



Welcome to the Spring Birmingham Art Map. The Art Map is designed to make it easy to discover, explore and enjoy the great art, ideas, culture and creativity made by Birmingham for Birmingham. All exhibitions and events listed are FREE unless otherwise stated.

The printed Art Map only lists some of the exhibitions and events programmed by the city's art galleries, artist-led projects, studio groups and independent curators – for more information visit birminghamartmap.org where you will find links to gallery and project websites.

A3 PROJECT SPACE [1]

Unit A3 2 Bowyer Street B10 0SA
Opening times vary see website/listing for details.
a3projectspace.org

A3 Project Space is run by studio members Trevor Pitt, Cathy Wade, Ben Sadler & Philip Duckworth (Juneau Projects), Gavin Rogers, Adam Carver and Carolyn Morton.

Participate 01/03–28/08
A3 artists deliver projects to support creative practitioners & engage communities.
Trevor Pitt – Project Planning for Artists. 25/04, 02/05, 05/05, 16/05 20/06
Cathy Wade – MXBodySpaceMotioningThem Mar–Aug 2020
Juneau Projects – Laser Cutting for Artists May–June 2020
Gavin Rogers – Still Waters May–Aug 2020
Adam Carver – Queer Song Lab Mar–Aug 2020
Carolyn Morton – Ink Flows. Mar–Aug 2020
See website for dates and details.

ARTEFACT [2]

1464 Pershore Road, Stinchley B30 2BL
Opening times vary see website/listing for details.
artefactstinchley.co.uk

Artefact is a co-operative, artist-led gallery and event space with cafe/bar in Stinchley. See website for programme details.

Ten Acres of Sound 10/04 – 03/05
Artefact is producing an experimental noise festival in Stinchley with sound installations and performances throughout the area. See website for details.

ARTISAN ALCHEMY GALLERY [3]

84 Caroline Street Jewellery Quarter B3 1UP
Tues–Sat 10am–4pm
artisan-alchemy.co.uk

We are a gallery showcasing the best British designer furniture and contemporary jewellery. We have a showroom in the Jewellery Quarter and feature more pieces online.

Exhibition and evening talk by PhD student Wanshu Li from the School of Jewellery
Date to be confirmed
See website for programme details.

THE BARBER INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS [4]

University of Birmingham Edgbaston, B15 2TS
Mon–Fri 10am–5pm, Sat–Sun 11am–5pm
Barber.org.uk

Birmingham's own mini Art Deco National Gallery – masterpieces through Rubens, Gainsborough and Turner to Monet, Degas, Renoir, Rossetti, Rodin, Magritte and Moore. Free.

Cornwall as Crucible 19/02–17/05
Modern art in St Ives: Hepworth, Gabo, Lanyon et al.
Maternal Bonds 31/01–24/05
Prints and drawings of motherhood: Van Ostade to Kollwitz.
Cézanne & the Modern French Print 07/02–07/06
Rare prints by Cézanne, Manet, Vuillard, Millet & Renoir.
BARBER LATES
After-hours art – talks, workshops, tours. See website for details/dates.

BIRMINGHAM HIPPODROME [5]

Hurst Street, Southside B5 4AT
Mon–Sat 10am–Late
birminghamhippodrome.com

One of the UK's busiest theatres, Birmingham Hippodrome has an expanding programme of visual and digital arts in and around the building.

Ways of Belonging: Taste 27/02–29/05
An Ort Gallery offsite exhibition questioning the issue of working-class representation in the culture sector through the work of four artists working and living in and around Birmingham: Adam Neal, Asuf Ishaq, Nilupa Yasmin and Santhanha.

BIRMINGHAM MUSEUM & ART GALLERY [6]

Chamberlain Square B3 3DH
Mon–Thurs 10am–5pm
Fri 10.30am–5pm, Sat–Sun 10am–5pm
Birminghammuseums.org.uk

From Renaissance masterpieces through to the modern and contemporary; discover a world-class collection of art in this Grade II* listed museum, first opened in 1885.

Birmingham Revolutions – Power to the People until 04/09
Discover the history of activism, protest and social change in our city.
Dressed to the Nines until 04/09
Explore dressing up and going out from 1850 to the present day.
Wildlife Photographer of the Year 23/05–06/09
The world-renowned photography exhibition from the Natural History Museum.

BOM [7]

1 Dudley Street B5 4EG
Gallery: Wed–Sat 12–5pm
Café: Mon–Fri 9–5pm, Sat 12–5pm
bom.org.uk

BOM is a centre for art, technology and science dedicated to creative innovation with purpose.

Herstory Until 25/04
An exhibition about reproductive innovation, rights and politics.
Doodle From 08/05
Draw! Make! Do! Creative, family friendly fun by artists Holly Gramazio and John Sear.
Doodle 07/05, 6pm
Preview event.
Art & Tech Social
Monthly workshop/talks bringing art and technology together. See website for dates.

