

MIKE NELSON

BORN

1967 Loughborough, United Kingdom
Lives and works in London

EDUCATION

1992-93 Chelsea College of Art & Design, MA Sculpture
1986-90 Reading University, BA (Hons) Fine Art - first class

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2026 'Anniversary Exhibition: Mike Nelson', Modern Art Oxford, United Kingdom
2025 'M62 (East, West)', Leeds Art Gallery, United Kingdom
'Humpty Dumpty, a transient history of Mardin earthworks, low rise', Fruitmarket, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
2024 'Balancing Conflicts, Cure and Care and Imagining Futures', Manifesta15, Barcelona
2023 Extinction Beckons, Hayward Gallery, London
2022 'The Book of Spells, (a speculative fiction)', Matt's Gallery, London
2021 'The House of the Farmer", Palazzo Dell'Agricoltore, Parma
2019 'PROJEKTÖR (Gürün Han)', Protocinema, Istanbul, Turkey
'Tate Britain Commission', Tate Britain, London, United Kingdom
2018 Officine Grandi Riparazioni, Turin, Italy
'Lionheart', The New Art Gallery Walsall, Walsall, England
2017 'A52', Capri, Düsseldorf, Germany
'Procession, process. Progress, progression. Regression, recession. Recess, regress', Galleria Franco Moero, Torino, Italy
2016 'Cloak', Nouveau Musée National de Monaco, Monaco
'Sensory Spaces 8', Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen, Rotterdam
'Imperfect Geometry for a Concrete Quarry', Kalkbrottet, Limhamn, Malmö
'Tools That See', Neugerriemschneider, Berlin, Germany

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- 2015 303 Gallery, New York, NY
Artangel, London, United Kingdom
- 2014 'Studio apparatus for Kunsthalle Münster', Kunsthalle Münster, Germany
'80 Circles through Canada' Tramway, Glasgow
'Amnesiac Hide' The Power Plant, Toronto, Canada
- 2013 'Mike Nelson' Contemporary Art Gallery, Vancouver, Canada
'More things (To the memory of Honoré de Balzac)', Matt's Gallery, London
'M6', Eastside Projects, Birmingham, United Kingdom
- 2012 Malmo Konsthall, Malmo, Sweden
- 2011 54th Venice Biennale, British Pavilion, Venice, Italy
- 2010 303 Gallery, New York, NY
- 2009 'Triptych', Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin, Ireland
'The caves of misplaced geometry', Galleria Franco Noero, Torino, Italy
'Kristus och Judas: a structural conceit (a performance in three parts)', Statens Museum for Kunst, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2008 'Le Cannibale (Parody, Consumption and Institutional Critique)', Villa Arson, Nice, France
- 2007 'A Psychic Vacuum', Creative Time Project, New York, NY
Art|38|Basel, Public Art Projects, Galleria Franco Noero, Torino, Italy
'Lonely Planet', ACCA, Australian Center for Contemporary Art, Melbourne, Australia
- 2006 'Mirror Infill', Frieze Projects, Frieze art fair, London, United Kingdom
'After Jack Kerouac', Centre d'Art Santa Monica, Barcelona, Spain
'Amnesiac Shrine or Double Coop Displacement', Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 2005 'Spanning Fort Road and Mansion Street - between a formula and a code',
commissioned by Turner Contemporary, Margate, United Kingdom
'The Unforgiven / Gli Spietati', Galleria RomaRomaRoma, Roma, Italy
'Agent Dickson at the Red Star Hotel', curated by Cristiana Perrella, The British School at Rome, Roma, Italy
'Studio apparatus for Mamco', Mamco-musée d'art moderne et contemporain,
Geneva, Switzerland (publication)
- 2004 'Triple Bluff Canyon', Modern Art Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom (publication)
CCAC Institute, San Francisco, CA
- 2001 'Nothing is True. Everything is Permitted', Institute of Contemporary Art, London, United Kingdom (publication)
'The Deliverance and The Patience', Peer Commission for the 2001 Venice Biennale,
Giudecca, Venice, Italy

