## The Art Circle April 2020

**Durham University's Art Collection Newsletter** 

# Hello Art Circle!

It's time to get virtual. By now we hope you are relaxing into this new normal, but if not we are here to keep you thinking creatively and pass on some good news just for you.

As we work remotely we have been updating our website. You can now find out more about the Art Collection here. View our collection highlights including work by Sandra Blow, Andy Warhol and Elizabeth Frink.

Art Circles are now available on our website here.

A British Museum touring exhibition

Pushing Paper: Contemporary drawing from 1970 to now

Do not fear if you have missed out on any of our previous newsletters. All previous

## UPDATE

Even though the Oriental Museum, Durham University, is now closed to the public, we have been working behind the scenes to deliver the exhibition to you at home. Watch out

for our new digital exhibition, coming soon to a computer near you!

Featuring artworks from the collections of both the British Museum and Durham University, learn more about the artists and the drawings they created. Download games and activities to get into the drawing mood and don't forget to show us your talent by tagging us into your

social media posts. #PushingPaper Twitter- @DuMuseums Instagram- Oriental.museum.durham Facebook - Oriental Museum

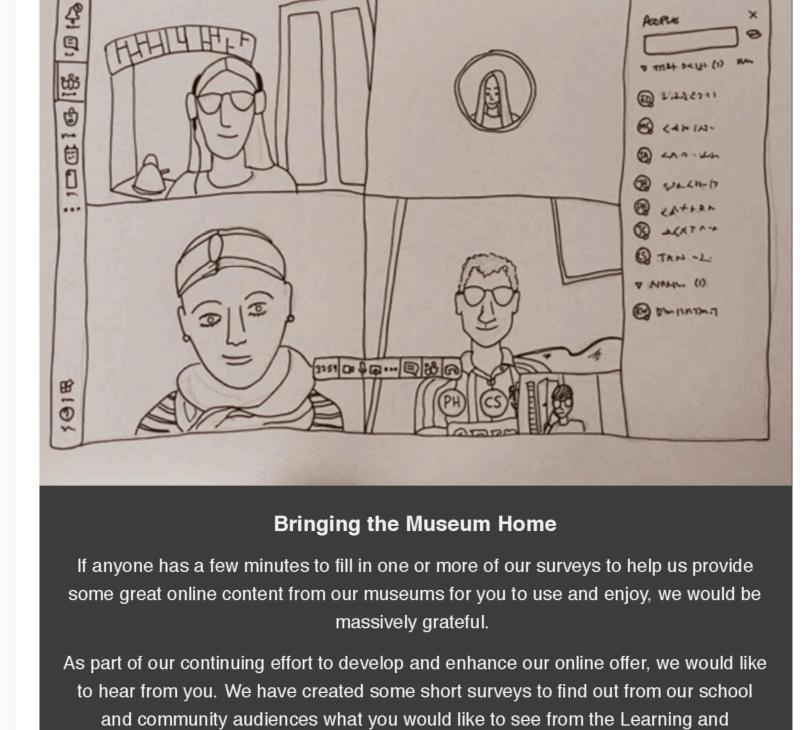
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#### We cannot guarantee we can enact every idea, but understanding what our wonderful users want from us provides a great starting point for our online learning

Engagement Team to help you in the current COVID-19 situation. All of these

resources will focus on the Durham University collections at the Oriental Museum,

Museum of Archaeology, Durham Castle, the Botanic Garden, Palace Green Library

and the Art Collection. We will also consider how we can use the Bill Bryson Library

resources for online research skills and catalogue access.

development.