CENTRALA [8]

Unit 4 Minerva Works 158 Fazeley St B5 5RT
Wed–Sat 12–8pm
centrala-space.org.uk

Centrala is a creative space with an art gallery, café and live music, where Central and Eastern European art meets community engagement.

Paulina Korobkiewicz–Udarny Trud to 27/03
A solo show of a London based Polish photographer Paulina Korobkiewicz.
Neozone collective exhibition 03/04–10/05
An exhibition of a collective of anonymous female artists based in Berlin, curated by Flatpack Festival and Centrala. See website for details.

DIGBETH FIRST FRIDAY [*]

Location varies, see website for details. First Friday of the month, 6pm–late.
digbethfirstfriday.com

Time to try something new as Digbeth comes alive on the First Friday of each month with late openings, special events in galleries, culture in unexpected spaces, live music, street food and more.

Digbeth First Friday March 06/03, 6pm to late
Digbeth First Friday April 03/04, 6pm to late
Digbeth First Friday May 01/05, 6pm to late
Exhibitions, performances, events, screenings and more across Digbeth. See website for details.

EASTSIDE PROJECTS [9]

86 Heath Mill Lane
B9 4AR
Weds–Sat 12–5pm

eastsideprojects.org

Eastside Projects is an artist run multiverse, commissioning, producing and presenting experimental art practices and demonstrating ways in which art may be useful as part of society.

In the Castle of My Skin to 11/04
Exhibition by Sonia Boyce.
The Yellow Wallpaper to 11/04
Solo show by Lindsey Mendick.
Selfie Choreography 06/03, 6.30–7.30pm
Performance by Harold Offeh.
Duplicate Publishing Fair 03/04 6–9pm, 04/04 12–4pm
When Screens Break 02/05–11/07
Solo show by Emma Talbot.
Strange Matter 02/05–11/07
Solo show by Luke Routledge.
Exhibitions launch 01/05, 6–8pm

GRAND UNION [10]

Grand Union
Minerva Works 158
Fazeley Street
B5 5RS.

Junction Works
106 Fazeley Street
Digbeth B5 5RS
Grand Union Gallery:
Wed–Sat 12–5pm
Junction Works: 24
Hours per day.
grand-union.org.uk

Grand Union is a gallery and artists' studios complex. We support learning, creating numerous contexts for art and life to intersect.

Love & Solidarity 07/02–17/04
Solo 'sister' exhibition by Jamie Crewe co-commissioned with Humber Street Gallery, Hull.
The Empire Remains Shop Birmingham 17/01–30/08
New commission by Alberta Whittle at Junction Works.
THINKING FUTURES 06/03–29/05
A wall hanging created by young people in Birmingham.
Artist Led FLORA WALK 03/04 6.30pm
Booking details on website.

IKON GALLERY [11]

1 Oozells Square,
Brindley Place
B1 2HS
Tues–Sun 11am–5pm
ikon-gallery.org/

An internationally acclaimed contemporary art gallery, showing work by artists from around the world. Enjoy free exhibitions, tours and workshops or browse Ikon's independent shop.

John Newling 04/03–31/05
Newling explores the natural world and social and economic systems.
Judy Watson 04/03–31/05
Australian Indigenous artist Watson shows new paintings and video.
Yhonnie Scarce 09/04–31/05
Australian Indigenous artist Scarce explores the political aesthetics of glass.

LUX GALLERY [12]

13 Greenfield
Crescent Edgbaston
B15 3BE
Opening Spring 2020
Luxgallery.co.uk

Lux Gallery is a fully independent fine art gallery and photography studio opening this Spring in Edgbaston.

This spring Lux Gallery opens its doors, boasting a host of exclusive artists and works to Birmingham. With a new exhibition every month, regular events and an in-house photographic studio. Please follow our social media pages for updates.

MIDLANDS ARTS CENTRE [13]

Cannon Hill Park
Birmingham
B12 9QH
MAC is open every day 9am–late
macbirmingham.co.uk

A lively arts centre with a huge multi-disciplinary programme, making art an important part of everyday lives since 1962.

The Influence Project continues to 22/03
Photography exhibition.
Art and Social Change: The Disability Arts Movement
Continues to 22/03
Group exhibition.
Caroline Walker: Women's Work 04/04–28/06
Painting exhibition.
Maxine Walker: UNTITLED 04/04–21/06
Photography exhibition.
Exhibition Launch 04/04, 2–4pm

ORT GALLERY [14]

496 Moseley Road
B12 9AH
Wed–Sat 12–5pm
ortgallery.co.uk

Ort Gallery is an artist-led exhibition space in Balsall Heath with the social mission to facilitate dialogue in the community.

