Ann Goddard

CV

Ann Goddard is a mixed media, textile artist based in Cheshire. She has gained an MA in Fine Art, having previously studied ceramics and creative embroidery. Her work has won awards and prizes, including the prestigious Vlieseline Fine Art Textile Award 2019. She has exhibited widely in the UK and internationally and has been a member of the renowned 62 Group of Textile Artists since 2005. In 2022 her book 'Mixed Media Textile Art in Three Dimensions' was published by Batsford Books.

Qualifications and training

- 2003 MA Fine Art, University of Liverpool
- 2001 Cert. Advanced Studies in Art, University of Liverpool
- 1999 BTEC HNC Stitched and Constructed Textiles, West Cheshire College, Chester
- 1998 City and Guilds Creative Studies Embroidery Parts 1 and 2, West Cheshire College, Chester
- 1986 BEd Hons, University of Liverpool

Commission

2023 Commissioned by Saatchi Art to make 3 artworks for the new 1 Hotel, Mayfair, London

Publication

2022 - Mixed Media Textile Art in Three Dimensions, author Ann Goddard, published by Batsford Books

Interview

2022 – Friday Feature Artist online interview with Fibre Arts Take Two Australia https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n4l-VM45flA&t=202s

Competitions, prizes and awards

- 2021 The John Doubleday Art Award
- 2021 Winner Award, The Cambridge Invitational Art Contest 2021
- 2019 Vlieseline Fine Art Textile Award
- 2010 Grand Prize, Amateras Annual Mini Paper Art Exhibition, Art Alley Gallery, Sofia, Bulgaria
- 2010 Honourable Mention, International Biennial Miniature Art, Salle Augustin-Chenier, Ville-Marie, Canada
- 2000 Main Award winner, Charles Henry Foyle Trust Award for Stitched Textiles
- 1999 Embroiderers' Guild Graduate Showcase, The Knitting & Stitching Shows
- 1998 Highly Commended, City & Guilds Creative Embroidery Part 2
- 1996 City and Guilds Medal of Excellence for Creative Studies Embroidery Part 1

Group exhibitions

2023 – Embroiderers Guild Retrospective exhibition, Knitting & Stitching Show London; Harrogate

- 2023 Tailored, Sunny Bank Mills Gallery, Farsley, Yorkshire
- 2023 Fiber Reimagined, Fiber Art Now magazine exhibition, USA
- 2023 International Art Textile Bienniale 2023, Australia, touring exhibition to 6 galleries
- 2022 Essence, 62 Group touring exhibition, Knitting & Stitching Show London; Harrogate
- 2022 Conversations, St Barbe Museum and Art Gallery, Lymington
- 2021 The Cambridge Invitational Art Contest 2021, Castle Fine Art Cambridge and Online
- 2019 Vlieseline Fine Art Textile Award touring exhibition, Birmingham, London, Harrogate
- 2019 VIII WTA International Biennial Contemporary Textile Art Madrid Spain
- 2019 CTRL/Shift, NCCD, Sleaford touring to 20/21 Visual Arts Centre, Lincolnshire
- 2018 CTRL/Shift, MAC, Birmingham
- 2018 International Miniature Art Biennial (IMAB), Ville Marie, Canada
- 2017 Arte&Arte Miniartextil touring exhibition; Como, Italy; Montrouge, Paris, France; Gif sur Yvette, France
- 2017 Fresh Air 2017, Quenington Old Rectory, Quenington, Gloucestershire
- 2017 Making Space, Spring Knitting & Stitching Show touring exhibition, Olympia, London; Highland Centre, Edinburgh
- 2017 Excellence in Fibers online exhibition, Fiber Arts Now magazine, USA
- 2016 Making Space, Macclesfield Silk Museum, Macclesfield, Cheshire
- 2015 Arte&Arte Miniartextil touring exhibition, Como, Italy; Montrouge, Paris, France; Caudry, France; Venice, Italy
- 2015 Power of Ten, SIT Select, Museum in the Park, Stroud, Gloucestershire
- 2015 62 Group Now, Upfront Gallery, Unthank, Cumbria
- 2014 Ebb & Flow, Fishing Heritage Centre / Grimsby Minster, Grimsby, Lincolnshire
- 2013 British Textile Art, Koyo Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2013 Pinpoint, One Church Street Gallery, Great Missenden, Bucks
- 2013 Pink Wood, Bruton, Somerset
- 2013 6th International Biennial Exhibition on Mini Textile, Kherson Local Lore Museum, Kherson, Ukraine
- 2013 Small Talk, Constance Howard Gallery, Goldsmiths University of London, London
- 2013 Miniature Magnified, The Beetroot Tree, Draycott
- 2013 A Personal Perspective, Craft In The Bay, Cardiff
- 2013 Cabinets of Curiosities and Room of Wonder, The Borough Museum & Art Gallery, Newcastle-under-Lyme
- 2012 62@50, Farfield Mill, Sedburgh
- 2012 62@50, The Holden Gallery, Manchester
- 2012 62@50, Interventions, Gallery of Costume, Platt Hall, Manchester
- 2012 62@50, Package Tour, Alexandra Palace, London; Harrogate International Centre, Harrogate; RDS, Dublin

