schools and colleges in Guernsey.

Education

- 1974-1976 BA. (Hons.), Central School of Art and Design, London,
1973 St Martins School of Art, London,
1972-1973 Canterbury College of Art, Canterbury,

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