

## Events for Adults at a Glance

Pricing and online booking at [yorkartgallery.org.uk](http://yorkartgallery.org.uk).

### FREE TALKS – no need to book

#### Curator's Choice

Third Wednesday of the month: 12.30pm–1pm.

#### Friends of York Art Gallery Lunchtime Talks

Second Wednesday of the month: 12.30pm–1pm.

#### Visitor Experience Team Talks

Every day between 2pm–3pm (except Wednesday and Saturday).

#### Automaton Clock Talk and Demonstration

Wednesday and Saturday: 2pm–2.30pm.

### WORKSHOPS – book online

#### Sketchbook Circle

Wednesdays: 13 Mar, 10 April, 15 May and 19 June.  
1.30pm–3.30pm.  
Informal drawing group for adults.

#### Art for Wellbeing (16+ only)

Sundays: 10 Mar, 7 Apr, 12 May and 2 June.  
1.30pm–3.30pm.  
Informal practical art sessions for adults.

#### Mindfulness, Drawing and Writing Course

Sundays: 10 Feb, 17 Feb, 17 Mar, 24 Mar.  
A four-day course (two sessions per day) exploring the relationship between mindfulness and creativity.

#### WEA Life Drawing and Painting

Thursdays: 7 Mar, 14 Mar. 10.30am–3pm.  
A two-session course designed to improve students' drawing skills using a range of materials.

## Forthcoming Exhibitions

Discover more and buy tickets at [yorkartgallery.org.uk](http://yorkartgallery.org.uk).

### Sounds Like Her

12 July – 25 August 2019

*Sounds Like Her* is a touring exhibition produced by New Art Exchange (NAE). It brings together seven women artists, including Sonia Boyce MBE RA, from diverse backgrounds each exploring sound as a medium or subject matter in innovative ways.

### The National Gallery Masterpiece Tour 2019

12 July–22 September 2019

York Art Gallery are excited to be displaying *The Triumph of Pan* by Nicolas Poussin, one of the most important and influential painters of the 17th century. This display is part of The National Gallery Masterpiece Tour 2019 sponsored by Christie's.



Nicolas Poussin, *The Triumph of Pan*, 1636 © The National Gallery, London. Bought with contributions from the National Heritage Memorial Fund and the Art Fund, 1982.

### Making a Masterpiece: Bouts and Beyond

11 October 2019–26 January 2020

Inspired by the Dieric Bouts workshop painting, *Saint Luke Drawing the Virgin and Child* (late 15th century), this exhibition of Dutch and Flemish art explores how artists have created images from the northern Renaissance to the present day.



## Plan your visit...

**OPEN DAILY:** 10am – 5pm

York Art Gallery  
Exhibition Square, York YO1 7EW  
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York Art Gallery is approximately 15 minutes walk from York Railway Station. From the station, cross the river and walk towards York Minster. The nearest car parks are Bootham Row and Marygate, which are a five minute walk from York Art Gallery.

Tickets can be purchased in advance or on arrival. For pricing and to book your tickets visit [yorkartgallery.org.uk](http://yorkartgallery.org.uk).

#### CAFÉ

York Art Gallery Café serves hot and cold drinks and a wide variety of delicious snacks. It's the perfect place to stop for coffee and cake.

#### SHOP

Don't miss a visit to our fantastic gallery shops selling art supplies, prints, books, ceramics and much more.

#### ACCESS

York Art Gallery is fully accessible to wheelchair users. A wheelchair is available to borrow on request. Full information is provided on our website.

### Support York Museums Trust

Our collections are of national and international importance, and our museums and galleries welcome thousands of visitors each year. York Museums Trust is a registered charity set up to care for the city's art and heritage and develop them for future generations.

Donations, endowments and bequests of any size are welcomed – any gift makes a difference. For more information, or to make a donation, please visit: [yorkmuseumstrust.org.uk/support-the-trust/donations](http://yorkmuseumstrust.org.uk/support-the-trust/donations)

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# York Art Gallery

## Major New Exhibition



JMW Turner, *Constance*, 1842, watercolour © York Art Gallery.

## Ruskin, Turner & the Storm Cloud

### Watercolours and Drawings

29 March – 23 June 2019

This year York Art Gallery showcases two of the most celebrated artists of the 19th century in this major new exhibition.

