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KIRSTY SMITH

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STATEMENT

The relationship between everyday life and place, as well as its ongoing transformation and evolution, constitutes the central interest of Kirsty Smith's art. Sculptures, objects and drawings are developed from a practical and observed engagement with the environment and working material. With this openness to the process, her work finds new possibilities of coexisting and connection, while exploring how our presence can affect the wider idea of home.

EXHIBITION

FUTURE

2023 November Galería VETA, Lateral Lab, Santiago.

PAST

2023 March 'HydroLands', New Contemporaries, RSA Edinburgh.

2023 April 'Correspondences', Art Spot Korin, Kyoto

2022 'Grounded' [Online], Visual Arts Scotland.

2022 'Inhabited Space' Society of Scottish Artists, Edinburgh RSA.

2021 'Home and Space', Degree Show, Shetland College.

2021 'Inhabited Space', Degree Show [Online], Art North.

2020 'Den', outdoor - scattald aert, Aith.

2019 'Shetland Inspired: Moder Dy', Wave~Centrum Nezávislej Kultúry, Prešov, Slovakia.

2019 '20x20'. Group Exhibition, Auld Haa, Yell.

2019 'Sea Multiplicity', Bixter Hall.

2016-19 UHI Shetland end of year show: 'Vision', Shetland College.

EDUCATION

2021 First Class Fine Art Degree BA with Hons @ University of Highlands and Islands.

2014 NC Art and Design @ Shetland College.

AWARDS

RSA, New Contemporaries Parton Award, 2023.

Scottish Society of Artists, New Graduate Award, 2021.

Visual Arts Scotland Graduate Award, 2021.