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- 2000 'The Coral Reef', Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom (publication)
- 1999 'TOURIST HOTEL', Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin, Ireland (publication)
'To The Memory of H.P. Lovecraft', Collective Gallery, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
- 1998 'On-site Project', Camden Art Centre, London, United Kingdom
- 1997 'Master of Reality', Berwick Gymnasium Gallery, Berwick-upon-Tweed
'Lionheart', Galerie im KunstlerHaus, Bremen, Germany
'The Amnesiacs', Campbells Occasionally, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1996 'TRADING STATION ALPHA Cma', Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'No can Teach A Dog Old Tricks New', Academia De Arta, Bucharest, Romania
- 1995 'Agent Dickson at the Red Star Hotel', Hales Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 1994 'Charity Shop', Transmission Gallery, Glasgow, United Kingdom

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 'All Crescendo, No Reward', Zabudowicz Collection, London, UK
- 2019 'Utopia/Dystopia Revisited curated by Yuko Shiraishi', Annely Juda Fine Art, London, UK
'4 Bed Detached Home of Metal', New Art Gallery Walsall, Walsall, UK
'303 Gallery: 35 Years', New York, NY
- 2018 Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju, South Korea
'250th Summer Exhibition', Royal Academy, London, United Kingdom
'Indicators: Artists on Climate Change', Storm King, Cornwall, NY
- 2017 'The Everywhere Studio', The Institute of Contemporary Art, Miami, FL
- 2016 'Found', The Foundling Museum, London, UK
'Wanderlust', The High Line, New York, NY
- 2015 13th Lyon Biennale, Lyon, France
- 2014 'Inside', Palais de Tokyo, Paris, France
- 2013 'Folk Devil', David Zwirner, New York
- 2011 'Open House', Singapore Biennale 2011, Singapore
'Never the Same River (Possible Futures, Probable Pasts)', Camden Arts Centre, London, United Kingdom
'The Art of Climbing Mountains' 303 Gallery, New York, NY

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- 2010 'Crash: Homage to JG Ballard', Gagosian Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 2009 'Altermodern', Tate Triennial, Tate Britain, London, United Kingdom
'Journey With No Return', Akbank Cultural Centre, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2008 'A show of many parts, each part more spectacular and elaborate than the last', The City Gallery, Leicester, United Kingdom
'Reality Check', Staten Museum for Kunst, Copenhagen, Denmark
'You Dig the Tunnel, I'll Hide the Soil', White Cube, London, United Kingdom
'Psycho Buildings – Artists and Architecture', Hayward Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'Eclipse – Art in a Dark Age', Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden
'Of this tale I cannot guarantee a single word', Royal College of Art, London, United Kingdom
'Martian Museum of Terrestrial Art – Mission: to interpret and understand contemporary art', Barbican Art Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'Print The Legend – The Myth of the West', The Fruitmarket Gallery, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
- 2007 'The Turner Prize', Tate Liverpool, United Kingdom
'Breaking Step/U Raskoraku', Museum of Contemporary Art, British Council, Belgrade, Serbia
- 2006 'Al Fuoco', Galleria Franco Noero, Torino, Italy
'Wandering Rocks', Gimpel Fils Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'A Secret Service - Art, Compulsion, Concealment', Hatton Gallery, Newcastle/Tyne, United Kingdom
'John Frumism', curated by Rob Tufnell, Hotel Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 2005 'No Manifesto', GAMEC, Bergamo, Italy
'Still Life-Naturaleza muerta, arte contemporáneo británico y peruano', Museo de Arte de Lima, Lima, Peru
'Strange Weather', Modern Art, London, United Kingdom
'Into My World', Aldrich Contemporary art Museum, Ridgefield, CT
'Poetic Justice', 8th International Istanbul Biennial, Turkey (publication)
'Monuments to the USA', CCA Wattis Institute for Contemporary Arts, San Francisco, CA
- 2004 XXVI° São Paulo Biennial, São Paulo, Brazil
'Capp Street project: 20th Anniversary Exhibition', CCAC Wattis Institute of Contemporary Arts, San Francisco, CA (publication)
'Micro/Macro British Art 1996-2002', MŰCSARNOK | KUNSTHALLE BUDAPEST, Budapest, Hungary (publication)
- 2003 'Independence', South London Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 2002 Biennale of Sydney, curated by Richard Grayson, Australia (New commission: '42 Orwell Street') (publication)
- 2001 'The Cosmic Legend of the Uroboros Serpent', Turner prize, Tate Britain, London, United Kingdom
'Intentional Communities', curated by Charles Esche, Rooseum - Center for Contemporary Art, Malmo, Sweden
'Settlements', curated by Jacob Fabricius, Nikolaj Contemporary Art Center, Copenhagen,

