

Look Think Talk & Do

Education and Learning Programme Impressions Gallery, Centenary Square, Bradford



New for Autumn 2011

Impressions Gallery is one of the UK's independent leading venues for photography and is located in the heart of Bradford city centre. The *Look, Think, Talk and Do* education programme offers schools, colleges and community groups a range of workshops, talks and activities to engage and inspire. Each session can be specifically tailored to the needs of your student group to ensure the students have the best educational experience in the gallery.

Visual Literacy Workshops

These one-hour sessions come with printed learning materials including colour images, critical text and artist sound bites. The workshops are highly popular as they offer an in-depth learning experience focusing on our current exhibition, and also allow students to take learning materials away to support further study. Suitable for Key Stage 2 and up and all Higher Education.

How to book

Each Visual Literacy Workshop is £55+VAT. Maximum 30 students.

Please contact Indya Mealing, Audience Development and Learning Manager to book your workshop:

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Planning your visit

Where we are

Impressions Gallery is located in Centenary Square, opposite City Hall. We're on the first floor, behind the Big Screen. The entrance is located at the Godwin Street end of the building.

The Studio

With panoramic views over Centenary Square, the Studio is a vibrant, dedicated activity space. Light and airy, the space is ideal for learning and great for your group to relax and eat packed lunches. Our lockers can be used free of charge to store personal belongings.

Access

The main entrance is at street level and power assisted doors are in operation. The gallery is on the first floor and there is a passenger lift to the first floor within the ground floor entrance area.

There are accessible toilets on the first floor, plus an additional separate disabled toilet.

Workshop materials can be provided in large print on request. An induction loop is fitted at the Welcome Desk and portable hearing loops are available.



Red Saunders

Hidden

28 September to 10 December 2011

Red Saunders' epic photographic tableaux vivants (living pictures) recreate momentous but overlooked events from Britain's struggle for democracy and equality. Focussing on the contributions of ordinary men and women, rather than the monarchs and 'Great Men' that dominate official history, Saunders seeks to shed light on the parallel, 'hidden history' of revolutionaries and radicals.

The impressively large-scale works, some six metres long, feature amongst others William Cuffay, a black worker and son of a slave, signing the great 'People's Charter' of 1842; Mary Wollstonecraft, the author of *A Vindication of the Rights of Women* and precursor of modern feminism; and triumphant rebel leader Wat Tyler after his peasant army seized London in 1381.



Showing as part of *Ways of Looking: A New Festival of Photography in Bradford*, throughout October 2011

Venues include National Media Museum, Gallery II University of Bradford and Bradford 1 Gallery. For more information visit www.waysoflooking.org



Thomas Paine, 1772
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Mary Wollstonecraft and the Newington Green Dissenters, 1784
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About Impressions Gallery

Impressions Gallery promotes photography that gets you looking, thinking and talking. Established in 1972 as one of the first specialist photographic galleries in Europe we have grown to become one of the UK's leading independent venues for contemporary photography and we show the best of today's photographers. Since our beginning, we have supported and encouraged artists who have challenged and changed photography.

We are a not-for-profit organisation who are dedicated towards providing the local community and our wider international audiences the very best of contemporary photography.

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