

# ARTIST PROFILES



**ZSOLT BALOGH**

Innovative animation director and video designer, working with venues such as the Barbican, V&A and The Royal Court. As freelance animation director at 59 Productions, Zsolt contributed to projects including the London 2012 Olympic opening ceremony.



**HELGA GIFT**

A visual artist who works autobiographically, exploring emotions through materials and found objects. Helga who works in a variety of mediums gained a BA in Contemporary Fine Art Practice at Hull School of Art and Design.



**CHRIS HEES**

BAFTA winning, Oscar nominated animation producer who runs Hull and London based production company Bridge Way Films, creating powerful work that holds people and place at their heart.



**SODIUM**

Yorkshire-based film and photography studio creating commercial films, music videos and still imagery. They specialise in short-form narrative-driven film making through storytelling, cinematography, art direction, sound design, graphics and post-production.



**INVISIBLE FLOCK**

An interactive arts organisation based in Leeds. They make ground breaking, innovative work with high impact to be experienced and participated in by thousands all over the world.



**PRESTON LIKELY**

Some of Preston's projects have seen him attempt to sell his social identity, leave a giant sculpture in Oxford town centre, stage a guerrilla-style exhibition in London job centres and organise philosophical football chants at an Oxford United match.



**QUENTIN BUDWORTH**

Socially engaged lens-based artist and musician. In 1995 Quentin set up the now legendary world music dance band Celtarabia and has taken their unique sound to most festivals in the UK and Europe.



**MAKEAMPLIFY**

A collaboration between award winning dance artist Jennifer Irons and international audio visual artist Zach Walker. They work with diverse groups of people to create site-specific performances and interactive installations that engage, challenge and surprise.



**JESSE KANDA**

Japanese, Canadian and British artist working in video, music and digital art. His fluctuating and fluid work eludes singular interpretation in favour of unmoored emotionality and sensual ambiguity.



**IMITATING THE DOG**

Clever storytellers. Using a mixture of live performance and technology they make beautiful images in the space between important ideas. Their work has built a company with a unique reputation in the UK, Europe and internationally.



**TERENCE DUNN**

Hull-born British music composer currently based in London. Four of his previous projects were nominated for BAFTA awards.



**URBAN PROJECTIONS**

Founded by Rebecca Smith in 2005. A creative collective of multimedia experimentalists who specialise in delivering innovative performance opportunities and creative projects for both artistic and commercial output.

## MADE IN HULL: THE STORY OF A CITY AND ITS PEOPLE.

See the city like you've never seen it before. Join us on a trail where the streets speak and buildings tell stories, inspired by 70 years of Hull's heritage.

From river to roof top, Queen Victoria Square to the area overlooking The Deep, in shop windows and streets, this is the story of Hull and its people. Who we are. What we've lived through. Where we're going next.

An eclectic group of extraordinary artists' premier work inspired by the city and its people.

Take the free trail for an hour, spend the whole evening, or come back for more. Be part of the story.

### OPENING EVENT: CREATIVE TEAM

Creative Director: Sean McAllister

Writer: Rupert Creed

Production Designer: Ala Lloyd

Lighting Designer: Durham Marengi

Sound Designer: Dan Jones

Lead Producer: Niccy Hallifax

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### FOLLOW THE STORY



Be inspired by the city.

1 - 7 Jan 2017  
4 - 9pm  
Hull City Centre

**MAP & GUIDE**





## FOLLOW THE TRAIL

### Locations and Artists:

#### Queen Victoria Square:

Zsolt Balogh presents *We Are Hull*

#### Whitefriargate:

Chris Hees, Helga Gift, Sodium, Invisible Flock & Preston Likely present the series *Characters of Hull*

#### Zebedee's Yard:

Invisible Flock present *105+dB*

#### Scale Lane Staith:

MakeAMPLIFY present *(in) Dignity of Labour*

#### High Street Underpass:

Jesse Kanda presents *Embers*

#### The Deep:

imitating the dog present *Arrivals and Departures*

#### Silver Street:

Quentin Budworth presents *Hollywood Icons*

#### Humber Street:

Urban Projections present *Vantage Point*

## INSTALLATIONS:

### 1 QUEEN VICTORIA SQUARE

**Zsolt Balogh** - *We Are Hull*

(Soundtrack by Dan Jones)  
Experience the epic story of the city and its people over the past 70 years in stunning panoramic sight and sound.

### 2 WHITEFRIARGATE

**Preston Likely** - *Amuse Agents*

Hull's Premier Inconvenience Store - Shop window browsing for that amusing unmissable Hull offer.

**Invisible Flock** - *Reflections*

On a street bench and in windows, the people of Hull offer intriguing and revealing snapshots of themselves and their contemporary life in the city.

**Sodium** - *We're all going on a Summer Holiday*. Enjoy the full Hull caravan experience from build to seaside holiday breaks.

Produced by **Chris Hees**, animated by **Alex Twiston-Davies** - *The Heart of Rugby*

Feel the beating heart of the city's passion for its two rival rugby teams.

**Helga Gift** - *Pauline's Gift Shop Emporium*

Delve through objects and find meaning and memories of a remarkable Hull woman and the people who passed through her shop.

### 3 ZEBEDEE'S YARD

**Invisible Flock** - *105+dB*

Hear Hull City roar in a spectacular stadium of sound.

### 4 SILVER STREET

**Quentin Budworth** - *Hollywood Icons*

From the wider city communities to Silver Street.

Hollywood comes to Hull and the big screen comes to the street as local people take up the challenge of recreating and starring in an iconic screen image from a classic film. Who's in the shot? Is your favourite film in the mix?

### 5 SCALE LANE

**MakeAMPLIFY** - *(in) Dignity of Labour*

What does it mean to be on the sharp end of unemployment and benefits sanctions? In movement, music and words young people from Hull give voice to stories of struggle, and offer visions of hope for a city that's seen its share of tough times.

### 6 HIGH STREET UNDERPASS

**Jesse Kanda** - *Embers*

A multi-screen and sound installation that recreates an echo of the club scene in 90s Yorkshire. A tribute to the innocence and importance of self-expression in the protective womb of the club space.

### 7 THE DEEP

**imitating the dog** with original soundtrack by **Terry Dunn** - *Arrivals and Departures*

Projected onto the Deep, at the place where the city's rivers merge, we tell the remarkable story of the ebb and flow of people and animals into Hull from many distant shores. Through stop-frame animation, image and sound, it is the story of how Hull's distinct character and culture has been formed over time - a place built on working hands washed here by the sea.

### 8 HUMBER STREET

**Urban Projections** - *Vantage Point*

You can take part in this playful projection. Step into the scene and take a selfie. Step out and see yourself projected large scale. You are the work of art!

### CHANGING PLACES TOILET

The Guildhall, Hanover Square Entrance  
1 - 7 Jan, 4 - 9pm

### PUBLIC TOILETS

1 - 7 Jan, 4 - 9pm  
Nb. The Nelson Street toilets will be closed after 6pm on 1 Jan due to Fireworks

### EVENT INFORMATION POINT

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