Nathan Coley

Born in 1967, Glasgow, Scotland Lives and works in Glasgow, Scotland

Education

1985-1989 Glasgow School of Art

Selected Solo Exhibitions

Selecte	d Solo Exhibitions
2023	No Golden Rules, The Page Gallery, Seoul, South Korea
	We Must Cultivate Our Garden, Outdoor display on the North Landscape of Tate Modern, London, UK
	I Don't Have Another Land, Installation on Eastbourne Public Library, East Sussex, UK
2022	The World Without, The World Within, Perth, Scotland
	Tentative Words Change Everything, Charleston, East Sussex, UK
	Utopias, the Whitworth, Manchester, UK
2020	From Here, Mann Island, Liverpool, commissioned by Liverpool Biennial and Culture Liverpool 2019
	UK
2019	The Future Is Inside Us, It's Not Somewhere Else, Parafin, London, UK
	The Future Is Inside Us, It's Not Somewhere Else, Parliament Hall, Edinburgh, UK
2018	And We Are Everywhere, Lund Cathedral's land in Brunnshög, Near Lund, Sweden
	The Basic Material Is Not The Word But The Letter, University of Edinburgh, UK
	Nathan Coley, East Gallery Norwich University of the Arts and St Laurence's Church, Norfolk and
	Norwich Festival
2017	Palace, The Dick Institute, Kilmarnock, Scotland
	For other People and other Works A permanent public sculpture, Kunstmuseum Magdeburg, Germany
	Nathan Coley, Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh, UK
	Nathan Coley, Parafin, London, UK
	The Same for Everyone, European Capital of Culture Aarhus 2017, Denmark
2015	New Art Centre, Salisbury, UK
2014	You Imagine What You Desire, Jupiter Artland, Edinburgh, UK
	The Lamp of Sacrifice, 286 Places of Worship, Edinburgh, Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow, UK
	From the People, to the People, for the People, Future Perfect, Singapore
2013	A Place Beyond Belief, NDSM-Werf / Nieuw Dakota, Amsterdam
	Burn the Village, Feel the Warmth, The Pier Arts Centre, Orkney Kunstverein Freiburg, Germany
2012	Knowledge, Kindliness and Courage, Contemporary Art Gallery, Vancouver
	A Place Beyond Belief, Haunch of Venison, London, UK

2011	The Ballast Project, Scheepvaart museum, Amsterdam
	Appearances, ACCA, Melbourne, Australia
2010	In Memory, Jupiter Artland, Edinburgh, UK
	Heaven Is A Place Where Nothing Ever Happens, Installation on the ACCA Forecourt, Melbourne,
	Australia
	There Will Be No Miracles Here, National Galleries of Scotland, Edinburgh, UK
2009	Bergen Kunsthall, Bergen, Norway
	46 Brooklands Gardens, Jaywick, Essex, England, UK
2008	De La Warr Pavilion, Bexhill-on-sea, England, UK
	Palace, Haunch of Venison, Berlin
2007	Nathan Coley, Doggerfisher Gallery, Edinburgh, UK
	We Must Cultivate Our Garden, George Square, Edinburgh, UK
2006	Mount Stuart, Isle of Bute, Scotland, UK
	Gathering of Strangers, ICA, Nottingham
	Camouflage Church, Santiago de Compostella, Spain
2005	Jerusalem Syndrome, University of Dundee Cooper Gallery, Dundee Haunch of Venison, London, UK
2004	Showhome, City Arts Centre, Dublin
	Frutimarket Gallery, Edinburgh, UK
	Showhome, Milton Keynes Gallery, Milton Keynes, UK
2003	Black Tent, Portsmouth Cathedral, Portsmouth
	Showhome, Locus+, Northshields, Newcastle-upon-Tyne
2002	Ruskin's Road, Leidsche Rijn, Netherlands (as part of SuperUtrecht)
	The Black Maria, The Physics Room, Christchurch, New Zealand
2001	Nathan Coley and Bas Jan Ader, Vilma Gold, London
	The Italian Tower, Keilder Reservoir, Northumberland
	The Land Marked, Centro Cultural de Belém, Lisbon
2000	International Style, Architectural Association, London
	Nathan Coley (with de Rijke / de Rooji), Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Munich
1999	Der Standard, Museum in Progress, Vienna
1998	A Public Announcement, The Changing Room, Stirling
	Urban Sanctuary: A Public Artwork, Stills Gallery, Edinburgh
1997	Demolition in Progress (collaboration with Thomas Bechinger), Pavillon der Volksbühner, Berlin
1996	Galleri Index, Stockholm, Sweden

Selected Group Exhibitions

2022	Resurrection, Dark Mofo, Hobart, Tasmania, Australia
2020	Miracles, Museum Catharijne Convent, Utrecht, Netherlands 2019
	The Aerodrome, Ikon Gallery, Birmingham, UK