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- Denmark (New Commission: The Genie)
- 2000 'British Art Show 5', National Touring Exhibitions for Hayward Gallery, London, United Kingdom.
'Another Place', Tramway, Glasgow, United Kingdom (New Commission: 'The Resurrection of Captain Mission')
- 1999 'Holding Court', Entwistle, London, United Kingdom.
'Word enough to save a life, Word enough to take a life', curated by Simon Morrissey, (New Commission: 'Melnais Kakis') Clare College Mission Church, London, United Kingdom
'It's Immaterial', Chiltern Sculpture Trail, Oxford, United Kingdom
'The Office of Misplaced Events (Temporary Annexe)', Lotta Hammer, London, United Kingdom
- 1998 'Grey Area - Andrew Bannister/Philip Lai/Mike Nelson', Bonnington Gallery, Nottingham, United Kingdom
'Camouflage 2000', Gallerie Praz-Delavallade, Paris, France
'How to build a universe that doesn't fall apart two days later', Fly, Glasgow, United Kingdom
'Show me the Money III', Duke's Mews, London, United Kingdom
'It', Sali Gia, London, United Kingdom
- 1997 'Wish You Were Here Too', Glasgow, United Kingdom
'Oktober 1917 – 1997', Norwich Gallery, Norwich, United Kingdom
- 1996 'Transit Zone - Mike Nelson/Ania Rachmat/Erlend Williamson', W139, Amsterdam, Netherland
'Kling Klang', HMS Plymouth, East Boat Dock, Liverpool, United Kingdom
'BACKSPACE', Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom

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Luke, Ben. "A Brush with...Mike Nelson", The Art Newspaper, online, April 3.
Hughes, Helen. "Mike Nelson on Extinction and The Debris of Modern Life, Ocula, online, March 29.
Collinge, Miranda. "The Lost Worlds of Mike Nelson", Esquire, online, February 21.
- 2020 "How Artist Mike Nelson Turns Traffic Cones, Old Vehicles, and Outdated Machines Into Art, Art Basel, online, March.
- 2019 Mohebbi, Sohrab. "Top Ten", Artforum, online, December.
Khan, Tabish. "The Top 7 Art Exhibitions To See In London During Frieze Week", Fad Magazine, online, September 29.