- 2011 7 Strands, Gate Gallery and Grimsby Minster, Grimsby
- 2011 7th International Biennial of Textile Miniatures, Arka Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania
- 2011 Sofia International Paper Art Biennial, National Gallery of Foreign Art, Sofia, Bulgaria
- 2011 VI WTA International Biennial of Contemporary Textile Art Air, The Ramon Alva de la Canal Gallery of the University of Veracruz, Xalapa, Mexico
- 2010 Amateras Annual Mini Paper Art Exhibition 2010, Art Alley Gallery, Sofia, Bulgaria
- 2010 Bending More Lines, Collins Gallery, Glasgow
- 2010 Cartasia Biennial of Contemporary Art, Cavallerizza, Lucca, Italy
- 2010 International Biennial Miniature Art (Finalists), House of Commons, Ottawa, Canada
- 2010 International Biennial Miniature Art (Finalists), Museum of Contemporary Art Latino-American de la Plata (MACLA), Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2010 International Biennial Miniature Art 2010, Salle Augustin-Chenier, Ville-Marie, Quebec, Canada
- 2010 Made To Fit, The Willis Museum, Basingstoke
- 2010 The 62 Group of Textile Artists, Museum Rijswijk, Rijswijk, Netherlands
- 2009 Bending the Line, The Hub National Centre for Craft & Design, Sleaford
- 2009 Bowland An Inspirational Landscape, The Platform Gallery, Clitheroe
- 2009 Moving On, Upfront Gallery, Nr Penrith, Cumbria
- 2008 Considered Matter, Mid Pennine Gallery, Burnley
- 2008 Designer Crafts 2008, Mall Galleries, London
- 2008 Healing, Norton Priory Museum & Gardens, Runcorn
- 2008 Size Matters, Rochester Art Gallery & Craft Case, Rochester
- 2008 Stuff: contemporary textiles by the 62 Group, Catmose Gallery, Oakham
- 2008 The Foyle Trust Award Winners Exhibition, Forge Mill Needle Museum, Redditch
- 2007 62 Group, Textile Gallery, Knitting & Stitching Show, Birmingham, London, Dublin, Harrogate
- 2007 Abstract Construction, The Beetroot Tree, Draycott, Derbyshire
- 2007 Square Route, Blackburne House, Liverpool
- 2007 Stitched Up, Crescent Arts, Scarborough, N.Yorks
- 2007 You Are Here, The Kitchen Gallery, Runcorn
- 2006 Art of the Stitch, RWA, Bristol; The Hub, Sleaford, Williamson Art Gallery & Museum, Birkenhead
- 2006 E Squared, Royal Cambrian Academy, Conway
- 2006 E Squared, Upfront Gallery, Cumbria
- 2006 Expressions, The Brindley, Runcorn
- 2006 Tracing Threads, New work by the 62 Group of Textile Artists, Hove Museum & Art Gallery, Hove, East Sussex
- 2005 In the Square, Cajobah Gallery, Birkenhead
- 2004 Consequences, Upfront Gallery, Cumbria

