

John Robinson

CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

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| 2008 | Masters in Fine Art (Distinction), Central Saint Martins, London, UK |
| 2003 | BA (Hons) in Fine Art, First Class, Falmouth College of Arts, Falmouth, UK |

AWARDS

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| 2026 | Contemporary British Painting Prize, long listed, Contemporary British Painting, UK |
| 2016 | Hauser and Wirth Prize, Hauser and Wirth Somerset, UK, First Prize |
| 2008 | Premio de Pintura Focus-Abengoa, Seville, Spain, Winner |
| 2007 | Alfa Romeo Award Art, 'Best of show', Madrid, Spain, nominee
South Square Trust Scholarship for MA study at Byam Shaw School of Art, Central Saint Martins, London |
| 2005 | Richard Ford Award for Painting, Royal Academy, London, First Place |
| 1999 | Peter Spicer Award for Excellence in Creative Arts, First Place |

SOLO EXHIBITIONS (SELECTED)

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| 2026 | 'People Ruin Paintings', Denode Foundation, Ghent, Belgium, February – April 2026 |
| 2025 | 'The Shed', 10 & zero uno, Venice, Italy
'Cuckold', Tonnheim Gallery, Madrid, Spain |
| 2023 | 'Verso', curated by Domenico de Chirico, 102 Gallery, organised by Zuecca Projects, Turin, Italy |
| 2022 | 'Thug', Woolbridge Art Gallery, Biella, Italy |
| 2021 | 'Chut', Anima Mundi Gallery, St Ives, UK |

2019	<i>'Jenny Agutter'</i> , Division of Labour Gallery, Worcester, UK <i>'I Love You I'm Sorry'</i> , Bruton Art Factory, Bruton, UK
2018	<i>'Before Us Stands Yesterday'</i> , Bruton Art Factory, Bruton, UK
2014	<i>'Reboot'</i> , Division of Labour Gallery, Worcester, UK
2013	<i>'Time will Tell'</i> , Meadow Arts commission at Croft Castle, Hereford, in association with the Arts Council Great Britain, Hereford, UK
2012	<i>'Reset Manifesto'</i> , Division of Labour Gallery, Worcester, UK
2011	<i>'Love's Labours Lost'</i> , Division of Labour Gallery, Worcester, UK <i>'Albrecht's Birthday 1514'</i> , My Name's Lolita Art, Madrid, Spain <i>'Albrecht's Birthday 1513'</i> , The Art Gallery, University of the Arts, London, UK (Performance)
2009	<i>'I thought these things might be clues'</i> , My Name's Lolita Art, Madrid, Spain
2008	<i>'Paintings'</i> , Galeria Xanon, Bilbao, Spain
2007	Galeria Rita Castellote, Madrid, Spain
2005	<i>'John Robinson: Cuadros'</i> , Museo del Ferrocarril, Madrid, Spain

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (SELECTED)

2025	<i>'The Turn'</i> , curated by Shakthi Shrima, 1 Poultry, London, UK
2024	<i>'Bienllgado'</i> , Tonnheim Gallery, Madrid, Spain
2023	<i>'The Many Faces of the Self'</i> , Ars Belga, Brussels, Belgium <i>'Weltgeist'</i> , Galerie Kandlhofer, Wien, Austria
2022	<i>'Unstable Monuments'</i> , curated by Jesse Leroy-Smith & Matthew Benington, The Courts, Bristol <i>'Thresholds (The Unnamed)'</i> , Anima Mundi Gallery, St Ives, UK

2021	Wadström Tönnheim Gallery, Drawing Room Art Fair, Madrid, Spain <i>'Castles of Sand'</i> , Anima Mundi Gallery, St Ives, UK
2020	<i>'Dreamsongs: From Medicine to Demons to Artificial Intelligence'</i> , Colnaghi, London, UK Division of Labour, Drawing Room Art Fair, Madrid, Spain
2019	Division of Labour, Artissima Art Fair, Turin, Italy Simmons and Simmons, New Acquisitions, London, UK The Chapel Gallery, Manchester Contemporary art fair, Manchester, UK Pitt Projects, Just Mad Art Fair, Lisbon, Portugal <i>'Interiors'</i> , Division of Labour, Salford, Manchester, UK <i>'P is for Portrait'</i> , Division of Labour, Worcester, UK <i>'Velazquez Variations'</i> , Colchester Institute of Art, Colchester, UK Pitt Projects, Just Mad, Madrid, Spain Division of Labour, Art Rotterdam, Rotterdam, Netherlands
2018	Edge Projects, Manchester Contemporary, Manchester, UK
2017	<i>'Soup Kitchen of Love'</i> , Bruton Art Factory, Bruton, UK
2016	<i>'Wild Wild West'</i> , Bruton Art Factory, Bruton, UK <i>'234 Puntos'</i> , My Name's Lolita Art, Madrid, Spain
2015	<i>'Cryopreservation: Need Flowers Tomorrow?'</i> , Syson Gallery, Nottingham, UK
2014	<i>'Homage to January'</i> , Division of Labour, Worcester, UK Division of Labour Gallery and Star Gallery Beijing, Art14, Olympia, London, UK <i>'John and Sally again'</i> , Star Gallery, Beijing, China
2012	My Name's Lolita Art, Arte Lisboa, Lisbon, Portugal
2011	Division of Labour, Art Brussels, Belgium Division of Labour Gallery, Vilnius Art, Vilnius, Lithuania
2010	<i>'Albrecht's Birthday'</i> , Gallery 252, London, UK, curated by John Robinson My Name's Lolita Art, EMAT Torrente, Valencia, Spain

2009	My Name's Lolita Art, 'Stand OFF', Madrid, Spain
2008	'Future Map 2008', The David Roberts Foundation, London, UK Focus-Abengoa Painting Prize, Seville, Spain 'La búsqueda de El Dorado', Amelia Moreno Foundation at 'El Espacio del Arte El Dorado', V Encuentro de Artistas, Toledo, Spain 'Miniaturas', Galeria Xanon, Bilbao, Spain Selected works by DeArte, Cofares Foundation, Madrid, Spain
2003	Falmouth College of Arts, Degree Show, Falmouth, UK
2002	Royal College of Art, Hunting Art Prize, London, UK Beside the Wave Gallery, Falmouth, UK

RESIDENCIES

2023	Zuecca Projects residency, Venice, Italy, February 2023
2013	Meadow Arts, Croft Castle, Hereford, in association with the Arts Council of Great Britain
2004	Richard Ford Award for Painting, Royal Academy, London, selected participant, study of paintings in the Prado Museum, Madrid, Spain

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLECTIONS (SELECTED)

Arts Council Collection, UK	Nicolas & Maxine Leslau Collection, London, UK
British Council Collection, UK	
Wellcome Collection, London, UK	Focus-Abengoa Foundation, Seville, Spain
Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, Netherlands	Museo del Ferrocarril, Madrid, Spain
University of the Arts London permanent collection, London, UK	Coldwell Banker, Madrid, Spain
Damien Hirst Collection, UK	Sammlung Oberhof, Germany
Chris Martin Collection, UK	Bruin-Heijn Collection, Portugal
	Falmouth College of Arts Library, Falmouth, UK
	Hereford School of Art, Hereford, UK

TEACHING

2022– Visiting Lecturer, Falmouth College of Arts, Falmouth, UK (present)