

## **MICHAEL G CLARK**

Born 1959 Ayr, Scotland. Clark studied from 1979-1983 at Edinburgh College of Art. Clark's love of film led to him being employed as a graphic designer for BBC Scotland from 1983-89. A desire to work for himself resulted in a move to London in 1989. From 1989 to 1994 he worked as a freelance art director, and illustrator. He has been a full time painter since 1994 and returned to Scotland in 1999 with his partner Karen and three children. He was a runner up in the Kennox/Aspect painting prize in 2003. He now divides his time between painting, occasional lecturing and helping to organise the Paisley Art Institute.

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2006 Randolph Gallery Edinburgh Festival Exhibition  
2005 Randolph Gallery, Edinburgh  
2002 Open Eye Gallery, Edinburgh  
1998 Sally Hunter Fine Art, London  
1998 Chelsea Flower Show, London  
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### **Selected Recent Group Exhibitions**

2007 Lime Tree Gallery, Long Melford  
2007 Smithy Gallery, Blanefield Glasgow  
2007 Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Watercolour Competition  
2007 Leith Gallery, Edinburgh, Festival Exhibition  
2007 Atholl Gallery  
2007 Glasgow Art Fair with John Green Fine Art  
2007 VAS RSA Building Edinburgh  
2007 Lennox Gallery, London  
2007 Thompson's Marylebone, London Scottish Exhibition  
2007 Wren Gallery, Burford Oxford, Scottish Spring Exhibition  
2006 Royal Glasgow Institute of Fine Arts Annual Exhibition  
2006 Wren Gallery, Burford, Oxford  
2006 Red Barn Gallery, Penrith, three painters exhibition  
2006 Whitehouse Gallery, Kirkcudbright  
2006 Broadway Modern  
2006 Paisley Art Institute Annual Exhibition  
2006 Glasgow Art Fair with John Green Fine Art  
2006 Affordable Art Fair London  
2006 Lennox Gallery, London  
2006 Thomson's Marylebone Scottish Show and Annual Exhibition  
2006 Visual Arts Scotland Annual Exhibition  
2006 Royal Scottish Academy Open Exhibition  
2005 Paisley Art Institute, Annual Exhibition  
2005 Glasgow Art Fair with John Green Fine Art  
2005 The Whitehouse Gallery, Kirkcudbright  
2005 Frames Gallery, Perth  
2005 Visual Arts Scotland, Annual Exhibition  
2004 Royal Glasgow Institute, Annual Exhibition  
2004 Broadway Modern  
2004 Thomson's, London

### **Awards**

2007 Wren Gallery Award for still Life Painting 2007 Paisley Art Institute Annual Exhibition

2005 Art Hire Prize 2005 Paisley Art Institute Annual Exhibition  
finalist and runner up 2003 (Kennox) Aspect Painting Prize, exhibition  
in Richmond Hill Gallery, London

**Collections**

Royal Bank of Scotland

Elected Professional Member, Visual Arts Scotland 2003, Elected Artist Member of  
Paisley Art Institute 2003,  
Elected Artist Member of Glasgow Art Club 2006