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FLOWERS

# SMALL IS BEAUTIFUL: 40<sup>TH</sup> EDITION

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Flowers Gallery is pleased to present the 40<sup>th</sup> edition of the annual *Small is Beautiful* exhibition, which will take place at the Cork Street gallery and online.

Flowers first introduced *Small Is Beautiful* in 1974, inviting a select group of contemporary artists working across various media to produce works at a fixed scale of no more than 7 x 9 inches. Since its inception, the show has provided a rare opportunity to showcase smaller pieces by internationally recognised names and discover new talents.

While earlier editions proposed suggested themes, for instance 'Homages' in 1993, 'War & Peace' in 2003 and 'Who's Afraid of Red, Yellow and Blue?' in 2013, *Small Is Beautiful* is now conceived as an open invitation for artists to explore scale in relation to their own practice.

Participating for the first time is Sean Scully, who this year also curated the group show *Hidden UK, Hidden Ireland* at Flowers Gallery Kingsland Road. Also exhibiting for the first time are interdisciplinary artist Adelaide Damoah, photographers Cody Cobb and Mark Duffy and painter Luke Silva. Returning artists include John Loker, who has participated in every edition, Amanda Faulkner who has shown with the gallery since the 1980s, Carol Robertson who first showed at Flowers in 1994 and Ishbel Myerscough who has been represented by the gallery since 2011.



Ayumi Matsuba, *A Woman Lying Down*, 2022,  
acrylic on linen, 20.3 x 20.3 cm

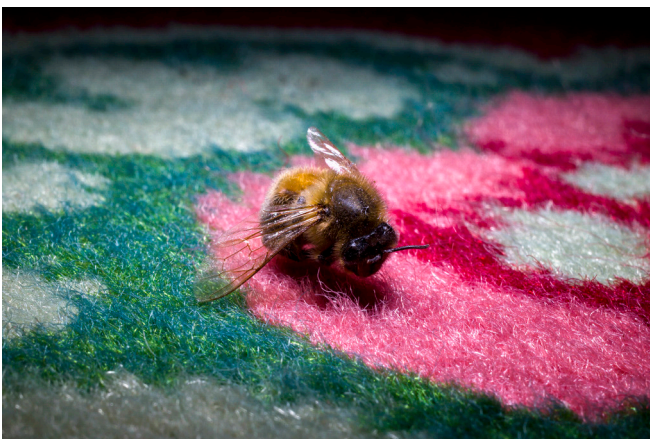
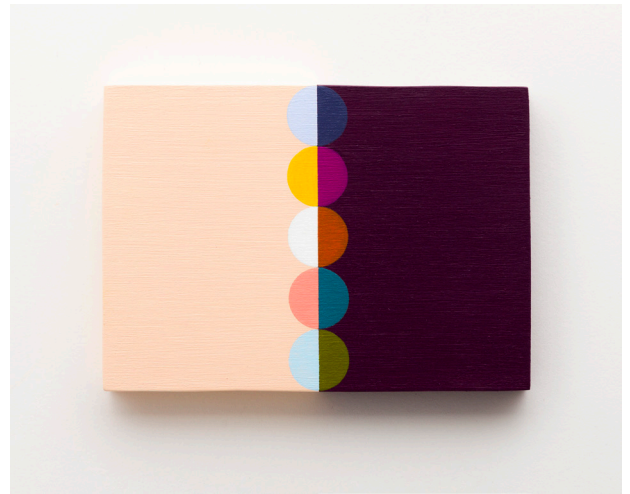
Including:

Adam Taylor  
Adelaide Damoah  
Adrian Wiszniewski  
Aida Tomescu  
Aleah Chapin  
Alexandra Díez de Riveria  
Amanda Faulkner  
Andrew Graves  
Andrew Logan  
Anthony Daley  
Anthony Frost  
Avis Wu  
Ayumi Matsuba  
Boyd & Evans  
Bill Pye  
Carl Randall  
Carlos Alba  
Carol Robertson  
Caroline List  
Charlotte Colbert  
Christopher Gee  
Claerwen James  
Cody Cobb  
David Hephher  
Diana Copperwhite  
Diane Meyer  
Dirk Hardy  
Emma Turpin

Francesca Simon  
Freya Payne  
George Blacklock  
Geraldine Swayne  
Gill Rocca  
Glen Baxter  
Glenys Barton  
Grant Watson  
Hannah Ni Mhaonaigh  
Harriet Taylor  
Henry Kondracki  
Henry Ward  
Humphrey Ocean  
Ishbel Myerscough  
Jamie Routley  
Jane Ackroyd  
Jane Edden  
Janelle Lynch  
Jenny Nelson  
Jennifer McRae  
Jiro Osuga  
Jo Hummel  
John Loker  
John Stark  
Joseph Dupre  
Julie Cockburn  
K Blick  
Kate Giles  
Kathryn Maple

Katie Trick  
Katie Mawson  
Ken Currie  
Kevin Sinnott  
Kristian Evju  
Laura Footes  
Laurence Noga  
Liza Giles  
Lucy Jones  
Luke Silva  
Lynn Dennison  
Maggi Hambling  
Mark Duffy  
Mark Entwisle  
Michael Sandle  
Mona Lee  
Movana Chen  
Nadav Kander  
Naoki Fuku  
Navot Miller  
Nicola Hicks  
Nigel Hall  
Ole Brodersen  
Peter Wylie  
Rebecca Griffiths  
Renny Tait  
Robert Jones  
Rob Wyn Yates  
Sadie Hennesy

Samantha Cary  
Sara Genn  
Sarah Shane  
Scarlet Hooft Graafland  
Sean Henry  
Sean Scully  
Sharon Hall  
Shaun McCracken  
Shen Wei  
Simon Roberts  
Sinead Rice  
Sophie Smallhorn  
Stuart Grant  
Stuart Pearson Wright  
Tabitha Soren  
Tai Shan Schierenberg  
Tim Lewis  
Tomona Matsukawa  
Trevor Sutton  
Unskilled Worker  
Vanessa Garwood  
Vanessa Raw  
Victoria Cantons  
Victoria Crowe  
Virginia Verran  
Xu Yang  
Zachari Logan  
Zara Matthews



Clockwise from top left: Julie Cockburn, *Boat Race 6*, 2022, Hand embroidery and self adhesive vinyl on found photograph, 18.4 cm x 10.3cm; Jennifer McRae, *Angel*, 2022, oil on linen paper, 18 x 13 cm; Carol Robertson, *Madrigal #2*, 2022, oil on board, 12.5 x 17.8 cm; Glenys Barton, *Imprint II*, 2017, ceramic, 20.5 x 16 x 5 cm; Mark Duffy, *Untitled No.12 (On Pugin)*, photographic print, 18 x 23 cm

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Exhibition opening hours: Tuesday - Saturday 11am - 6pm  
Please note the Gallery will be closed to the public from 24 - 31 December