	Beyond The Road, Saatchi Gallery, London
2018	Possibilities for a Non-Alienated Life, Kochi-Muziris Biennale, India (Upcoming)
	Artists who make music Musicians who make art, Queen's Park Railway Club, Glasgow
	Actions - The Image of the World can be Different, Kettle's Yard, Cambridge
2017	Secular Icons in an Age of Moral Uncertainty: Nathan Coley, Mimosa Echard, Simon Fujiwara, Sara
	Naim, <i>Indrė Šerpytytė. Curated by Coline Milliard,</i> Parafin, London
	Age of Terror - Art since 9/11, Imperial War Museum, London
	Totale Symbiose, Salle Marcel Baudoin, Saint-Gilles-Croix-de-Vie, France
	Behold the Man, Kunstmuseum, Magdeburg, Germany
	The Book of the Word, Helsinki Contemporary, Finland
	Transient Space: Mike Ballard, Nathan Coley, Keith Coventry, Tim Head, Melanie Manchot, Abigail
	Reynolds, Parafin, London
	Karin Sander: ZEIGEN, Galerie für Zeitgenössische Kunst Leipzig, Germany
2016	Glow, Van AbbeMuseum, Eindhoven
	Just Hanging Around, Center for Openness and Dialogue, Tirana, Albania
	That Which Remains, Mount Stuart, Isle of Bute, Scotland
	Daydreaming with Stanley Kubrick, Somerset House, London La Ville au Loin, Les Turbulences Frac
	Centre, Orleans
2015	Bruges Triennial, Belgium House Festival, Brighton, UK
2014	As if, Kings Artist Run, Melbourne, Australia
	information, Paisley Museum and Art Gallery, Paisley
	Small Happiness in Times of Abundance, Art Festival Watou 2014, Belgium
	The Theatre of The World, Museo Tamayo, Mexico
	You Imagine What You Desire, 19th Biennale of Sydney
2013	Mom, Am I Barbarian, 13th Istanbul Biennial, Turkey
	12.Triennale Kleinplastik, Fellbach, Germany
	Call of the Mall, City of Utrecht, Netherlands
	Homel and s, The Harrington Street Arts Centre, Kolkata; Dr. Bhau Daji Lad Musuem, Mumbai; Bengaluru, Arts Centre, Mumbai, Mu
	India
2012	Daydreaming with The Hong Kong Edition, Artistree, Taikoo Place, Hong Kong
	The Crisis Commission, Somerset House, London
	Miracles, Art, Science, Religion, Kunsthalle Krems, Austria
	Mixed Media, Haunch of Venison, London
2011	Big Brother: Artists and Tyrants, Dinard, France
	Communities without Propinquities, Milton Keynes Art Gallery, Milton Keynes
2010	Let's Dance, Mac/Val, Paris
	Park Liv, Marabouparken, Stockholm
2009	Mythologies, Haunch of Venison, London
	Nuite Blanche 2009 Nuite Blanche Paris

	The Enlightenments, The Dean Gallery, SNGMA, Edinburgh
	Jerusalem Show, Al-Ma'mal Foundation for Contemporary Art, Jerusalem
2008	Tales of Time and Space, Folkestone Triennial, Folkestone
	Take Me There, Show Me the Way, Haunch of Venison, New York
	Oppositions and Dialogues, Lewis Glucksmans Gallery, Cork, Ireland
	The Greenroom, CCS Bard Galleries and Hessel Museum of Art, New York
	Persona, Parc Saint Léger — Centre d;art contemporain, Paris
	Rosebud, Kunstverein Langenhagen, Hanover, Germany
	Prospects and Interiors – Sculptors' Drawings of Inner Space, Henry Moore Institute, Leeds
	Nothing to Declare, Triennale Zeitgenössischer Kunst Oberschwaben Zeppelin Museum
	Fiedrichschafen, Germany
2007	The Turner Prize, Tate Liverpool, Liverpool
	Breaking Steps, Museum of Contemporary Art, Belgrade, Serbia Northern City (Between Light & Dark)
	The Lighthouse, Glasgow
2006	Solitude, Upstairs Berlin, Berlin
	Making History, Tate Liverpool, Liverpool
	Off the Wall, National Gallery of Scotland, Edinburgh
	The Unquiet World, ACCA, Melbourne, Australia
	As If By Magic, Bethlehem Peace Centre, Palestine
2005	Model Modernism, Artist Space, New York
	British Art Show 6, BALTIC, Gateshead
	Changes of Mind: Transformation and Belief, Haunch of Venison, London
	Thinking of the Outside, New art and the City of Bristol, Bristol
2004	The Stars Are So Big, The Earth is So Small Stay As You Are, Schipper & Krome, Berlin
	On Reason and Emotion, Biennale of Sydney 2004, Sydney
	Art School, Bloomberg Space, London
	Tales of the City, Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy
2003	Days Like These': Tate Triennial of Contemporary British Art, Tate Britain, London
	Independence, South London Gallery, London
2002	Recent Acquisitions, City Art Centre, Edinburgh
	Fabrications, Cube Gallery, Manchester
	The Gap Show, Museum am Ostwall, Dortmund
	Happy Outsiders, Zacheta Panstwowa Galeria Sztuki, Warsaw, Poland
2001	Audit, Casino Luxembourg, Luxemburg
	Believe, Westfälischer Kunstverein, Münster
	Here and Now, Dundee Contemporary Art, Dundee Making History, Cannock Chase, Staffordshire, Uk
	Circles 3, ZKM, Karlsruhe, Germany
	Local Motion, Galerie für Zeitgenössische Kunst, Leipzig
2000	Jahresgaben 2000, Westfälischer Kunstverein, Münster

