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Born 9th June, 1942, Rotherham, England. Read History at Trinity College, Dublin and studied Fine Art at She!eld Polytechnic. 1969-70 Postgraduate Scholarship for Painting at Fine Arts Academy, Munich. Exhibiting member of the Art House, Wakefield. Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts. Over forty one-person exhibitions, regular participation in national and regional mixed exhibitions. Numerous prizes.

## Collections include:

Arts Council of England Arts Council of Wales The Art House, Wakefield Bretton Hall College of Education **Bradford University** Chesterfield Museum and Art Gallery Connemara National Park Centre, Ireland Derby Cathedral Centre Fine Arts Academy, Munich Haileybury College Halifax PLC Leicester University Lincoln Cathedral London University Manchester University Mid-Pennine Arts Association National Trust, Coughton Court Pinoteca Provinciale, Bari, Italy Ripon Cathedral Rotherham Art Gallery Sheffeld University Fine Arts Society Sheffeld Hospitals Trust Southwell Minster Stafford Art Gallery Stockport Art Gallery Stoke-on-Trent Museum and Art Gallery Trinity College, Dublin Worcester Cathedral Yorkshire Arts Association York University



Idillio Serale



Ora Pro Nobis



A Venetian Summer Dream



Avventura Orientale



The Runner and the Spanish Festoon



Santi in Campagna



Scarlet and Deep



A Cricketer's Autumn Dream



Almost a Collection

My work has over many decades primarily been concerned with the passage of time in natural and built environments, and with changing moods through the seasons. I am also very interested in the relationship of people, flora and fauna in these environments.

My paintings can only sometimes be identified with particular places, but they are all based to a greater or lesser extent on directly observed experience or the memory of an experience. Content may also reflect elements which are in the broadest sense spiritual and allegorical.

Recent work has been influenced especially by visits and experiences in the Peak District, Italy, China and India. I am continuing to develop representation of images from civilizations and cultures past and present. These include allusions, memories and fragments, with an awareness of the divide between permanence and the fleeting nature of the passage of time.

Please visit my website at www.davidcarsonshaw.co.uk for latest information about exhibitions.

## **Perceunt et imputantur!** (How the hours fly and are lost!)



Aeterna Primavera



Giardino Autunnale



A Memory under the Moon



Oriel and Orange Tree



On All the Winds



Avventura della Striscia Rossa