

Artist Bio

Michelle Kurth was born in Essex in the UK. She studied Graphic Design at Southend on Sea College of Technology in Essex. She worked as a designer in London for over twenty years, and was Managing Director of her own design company in South London which produced work for prestigious clients in Europe and the US.

She became an artist facilitator for ActionSpace, London in 2006; working with Artists with Learning Disabilities. She curated 9 exhibitions for the artists in and around London and in 2016 received Arts Council funding to collaborate with one of the artists to have a 3 month residency and exhibition at The FreeSpace Gallery, London. She gave a talk about this project at The Royal Academy of Arts in London the following year.

Michelle began working with Constructed textiles in 2011, and she started tapestry weaving in 2014. She has exhibited her work in the UK, US and Australia, and in 2017 was one of the Irene Davies emerging Artists at The Australian Tapestry workshop. She moved to The Sunshine Coast, Queensland Australia in 2017