Caitlin Hinshelwood is a London based artist and designer who produces distinctive collections of illustrative, hand-worked textiles; often produced as carefully crafted limited editions or unique pieces. Her textiles maintain a strong sense of character and colour is integral to her practice, working with it intuitively to create innovative combinations.

Research interests lie in the narrative possibilities of textiles: how textiles can be used to communicate, how they can act as repositories of personal or social history and how they function in communities. Large-scale works use motifs and symbols to suggest narratives or tell untold histories. Her textiles explore visual-storytelling and pattern-making.

Caitlin is currently Joint Course Leader on BA Textile Design at Central Saint Martins.

Selected Exhibitions

Peckham Craft Show Copeland Gallery May + December 2019

Stoffdruck International Galerie Handwerk April-June 2018

Kissing the Shuttle Cecil Sharp House September 2017–January 2018

Made in London Heal's April-May 2017

The Workers Standpoint Gallery February-April 2016

Museum Collections

Museum of English Rural Life

Selected Collaborations

Sessions & Co Folka The Science Museum

Selected Press

House & Garden Architektur & Wohnen Embroidery Crafts World of Interiors Observer

Selected Teaching

Joint Course Leader BA Textile Design Central Saint Martins 2018-present

Senior Teaching Fellow Textile Design Winchester School of Art 2013-2018

