



Welcome to the Winter Birmingham Art Map. The Art Map is designed to make it easy to discover, explore and enjoy the great art, ideas, culture and creativity made by Birmingham for Birmingham. All exhibitions and events listed are FREE unless otherwise stated.

The printed Art Map only lists some of the exhibitions and events programmed by the city's art galleries, artist-led projects, studio groups and independent curators – for more information visit [birminghamartmap.org](http://birminghamartmap.org) where you will find links to gallery and project websites.

**ARTEFACT [1]**

1464 Pershore Road, B30 3DD  
Thurs 6–11pm,  
Fri & Sat 12–11pm.  
[artefactstirchley.co.uk](http://artefactstirchley.co.uk)

Artefact is a co-operative, artist-led gallery, project and performance space firmly rooted in Stirchley. Refreshments available.

**Winter Open** 19/11–22/01  
An open-call show of artists from the West Midlands.  
**Parallel Walking: Between Here and There, Between the Seen and the Unseen** 05/02–19/02  
Art-walking collective Walkspace presents a collaboration with Indonesian walking group Jalan Gembira, showing simultaneously in Birmingham and Yogyakarta.  
See website for other events.

**THE BARBER INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS [2]**

University of Birmingham, B15 2TS  
Tues–Sun 10am–5pm  
[barber.org.uk](http://barber.org.uk)

Masterpieces by Botticelli, Rubens, Gainsborough, Turner, Monet, Degas, Renoir, Rossetti, Rodin, Magritte, Moore and more – in Birmingham's Grade-1 listed, Art Deco mini National Gallery.

**Miss Clara and the Celebrity Beast in Art** 12/11–27/02  
Portraits in sculpture, paintings and prints of famous rhinos, elephants and hippos.  
**Cats and other Creature Companions** 12/11–06/02  
Pets in prints and drawings.  
**The First Dictators** 09/12–26/06  
Politics, propaganda and Roman coinage.

**BOM BIRMINGHAM OPEN MEDIA [3]**

1 Dudley Street, B5 4EG  
Wed–Sat 11am–4pm (Gallery & Café)  
[bom.org.uk](http://bom.org.uk)

BOM is a centre for art, technology and science dedicated to creative innovation with purpose.

**Baff Akoto: LEAVE THE EDGES** From 12/01  
Exhibition exploring the complex ancestries of African diasporic cultural expression, inspired by spirituality and artistic practices from West Africa to the Caribbean and Europe whilst interrogating historic legacies and societal politics.

**CENTRALA [4]**

Unit 4 Minerva Works, 158 Fazeley St, B5 5RT  
Wed–Sat 12–8pm  
[centrala-space.org.uk](http://centrala-space.org.uk)

Centrala is a creative space with an art gallery, café and live music, where Central and Eastern European art meets community engagement.

**Michaela Nagyidaiova** 04/02–26/02  
Exhibition  
**Simona Zemiatyte** Dates TBC  
Exhibition  
**Centre for Migration and Forced Displacement** 04/03–19/03  
Exhibition  
See website for further details and additional events

**DIGBETH FIRST FRIDAY [\*]**

Multiple locations, see our website for details.  
First Friday of the month 6pm–late.  
[digbethfirstfriday.com](http://digbethfirstfriday.com)

**Digbeth First Friday** 04/02, 04/03 and 01/04, from 6pm  
Time to try something new as Digbeth comes alive on the First Friday of each month with late openings, special events in galleries, culture in unexpected spaces, live music, street food and more.

**EASTSIDE PROJECTS [5]**

86 Heath Mill Lane, B9 4AR  
Wed–Sat 12–5pm  
[eastsideprojects.org](http://eastsideprojects.org)

Eastside Projects is an artist run multiverse based in a free public gallery in Digbeth.

**Emii Alrai: The Courtship of Giants** 05/02–16/04  
Large scale immersive installation by Leeds based artist. Launch event 04/02, 6–8pm.  
See our website for further details and our full events programme.

**EASTSIDE PROJECTS AT THE MARKETS [6]**

Rag Market, Indoor Market, Outdoor Market, Edgbaston Street, B5 4RQ  
Opening times vary, see website for details  
[eastsideprojects.org](http://eastsideprojects.org)

Eastside Projects is working with David Kohn Architects to redesign Birmingham's markets.

**Indoor Market Dates TBC**  
**Rag Market Dates TBC**  
**Outdoor Market Dates TBC**  
See website for further details

**GRAND UNION [7]**

Unit 19, Minerva Works, Fazeley Street, B5 5RS  
Wed–Sat 12–5pm.  
[grand-union.org.uk](http://grand-union.org.uk)

Grand Union is a gallery and artists' studios complex. It hosts a free programme of exhibitions and events, with many opportunities for discussions and the sharing of ideas.

**Phyllis Christopher: Heads and Tails** 12/01–04/03  
Heads and Tails is an expansion and exploration of Phyllis Christopher's photographic work, blurring the lines of her personal collection and commercial shooting, showcasing queer collectivity and joy.

**IKON GALLERY [8]**

1 Cozells Square, Brindley Place, B1 2HS  
Tues–Sun 11am–5pm.  
[ikon-gallery.org](http://ikon-gallery.org)

Contemporary art gallery and educational charity in Brindley Place, Birmingham.

