# Sculpture Park

The Sculpture Park is situated across the University Campus. There are 350 acres of attractive parkland open to everyone to enjoy art, architecture and the natural environment. Curated by the Sainsbury Centre, sculpture is selected to complement the landscape and listed built environment. There are formal gardens adjacent to the Sainsbury Centre, dense urban modernist architecture and areas of tranquillity along the Yare river valley. As well as great art, there is architecture by leading architects such as Foster, Lasdun and Mather. The park is also home for our resident population of wild rabbits and habitats for rare and endangered species. There is a wide range of fauna and flora including a number of remarkable ancient oaks. As well as works by Moore, Gormley and Frink, there are new works by Laurence Edwards, John Davies, Phillip King and Leiko Ikemura.

#### Sculpture

Two piece reclining figure, No.3, 1961 1 Henry Moore (1898-1986) Bronze Object number: L.06 On long loan from Tate Location: North side of the

Moore compared his reclining figures to landscapes, saying 'Knees and breasts are mountains'.

Draped Reclining Woman, 1957–58 2 Henry Moore (1898–1986) Bronze

Collection of the Sainsbury Centre. Object number: 86 Location: West end garden of the

Reminiscent of his shelter drawings created during the Blitz, Moore returned to drapery after seeing Classical sculpture in Greece in 1951. This site was decided by Moore and Norman Foster. architect of the Sainsbury Centre

Head, 1997 3 John Davies (b.1946) Bronze Object number: L.159 On loan courtesy of the artist. Location: West end garden of the Sainsbury Centre

In the late 1990s John Davies introduced monumental heads to his practice to explore how the human figure may be perceived and how one can relate to it. This head has a serene expression at once in harmony and at peace in its natural surroundings.

Sun's Roots II, 2008 4 Phillip King (1934–2021) Painted steel On loan from the artist's estate Supported by Ivor Braka Ltd and Thomas Dane Gallery Object number: L.158 Location: South side of the Sainsbury Centre

Concerned with the relationship between the sun and the earth, this striking, brightly painted sculpture demonstrates Phillip King's longstanding commitment to exploring the dynamic between surface, structure,

Usagi Kannon, 2012–2019 5 Leiko Ikemura (b. 1951) Obiect number: LI27 On loan from the artist Location: South of the Sainsbury

This hybrid, mythical bronze figure was created in response to the Tōhoku earthquake and Fukushima disaster of March 2011. Like the Buddhist divinity Bodhisattva Kannon, Ikemura's 'Rabbit Goddess' emanates compassion and mercy.

Model of the Monument to the Third International, 1919–20 6 (design); 2011 (reconstruction) Vladimir Tatlin (1885–1953) Reconstruction by Jeremy Dixon and Chris Milan of Dixon Jones Steel and composites Collection of the Sainsbury Centre Object number: 31504 Donated by the Royal Academy of Arts, 2012

Location: South side of the Sainsbury Centre

Tatlin is famous for his unrealised Tower that was intended to be 400m tall. This large-scale model created by Jeremy Dixon is at a scale of 1:40.

Crouching Beast II, 1990 7 Lynn Chadwick (1914–2003) Welded stainless steel Object number: L.91 On loan from the Estate of Lynn Chadwick

Location: East end garden of the Sainsbury Centre

Beast Alerted I, 1990 8 Lynn Chadwick (1914-2003) Welded stainless steel Object number: L.93 On loan from the Estate of Lynn Chadwick Location: East end garden of the Sainsbury Centre

Lion I, 1990 9 Lvnn Chadwick (1914-2003) Welded stainless steel Object number: L.92 On loan from the Estate of Lynn Chadwick Location: East end garden of the

Initially trained as an architect, Chadwick became one of the most important sculptors of the twentieth century. The Beasts were among the final works he made, continuing the animal theme he established early in

Reclining Figure, 1956-62 10 Henry Moore (1898–1986)

Collection of the Sainsbury Centre, Object number: 85 Location: East end garden of the Sainsbury Centre

The reclining figure offered Moore endless possibilities for experimentation. This figure shows the influence of Picasso and Surrealism.