To commemorate Ruskin's 200th birthday, *Ruskin, Turner & the Storm Cloud: Watercolours and Drawings* considers John Ruskin's (1819–1900) eloquent critical relationship with the landscapes of JMW Turner (1775–1851) in this partnership exhibition between York Art Gallery and Lakeland Arts.

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## Exhibitions and Events

March – June 2019



## Major New Exhibition

### Ruskin, Turner & the Storm Cloud Watercolours and Drawings



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John Ruskin, *The View from My Window, Mornex*, 1862. © Lakeland Arts. (Also on front cover.)



# Welcome to the Award Winning York Art Gallery

## EXHIBITION HIGHLIGHTS

**Aesthetica Art Prize Exhibition 2019**  
8 March – 14 July 2019

**Ruskin, Turner & the Storm Cloud: Watercolours and Drawings**  
29 March – 23 June 2019

**Children Curate**  
Opens 12 April 2019

**Lucie Rie: Ceramics and Buttons**  
Until 3 November 2019

**Michael Lyons: Ancient and Modern**  
May 2019 – May 2020

## Ruskin, Turner & the Storm Cloud *Watercolours and Drawings*

29 March – 23 June 2019

This major exhibition marks the 200th anniversary of the birth of artist and critic John Ruskin. It will consider Ruskin's relationship with JMW Turner, as well as his concerns about the environment and wellbeing. This partnership exhibition between York Art Gallery and Lakeland Arts will showcase our Turner and Ruskin works together for the first time, complemented by substantial loans from regional and national collections.



JMW Turner, *The Dormitory and Transept of Fountains Abbey – Evening*, 1798.

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## SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS



## AESTHETICA ART PRIZE EXHIBITION

8 March – 14 July 2019

Presenting 2019's shortlisted artists, the Aesthetica Art Prize recognises excellence in contemporary art from across the world within the fields of Photographic & Digital Art; Three Dimensional Design & Sculpture; Painting, Drawing & Mixed Media; and Video, Installation & Performance. This year's exhibition includes work from Turner Prize nominees Jane and Louise Wilson.

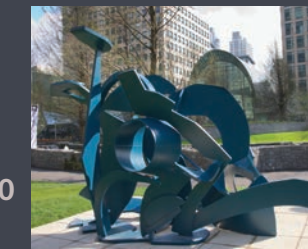
Image: May Parlar, *Turkey*, 2018. From the series *Collective Solitude*.

Aesthetica

## Michael Lyons: Ancient and Modern

May 2019 – May 2020

Sculpture exhibition in the Artist's Garden



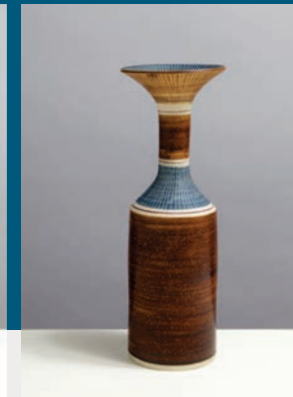
Michael Lyons, *Amphitrite*, 1993, painted steel, 305 x 488 x 366cm. © Michael Lyons. Photo credit: Heini Schneebeli.

## Centre of Ceramic Art

CoCA



Kerry Jameson, *Pinning Down Beauty*, 2010.



Lucie Rie, *Bottle*, 1958–1959.

## Children Curate

Opens 12 April 2019

Anthony Shaw's impressive collection of art, assembled over the last 45 years, is on long-term loan to York Art Gallery. Anthony invited 28 Year Six children from Burton Green Primary School in York to become Guest Curators and create their own exhibition using his collection. The children's own imaginative artwork sits alongside the items that inspired their creation.

## Lucie Rie: Ceramics and Buttons

Until 3 November 2019

As one of the most respected potters of the 20th century, Dame Lucie Rie (1902-1995) was known for her finely thrown and beautifully decorated functional domestic ceramics. This exhibition highlights the less well-known area of her practice, displaying hundreds of her buttons alongside many examples of the domestic wares she became celebrated for.

The Centre of Ceramic Art (CoCA) highlights and celebrates our collection of British Studio Ceramics, the most representative public collection in the UK.