**Betsy Bradley: Chasing Rainbows** 03/12–13/02  
An exhibition exploring painting as "the dance between thought and action."  
**James T. Hong: Animal** 03/12–13/02  
Ikon presents the first solo exhibition in Europe by Taiwanese-American artist and filmmaker.  
**Noor Abed: our songs were ready for all wars to come** 03/12–13/02  
Film based on documented folk tales from Palestine.

#### MIDLANDS ARTS CENTRE [9]

Cannon Hill Park,  
B12 9QH  
B4 7LJ  
MAC is open every  
day 9am-late  
[macbirmingham.co.uk](http://macbirmingham.co.uk)

Midlands Arts Centre, also known as MAC, is a pioneering, contemporary arts complex for everyone. Our mission: to make art an important part of people's lives.

**Launch Event** 21/01  
6–8pm. Free entry, all welcome.  
**Maryam Wahid: Zaibunnisa**  
22/01–18/04  
Through a new series of photographs taken in Pakistan and the UK, Zaibunnisa focuses on the physical and emotional journey of her mother as she emigrated from Pakistan to Birmingham in the 1980s and explores Wahid's own identity as a British Pakistani woman.

#### ORT GALLERY [10]

ORT Gallery 496  
Moseley,  
B12 9LH  
Wed–Thurs 10am–  
2pm, Fri 12–5pm,  
Sat 12–4pm  
[Ortgallery.co.uk](http://Ortgallery.co.uk)

**ITS A POP WORLD** 21/01–05/03  
Pop Art exhibition by popular Birmingham Artist Tye Forde aka TFA exploring Pop Art and how the modern world is seen through Eyes of Pop Art during the Pandemic. Lots of Colour, Stormtroopers, Talking Points and some installations. .

#### PUBLIC HOUSE [11]

9 Priory Square, The Square Shopping Centre,  
B4 7LJ  
Thurs–Fri 12–4pm or by appointment.  
[public-house.info](http://public-house.info)

Public House is a space for writing, books and artists' film in Birmingham city center.

#### RBSA GALLERY [12]

4 Brook Street,  
B3 1SA  
Tues–Sat 10.30am–  
5pm  
[rbsa.org.uk](http://rbsa.org.uk)

The RBSA Gallery is an artist-led charity which supports artists and promotes engagement with the visual arts through exhibitions, events, and workshops.

**Renewal** 12/01–12/02  
Exhibition of small works donated by Members and Associates priced at £500 or less - proceeds go to the RBSA building fund.

**Print Prize Exhibition** 18/01–26/02  
Group exhibition championing and celebrating printmakers selected by Jehane Boden Spiers, Tim Southall and Professor Andrew Kulman.

**Winter Workshops** 14–26/02  
See website for more information.

#### THE ROUNDHOUSE [13]

1 Sheepcote Street,  
B16 8AE  
Weds–Sun 9.30am–  
5.30pm  
[roundhouse.birmingham.org.uk](http://roundhouse.birmingham.org.uk)

**Birmingham by Night: Winter Exhibition** 06/11–27/03

Birmingham by Night focuses on the perception of Birmingham's night shift workers in the late Victorian period and today.

#### STEAMHOUSE [\*]

location varies  
Opening times vary  
see website for details.  
[steamhouse.org.uk/create](http://steamhouse.org.uk/create)

STEAMhouse  
Create supports creative sole traders and businesses to develop ideas, make new connections and access new perspectives.

**Pre-Application Workshop** 11/01, 01/02, 08/03

Find out what's on offer and how to apply for the STEAMhouse Create programme.

**Short Course: Biomaterial Design** 01–22/02

Explore the potential of sustainable materials development in this four part online course

See website for details, booking and our full events programme.

#### STRYX [14]

13 Minerva Works,  
158 Fazeley St,  
Digbeth,  
B5 5RS  
Opening Times  
Vary, see website for details.  
[Stryx.co.uk](http://Stryx.co.uk)

Stryx is a female artist led residency studios and exhibition space in Digbeth, Birmingham. Founded in 2012, Stryx supports artists through residencies and development programmes.

**Magda Jasiak Residency** 03/01–28/01

Visit by appointment.

**Magda Jasiak** 29/01–04/02  
Residency open, 12–8pm

**Magda Jasiak** 04/02  
Closing exhibition.  
01/03–31/04

See website for details.

#### VIVID PROJECTS [15]

Unit 16 Minerva Works, 158 Fazeley St,  
B5 5RT  
Opening times vary,  
See website for details.

[vividprojects.org.uk](http://vividprojects.org.uk)

Vivid Projects is a collaborative project space exploring all forms of media arts practice.

**2022 Programme Launch** 04/03  
6–8pm

See website for full programme details

The next Art Map will list exhibitions and events from 1 April 2022 – 31 June 2022. The submission deadline is 1 February. A listing costs between £40 and £100 depending on the nature of your project. We only accept visual arts listings, but define this broadly. Drop us a line at [artmap@eastsideprojects.org](mailto:artmap@eastsideprojects.org) to find out more.