You can access all surveys here

#ArtistSupportPledge

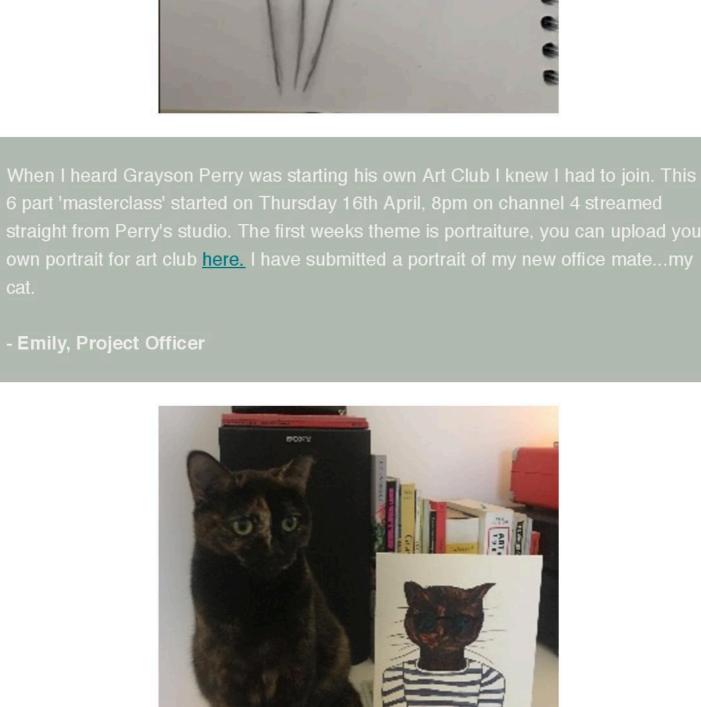
Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, galleries, exhibitions, schools and art sales

#StayatHome recommendations from the Art Circle...

Katie, Exhibition Assistant

#ArtistSupportPledge is an initiative set up by Sussex-based artist Matthew Burrows,

ASP <u>click here</u> and go to the podcast and click on interview. Check out #ArtistSupportPledge on Instagram, Facebook or Twitter and make your



at art.collection@durham.ac.uk What are ICAN (Inter-College Art Network) up to?

ICAN is a student led art group, bringing together Durham University's College

Durham University Art Society (DUAS) are running art challenges that you

You can follow them on their instagram page @duartsoc or on their facebook

Art Societies to help network and promote events and ongoing ideas.

can do from home!

page.

## QuarARTine For the next month, DUAS will be posting a prompt each Monday to encourage our members to stay creative during this

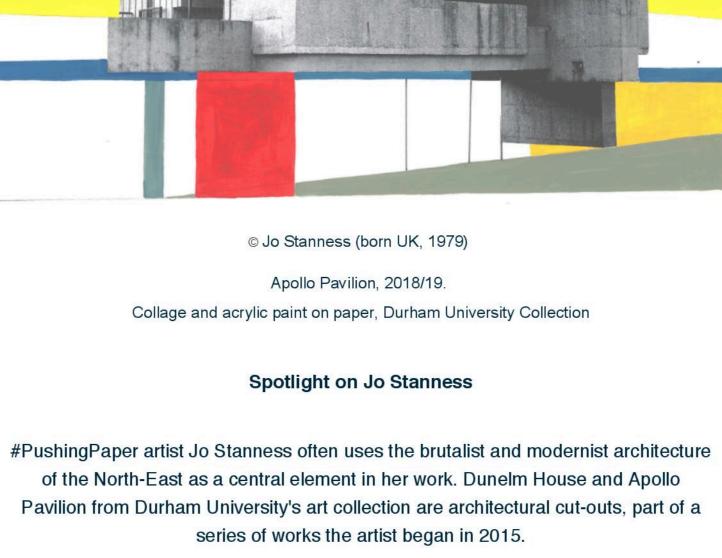
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The prompt could be a material, theme or

style, and we want as many submissions as

Love DUAS x

possible! DM us your work by Sunday each week, and we will feature all work each Sunday afternoon\evening!



'I only follow or extend lines and angles which already exist within the photographic image.' Using this method, Stanness relates the physicality of architecture to three-

dimensional drawing in the landscape.

Thank you for subscribing to our mailing list, keep a look out

for our monthly updates. If you ever want to get in touch with

us directly you can email us at: artcollection@durham.ac.uk

Until next time,

'Architecture can slice through and divide up physical space; I am interested in using

images of structures or elements of buildings as a catalyst for the division of pictorial

space.'

In this work she followed one simple self-imposed rule;

The Art Circle (Alix, Emily and Katie)



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