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- Hanson, Matt. "The Worker As Critic: Protocinema Presents Projektör", Daily Sabah, online, May 11.
- Seymour, Tom. "Mike Nelson fashions a sculptural collage of Britain's industrial age", Wallpaper, online, April 3.
- Cumming, Laura. "Mike Nelson: The Asset Strippers review – his all-time masterpiece", The Guardian, online, March 24.
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- Luke, Ben. "Mike Nelson – The Asset Strippers review: Exhilarating encounter with ruins of past glory", London Evening Standard, online, March 21.
- Buck, Louisa. "Powerful, political and pungent: Mike Nelson's Tate Britain commission", The Art Newspaper, online, March 20.
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- 2006
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- Mending the Breach, Eleanor Hartney, [Art in America](#), Istanbul Biennial, December
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Mike Nelson: Triple Bluff Canyon, Caroline Boucher, Observer Review, 16 May
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Mike Nelson: The Pumpkin Palace, Moira Jeffrey, The Herald, Friday 13 August
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A Theatre of Desolate Space, William Packer, Financial Times (Weekend), 13 October
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Master of the Universe, Niru Ratnam, The Face, October
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This artist is building a maze, Mark Irving, The Independent on Sunday, 23 September
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Welcome to My Worlds, Jonathan Jones, The Guardian, 4 September
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- 1998
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- 1997
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'Open House, Singapore Biennale 2011', Singapore
- 2010 "Coral Reef" Tate Publishing, London
- 2009 Torp, Marianne; 'Mike Nelson Kristus Judas: Astructural Conceit (A Performance in Three Parts)'
SMK, Copenhagen
- 2008 'Psycho Buildings: Artists Take on Architecture', Hayward Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'Martian Museum of Terrestrial Art. Mission: to interpret and understand contemporary
art', Barbican Art Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'You Dig the Tunnel, I'll Hide the Soil', White Cube, London, United Kingdom
'Print The Legend: The Myth of the West', The Fruitmarket Gallery, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
'Of This Tale, I Cannot Guarantee A Single Word', Royal College of Art, London, United Kingdom
- 2006 'Lonely Planet', ACCA, Southbank, Australia
- 2005 'Mike Nelson: Between a formula and a code', Turner Contemporary, Margate, United Kingdom
'Studio apparatus for Mamco - an intermediate structure for a museum: introduction, Introduction;
building transplant in three sections; towards a revisiting of future objects, (as Voodoo Strine);

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mysterious island*. *see introduction or humpty dumpty', MAMCO, musée d'art moderne et contemporain, Geneva, Switzerland

- 2004 'Mike Nelson: Triple Bluff Canyon', Modern Art Oxford, United Kingdom
'Magazine', produced by Bookworks, co-published by Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom
'Capp Street Project: 20th Anniversary exhibition', CCAC Wattis Institute of Contemporary Arts, San Francisco, CA
'Micro/ Macro', Mucsarnok, Kunsthalle, Budapest, British Council, Hungary
- 2001 'Turner Prize 2001', Tate Britain, London, United Kingdom
'A Forgotten Kingdom', ICA Institute of Contemporary Arts, London, United Kingdom
'The Genie', an artist's project for Documents, Editor Vincent Pécoil
'British Art Show 5', National Touring Exhibitions for Hayward Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 2000 'Extinction Beckons', with texts by Jaki Irvine, Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 1999 'TOURIST HOTEL', Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin, Ireland
- 1998 'Projects 1997', Galerie im KünstlerHaus, Bremen, Germany
'Pepineres 1995 – 1997', Pepineres
- 1996 'Untitled bookwork', produced to accompany Transit Zone, W139, Amsterdam, Netherlands
'Life/Live', Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, France
- 1995 'Maikafer Flieg', Hochbunker, Cologne, Germany
- 1994 BT New Contemporaries 1993/4

AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

- 2018 Charles Wollaston Award
- 2007 Shortlisted for the Turner Prize, Tate Liverpool
- 2001 Shortlisted for the Turner Prize, Tate Britain
1998-01 Sculpture Research Fellow, Edinburgh College of Art, Edinburgh
- 1996/7 Berwick Gymnasium Fellowship, Berwick-upon-Tweed (6 month residency, Oct 96-Apr 97)
- 1996 Shortlist Award, Paul Hamlyn Foundation Award to Individual Artists: Sculpture & Installation
Pepinieres europeennes pour jeunes artistes (3 month residency, May - July), Bucharest
- 1995 London Arts Board Grant to individual artists
- 1993 First prize winner - Economist Summer Show, London
- 1990 Boise Travel Scholarship - Egypt, Turkey, Syria, North America, Mexico

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SELECTION PANELS

2001 Bloomberg New Contemporaries 2001, London
New Works Scotland, Collective Gallery Program, Edinburgh

TEACHING

Research Fellow, Edinburgh College of Art
Visiting lecturer at Chelsea College of Art, London, MA program
Goldsmith's College, London, MA program
Sheffield Hallam University, BA program
University of Brighton, BA program
Reading University, BA program
University of Portsmouth, BA & MA program
Academia De Arta, Bucharest

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