Professional Development Session 11/03, 6pm
How do I fund my practice? £5/3.
Artist Talk 14/03, 2–3.30pm
Daniel Regan & Antonia Attwood.
Recipes of Resistance 21/03–02/05
Group Show featuring Raju Rage, Sabba Khan, Navi Kaur, Jasleen Kaur.
Curator Talk 07/04, 6.30pm
Sylvia Theuri "How to become a curator" £5/3.

RECENT ACTIVITY [15]

80–82 Floodgate
Street B5 5SR
Thurs–Sat 12–5pm
(during exhibitions)
recentactivity.org.uk

Recent Activity is a curatorial project that delivers exhibitions and events.

See website for programme details.

RBSA [16]

4 Brook Street
B3 1SA
Mon–Sat 10.30am–5pm
Sun 1–5pm
rbsa.org.uk

The Royal Birmingham Society of Artists is an artist-led charity which supports artists and promotes engagement with the visual arts through exhibitions and events.

RBSA Open 05/03–04/04
An open submission exhibition that brings together artists working in all media.
Candidates 07/04–19/04
Annual showcase of work by artists in the election process to become RBSA Members and Associates.
20 Years in the JQ 06/05–06/06
Exhibition celebrating the RBSA Gallery's 20th year in the Jewellery Quarter.

SOLID PROJECTS [17]

The Old Print Works
498–506 Moseley
Road Balsall Heath
B12 9AH
Opening times may vary, see website for details.
solid-projects.co.uk/

Solid Projects is an artist-run curatorial platform located at The Old Print Works in Balsall Heath

Retrograde 14/03–15/03
Public View 14/03, 6–9pm with art and music.
Talk & Tour 15/03, 12–2pm.
CONCRETE 09/05–10/05
Public View 09/05, 6–9pm with art and sound.
Performance 10/05, 12–2pm.

Please check website for more details.

STEAMHOUSE [18]

108 Digbeth, B5 6DT
Opening times vary, see website for details
steamhouse.org.uk

A centre for creative and collaborative innovation, STEAMhouse supports people from different backgrounds to make, prototype and bring amazing new ideas to life.

See website for events programme and details about how to become a member.

STRYX [19]

Unit 13 Minerva
Works 158 Fazeley
Street
B5 5RS
Opening times vary, see website for details.
stryx.co.uk

Stryx is a female-artist led studio & exhibition space. Formed in 2012, Stryx is an incubator for talent, supporting emerging artists in West Midlands.

Conniveo 06/03
Georgia Tucker, BBC New Creative – artist will combine virtual reality with a physical installation.
Artist in residency 03/04
See website for details.
Studio holders show 01/05
Group exhibition of Stryx's studio holders.

THE GAP [20]

498 Moseley Road
Balsall Heath
B12 9AH
Wed–Sat 11am–5pm
thegapartsproject.co.uk

A space for creative and cultural action with a diverse project and event programme. Our gallery is dedicated to showcasing artwork by local young artists.

KATHARSIS: Purification Through Art 22/02–07/03
Exhibition of illustrations by Amarno Inai on mental health.
Suspect Objects Suspect Subjects 18/03–28/03
Exhibition by Faisal Hussain responding to the victimisation of Muslim communities.
Making for Change Expo 09/05–06/06
Exhibition by Craftspace showcasing their youth craftivism projects.

THE HIVE [21]

43–47 Vittoria Street
Jewellery Quarter
B1 3PE
Mon–Fri
8am–3.30pm
Weekend opening times vary, see website for details.
thehiveJQ.org

The Hive is a mixed-use industrial venue with a gallery, organic vegetarian Café and Bakery, Makers Craft Studio and Heritage Lounge. Free entry and accessible.

The Fading City 02/03–14/03
New print work by Jemma Gunning and Tracey Thorne.
The Machinery 20/03–15/03
Collaborative sound and video installation by Caroline Radcliffe, Sarah Angliss and Jon Harrison.
Silent History 21/04–09/06
Exhibition exploring personal experiences, history and contemporary views of D/deaf, visually impaired and disabled workers in the city.

VIVID PROJECTS [22]

16 Minerva Works
158 Fazeley Street
B5 5RS
Opening times vary, see website for details.
vividprojects.org.uk

Vivid Projects is a collaborative project space exploring all forms of media arts practice.

WORK 03/04–25/04
Exhibition of films that explore the realities of what 'work' means for the way we live today.
Cut, Copy, Remix
Thru April in association with BMAG.
Black Hole Club 2020 Cohort 01/05 6–8pm
Launch.
Vivid Alumni Residents
Events thru May, see website for programme details.

The next Art Map will list exhibitions and events from 1 June 2020 – 31 August 2020. The submission deadline is 1 May. A listing costs between £40 and £100 depending on the nature of your project. We only accept visual arts listings, but define this broadly. Drop us a line at artmap@eastsideprojects.org to find out more.