ANOTHER TIME VIII, 2007 14 Antony Gormley (b.1950) Cast iron Object number: L.81 On long loan from the artist Location: Roof of biology

department (teaching wall)

ANOTHER TIME IV. 2007 17 Antony Gormley (b.1950) Object number: L.80 On long loan from the artist Location: Elevated walkway of

the UEA Central Library

ANOTHER TIME II, 2007 18 Antony Gormley (b.1950) Cast iron Object number: L.79 On long loan from the artist Location: Roof of the UEA

Gormley selected locations around the campus to present three casts of his own body. Thought-provoking and uncanny, they offer spectacle and surprise. Gormlev is best known in the UK for his monumental sculpture. Angel of the North.

Mirage I and II. 1969 12 Elisabeth Frink (1930-1993)

Object numbers: L.106 and L.107 On loan from the Elisabeth Frink Estate and Archive Location: West end of the Broad

Inspired by seeing heat hazes and flamingos in the South of France, these creatures are part-bird, part-human. Frink described the visions as 'sort of birds, or it could be a person. or a tree. Any of those make this extraordinary stalking shape that shimmers across'.

Goodwood Steps, 1996 13 Anthony Caro (1924-2013)

Object number: L.203 On loan from the Caro Estate Location: Meadow to the east of the Sainsbury Centre (from August 2021)

Caro's monumental sculpture echoes Denys Lasdun's stepped Ziggurats. At 33 metres in length, it is the meeting point between art and architecture and visitors are encouraged to walk around and between its huge forms.

Proximity, 2006 15 lan Tyson (b.1933) Painted steel Collection of the Sainsbury Centre. Object number: 31418 Location: In front of Ziggurats

The first site-specific work in the Sculpture Park. Proximity offers a view to the Ziggurats and echoes their form.

Extrapolation, 1982 16 Liliane Lijn (b.1939) Stainless steel Object number: L.08 On long loan from Norfolk County Council Location: Behind the UEA

Lijn compared these ascending steel plates to the pages of a book as the sculpture was created for the Norwich Central Library. Liin often works with materials that reflect or refract light.

Central Library

Variations on a Square, 1964 19 Henry H. Clyne (b.1930) Brass, brazed copper sheet, steel Collection of the Sainsbury Centre. Object number: 41289 Location: Behind the UEA Central Library

Clyne's interlocking partial cubes reflect UEA's Brutalist campus and show the influence of the

One for Bristol, 1968 20 John Hoskin (1921–90) Painted steel and aluminium Collection of the Sainsbury Centre. Object number: 41399 Location: Behind the Music

Hoskin began making figurative sculpture in the early 1950s before turning to his abstract colourful style of the 1960s.

Man of Stones, 2019 21 Laurence Edwards (b. 1967) Bronze

Object number: L.114 Long loan from a private collection Location: South side of the Broad

Edwards' site-specific sculpture is concerned with our relationship to the natural environment. Situated between the river Yare and the Broad, it is a deceptively remote and wild place. Edwards collected source material from the site, which he incorporated into his sculpture.

#### Architecture

Constable Terrace 22 Rick Mather (1937-2013) Project date: 1989; Construction: 1991-93

This student housing was built as part of Mather's masterplan for the UEA campus from 1988-94, his first large new-build project.

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Norman Foster (b.1935) Project date: 1974; Construction: 1975-78

The Sainsbury Centre (Foster's first public building) was a new type of museum in which gallery. social space and teaching were all intergrated in an open plan building.

Ziggurats 24 **Denys Lasdun** (1914–2001) Project date: 1962; Construction: 1964-68

This iconic student accommodation takes its name, Ziggurats, from ancient Mesopotamian structures.

## Environment

Within just a few metres of the strikingly modern Sainsbury Centre is an ancient oak tree that is over 400 years old. This living sculpture supports an ecosystem and a habitat rich in biodiversity. Oak trees support more life forms than any other native tree. 11

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Gallery Reception and obtain

permit. Car park is opened at

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21. These works are not easily

reached by wheelchair.

with the exception of 11, 12 and

after gallery closing time.

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