**Dr Edward Jonathan Turpie MBE**

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**Education:**

09/17 to datePhD Practice-based, Birmingham City University, UK1976-79 MA Printmaking, Royal College of Art, London, UK

1973-76 BA First class Fine Art, Newcastle Polytechnic, UK

**Solo Exhibitions:**2017 **High Sheriff Portraits - Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery**

This exhibition of 30 portraits celebrated a wide range of good people I met as the High Sherriff of the West Midlands through drawn and printed portraits.

**Group Exhibitions:**

2018 ***Diverso Encuentros*,** IMPACT 10, Santander, Spain [tbc]

**RBSA Print**

**‘Swarmei’ Ort Gallery**

**‘Home’ OPW Gallery**

***You and I are discontinuous beings***,

Co-curator: International Project Space, Birmingham, UK

2016 ***West Midlands Open*** at Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery

***SALON*** at Waterhall; Pulpa Print; 20x20 Hot Bed Press; RBSA print, photography and portraits exhibitions.

1976/82 Various Art Exhibitions inc ICA New Contemporaries, Midland Group Nottingham, Robert Self Gallery, Artist Books, Boulder Colorado.

**Relevant Board Positions:**

2016 Chair Midlands Arts Centre – MAC

2016 Director Birmingham Museums Trust

2015 Director The SPACE, Arts Council and BBC

2014 Creative Champion GBSLEP, Employment and Skills board

2010 - 2012 Director Advantage West Midlands

2011 Director, Birmingham Ormiston Academy

2008 - 2010 PRIME Strategic Partnering Board, NHS BEN Trust

2007 – 2009 Chair Hello Digital International Digital Film & Media event

2004 – 2007 Deputy Chair, Culture West Midlands

1993 – 2017 Founder Director Maverick Television

**Selected Media/Television:**

**Factua**l Television.

# Teachers TV – 18 series, Exec Producer

UK Skills Japan – Exec Producer

# Slot Art 8 x 3' for Channel 4 / Arts Council Exec Producer

Highland Bollywood ; Producer, Channel 4

TRADE SECRETS. 24 X 10mins BBC2, Exec Producer

FREE FOR ALL. Producer. Channel 4 weekly access series.

Motor City Music YEARS. 3X60. Central TV. Director. Birmingham's Pop history.

**Digital Media**

Random Acts – Executive Producer Maverick & Rural Media C4/ACE

Embarassing Illnesses online Exec Producer – C4 *Winner BAFTA*

FISTAR - Dissemination Lead EU Future Internet Health FP7 Programme

4TALENT and Ideas Factory – exec producer C4

Living It Up - Media lead. Innovate UK & NHS 24

Spill - Exec Producer, DanceX for SPACE, BBC /ACE

GENETICS FUTURES – Ytouring/Science Museum

**Drama**

STAFFROOM MONOLOGUES - Teachers TV. *Winner Royal Television Society Best*

*EducationProgramme*

NIGHTSHIFT C4 /ACE Producer. *Winner : Commission for Racial Equality, Best Drama*

The Visit C4 - Writer/Director. *Winner : RTS Best Independent Programme*

BLAZED. C4 - Director Script Michael Buffong. *Winner : RTS Best Independent*

OUT OF ORDER - Director BFI/C4 *Winner of Ethique & TV Montbeliard*

**Recent Awards/ Nominations**:

Honorary Doctorate Birmingham City University 2018

Deputy Lieutenant West Midlands

Member of the Printmakers Council 2016

Honorary Doctorate Wolverhampton University 2017

Honorary Doctorate Coventry University 2016

High Sheriff of the West Midlands – 2015/16

Member of the British Empire – Queen’s Honour for international trade and the Creative Industries.

**Recent Conference Papers/Talks:**

Printmakers Council Blog from V&A Prints research visit.

Honorary Doctorate BCU Acceptance speech and review of Television and Digital Media. Digital Health Communications Presentation. Future Internet EU FP7 Programme, Munich University. Koestler Trust welcome speech on the occasion of the Beyond The Door exhibition of Offenders Art. Knights of the RAJ - Mohammed Ali. Closing Speech exhibitionBangladeshi history of curry in the UK.Regional Creative Industries Presentation Paper - to DCMS and BEIS Creative Industry Council.Creative Industries public sector development - Presentation Paper for British Council Moscow Delegation. British Embassy Moscow.

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