

Dawson, Siân Elizabeth

b. Epsom, Surrey, England

Residence: England

Education:

Foundation certificate, Derbyshire University, 1983–1984

B.A. (Honors), Fine Art, Gloucestershire College of Arts & Technology, 1985–1988

M.A., Museum and Gallery Management, City University, 1994–1995

Diploma course, Botanical Illustration, Chelsea Physic Garden, 1997–2001

Career:

Insurance consultant specializing in business development of political risks, general retail, Fine Arts, and the search service for recovery of stolen Fine Arts and Antiques for private individuals and public institutions

Elected Fellow of the Royal Society of Art, 2000

Membership:

Chelsea Physic Garden Florilegium Society

Elected Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts (FRSA)

Medium:

Watercolor

Group Exhibition(s):

Lloyd's of London, 1998

Society of Botanical Artists, Westminster Galleries, London, 1999

Chelsea Botanica 1999, Derek Johns Gallery, St. James's, London, 1999

The Flowering of the Botanical Artist, Chelsea Physic Garden, London, 1999

The Society of Botanical Artists, Westminster Galleries, London, 1999, 2000

Watercolors from the Chelsea Physic Garden Florilegium Society, Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentaion, Pittsburgh, 2000

Poplar Under the Trees, Groton, Suffolk, 2000

Collections:

Chelsea Physic Garden Archives

Private collections

Commissions:

The Rt. Hon. Richard Bethell

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Lilium 'Pandora' 2001

Watercolor 70.5 × 50 cm

Hunt Institute collection, gift from the artist