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EDUCATION

Art Teachers Diploma, Northampton School of Art,
Northampton, 1965–1967
Higher National Diploma (Distinction), Colchester School
of Art, Essex, 1985–1987

CAREER

Designer and illustrator (advertising), Essex County
Newspaper Group, 1977–1985; (publications),
self-employed, 1987–1988
Marketing and Events Manager, Thompson & Morgan, Ltd.,
Ipswich, 1989–1997
Designer and writer (company brochures), self-employed,
1997–2002
Illustrator, children's books, self-employed, 1997–2002,
2004–2006
Marketing Manager, Roma International, Hadleigh, 2002–
2003; Top That! Publishing, Woodbridge, 2004
Public relations consultant (horticultural companies),
self-employed, 2004–2006
Instructor, private art workshops, 2006–; classes, Cambridge
University Botanical Gardens; The Beth Chatto Gardens;
Flatford Mill, 2006–

MEMBERSHIP

Society of Botanical Artists
United Kingdom Coloured Pencil Society

MEDIUM

Colored pencil

GROUP EXHIBITION(S)

Flowers and Gardens, Annual Open Exhibition of the
Society of Botanical Artists, Lecture Hall, Central Hall

Westminster, London, 2007, 2009

The Botanical Palette, Annual Open Exhibition of the
Society of Botanical Artists, Central Hall Westminster,
London, 2008

BBC Gardeners' World Live, Royal Horticultural Society,
National Exhibition Centre, Birmingham, 2008, 2009
8th Annual International Open Exhibition, United Kingdom
Coloured Pencil Society, Royal Birmingham Society of
Artists Gallery, Birmingham, 2009

7th A World of Coloured Pencil Exhibition, United Kingdom
Coloured Pencil Society, Cumberland Pencil Museum,
Keswick, 2009

HONOR(S)/AWARD(S)

Silver-Gilt Medal, 2008; Gold Medal, Royal Horticultural
Society, 2009

Reserve Best in Show, 7th A World of Coloured Pencil
Exhibition, United Kingdom Coloured Pencil Society,
2009

Reserve Best in Show; Faber-Castell Award, 8th Annual
International Open Exhibition, United Kingdom Coloured
Pencil Society, 2009

WORK REPRODUCED IN

Swan, A. 2010. Botanical Painting with Coloured Pencils.
London: Harper Collins. [Barron's Education Series.]

Artists & Illustrators Magazine, 2009, April and August issues

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Peach, *Prunus persica* 'Springtime' 2009
Colored pencil on paper 47.5 × 35 cm
Lent by the artist

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Fragaria × ananassa 'Strawberry Sophie' 2008
Colored pencil on paper 32 × 33.5 cm
Hunt Institute collection