	What If, Moderna Museet, Stockholm
	as it is, Ikon Gallery, Birmingham
	Without Day, City Arts Centre, Edinburgh
	Contemporary Scottish Artists Books, Printed Matter, New York
	Inside Out, Westfalischer Kunstverein, Münster
	Continium 001, CCA, Glasgow
1999	Blue Suburban Skies, The Photographers Gallery, London
	In The Midst of Things, Bournville, Birmingham, England
	School Reunion, Anthony Wilkinson Gallery, London
	Exhibition without and Exhibition, Leipzig
1998	In Visible Light, Moderna Museet, Stockholm
	Strolling, Musuem of Modern Art at Heidi, Melbourne, Australia
	Artranspennine, Tate Gallery, Liverpool
	Nettverk Glasgow, Museum of Contemporary Art, Oslo
1997	Correspondences, Martin-Gropius Bau, Berlin; Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh
	Glasgow, Kunsthalle Bern, Switzerland
	A Scottish Collection, Berwick Gymnasium Gallery, Berwick, England
	Blueprint, Glasgow Print Studio, Glasgow
1997	Wish you were heere too, 83 Hill Street, Glasgow
1996	Girls' High, Old Fruitmarket, Glasgow
	Try, Royal College of Art, London
1995	Swarm, Travelling Gallery, Edinburgh
	Cameraless Photography, National Museum of Photography, Film and TV, Bradford
1994	New Art in Scotland, CCA, Glasgow; Aberdeen Art Gallery
	Riviera, Oriel Mostyn, Llandudno, Wales
	Gol! - The Soccer Show, Mark Boote Gallery, New York
1993	Pure Fiction, Intermedia Gallery, Glasgow
	Exposure, CCA, Glasgow
	Five from Transmission, Artemisia Gallery, Chicago
1992	Love at First Sight, The Showroom, London
	Lux Europae, Edinburgh

Selected Collections

Tate, London, UK
Government Art Collection, London, UK
British Council Collection, London, UK
Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh, UK
Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow

City Arts Centre, Edinburgh, UK

Whitworth Art Gallery, Manchester, UK

New Art Gallery, Walsall, UK

FRAC des Pays de la Loire, Carquefou, France

National Gallery of Kosovo, Pristina, Kosovo

Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, Netherlands

Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel

Auckland Art Gallery / Toi O Tamaki, Auckland, NZ (in progress)

Greychurch Collection, Vancouver, Canada

David and Indre Roberts Collection, London, UK

Jupiter Artland, Edinburgh, UK

City of Frieburg im Breisgau, Germany

City of Utrecht, Netherlands

Municipalities of Aarhus, Sweden

Selected Publications

2017	Nathan Coley, texts by Ewan Morrison, published by The national Galleries of Scotland
2015	To the Bramley Family of Frestonia, edited by Moira Jeffrey, published by Anomie Publishing
2014	Nathan Coley, essays by Lisa le Feuvre, Brian Dillon, Caroline Käding and Nigel Prince, texts by Katrina
	Brown, Juliana Engberg, Jes Fernie, Jon Horrocks, Tom Hunt, published By Hatje Cantz, Germany
2012	The Ballast Project, texts by Tanja Karreman, published by The Mothership, Rotterdam
2011	Appearances, texts by Brian Dillon, Juliana Engburg and Charlotte Day, published by the Australian
	Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne
2009	46 Brooklands Gardens, texts by Jes Fernie, published by Firstsite, England
2006	Nathan Coley, texts by Andrea Schlieker and Andrew McLean, published by The Mount Stuart Trust, Isle
	of Bute, Scotland
2004	Urban / Wild, published by Bookworks, London
2003	There Will Be No Miracles Here, texts by Fiona Bradley and Susanna Gaensheimer, published by
	Locus+Publishing, Newcastle and The Fruitmarket Gallery, Edinburgh
1997	Urban Sanctuary, edited by Francis McKee