- 2004 The Hard with the Soft, Cajobah Gallery, Birkenhead
- 2003 MA Fine Art exhibition, University College Chester (University of Liverpool degree)
- 2002 A Time and a Place, Upfront Gallery, Cumbria
- 2001 Affordable Art Fair, London (with Beatrice Royal Gallery)
- 2001 Art of the Stitch, Mall Galleries, London; Williamson Art Gallery, Birkenhead
- 2001 Madeira Show, Harrogate
- 2001 Open Art Exhibition, Grosvenor Museum, Chester
- 2000 Affordable Art Fair, London (with Beatrice Royal Gallery)
- 2000 Connections: Africa's West Coast, The Beetroot Tree, Draycott, Derbyshire
- 2000 New Horizons, Forge Mill Needle Museum, Redditch
- 2000 Progressions, Yale Memorial Art Gallery, Wrexham
- 2000 Riches of Stitches, Herbert Art Gallery & Museum, Coventry
- 2000 Spring Showcase, Beatrice Royal Contemporary Art & Craft Gallery, Hampshire
- 1999 Graduate Showcase, Knitting & Stitching Show, Alexandra Palace, London; RDS, Dublin; Main Halls, Harrogate
- 1999 Open Exhibition, Drumcroon Arts Centre, Wigan
- 1997 City & Guilds Showcase, National Needlecraft Show, Olympia, London

Talk

2021 - Skill of Constructed, Sculptural Textiles: Constructed and Sculptural Textiles within a Mixed Media Practice; Fashion and Textile Museum, London, in collaboration with the 62 Group of Textiles

Web articles:

- 2022 #Five2Watch: 'Collaboration', www.axisweb.org
- 2013 Artist of the Month (August), www.axisweb.org
- 2013 Featured Artist (April), www.textileartist.org
- 2012 Artist Interview, www.textileartist.org

Books and Journals:

- 2015 Selected Journal issue 2: Spring/Summer 2015
- 2012 Radical Thread, The 62 Group 1962-2012; ed. Lesley Millar; pub. Direct Design Books
- 2011 La Palabra y el Hombre, issue 18, December 2011, Universidad Veracruzana, Mexico

Exhibition Catalogues:

- 2019 Vlieseline Fine Art Textiles
- 2019 CTRL/Shift, 62 Group of Textile Artists
- 2019 VIII Bienal De Art Textil Contemporaneo, WTA, Madrid 2019
- 2014 Ebb & Flow, 62 Group of Textile Artists

- 2013 A Personal Perspective on Landscape, The Makers Guild in Wales
- 2011 Sofia Paper Art Fest, Amateras Foundation, Bulgaria
- 2011 VI Bienal Arte Textil Contemporaneo, Aire, WTA, Mexico
- 2011 Vanish / Survive, Arka Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania
- 2010 Amateras Mini Paper Art, Bulgaria
- 2009 Bending the Line, 62 Group of Textile Artists
- 2008 Designer Crafts at the Mall, Society of Designer Craftsmen
- 2007 Knitting & Stitching Show (CD), 62 Group of Textile Artists
- 2006 Tracing Threads (CD), 62 Group of Textile Artists
- 2006 Art of the Stitch, Embroiderer's Guild
- 2000 New Horizons, Charles Henry Foyle Trust
- 1998 City & Guilds Calendar (February)

Professional Memberships

WTA (World Textile Art)

The 62 Group of Textile Artists