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Paintings from Around the World

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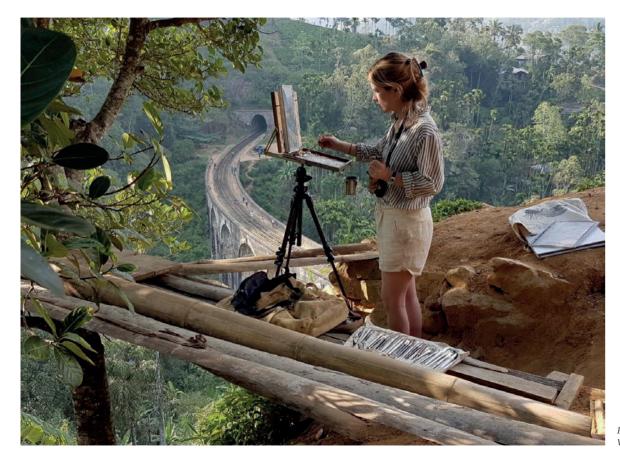


Photo by Gary Clark, Vietnam bridge 2017

January 2017, Alice Boggis-Rolfe (b.1990) set out on a journey across Africa, Asia, South and Central America. She deliberately chose seven countries that contrasted starkly with the British and European landscapes she has become known for, and with each other. The paintings in this exhibition convey a sense of the places and people she encountered on this journey.

The majority of the pictures in this exhibition were painted from life on small pieces of canvas, reflecting the realities of travelling long distances over difficult terrain whilst carrying equipment. Alice paints at considerable speed, enabling her to capture the essence of a place and the changes it undergoes over a short period. In Sri Lanka, she raced to complete a hill scene before a storm rolled in, as the leaden weight of the sky and the tea plantations awaited a deluge. On a hectic street corner in Kathmandu she brought to life the peculiar beauty of flaking paint and wet pavements amidst the chaos of bustling crowds.

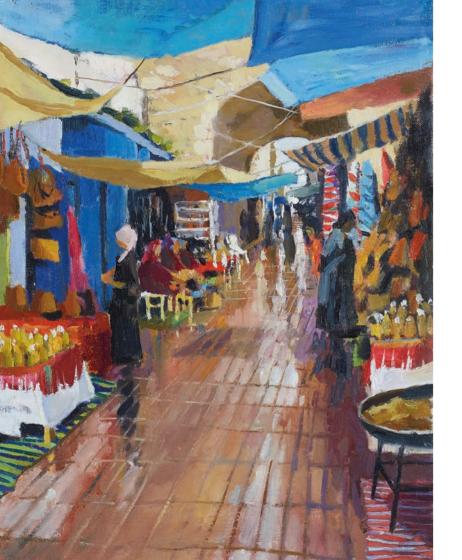
During her journey, Alice's work was strongly influenced by the people she met, who caused her to venture away from her focus on land-scapes into the realms of portraiture. In the small village of Ta Phin in Northern Vietnam, she met and painted tribal women who had made

every stitch of their clothes and even the lurid dyes which coloured them. In a remote Andean village in Peru, she encountered a young girl of five who had to return home before long to prepare supper for her family. Some of these people now feature in her pictures.

Whilst she was unable to speak the language of many of these people, Alice found herself able to communicate with them through her pictures. At times, such as in a market off the tourist trail in Cusco, her presence was greeted initially with suspicion, which quickly gave way to excitement and uproarious amusement at the addition of any detail to the scene. Seeing her painting early one morning in Trinidad, an elderly Cuban man, delighted by watching her work, serenaded her as 'La Pintora Inglesa'.

Since returning to London, Alice has spent many hours in the studio. Drawing on the works created from life, she has produced a series of larger paintings which are at the heart of this, her second solo exhibition (following a near sell-out first show in 2015).

Alice is already planning her next adventure for 2018.



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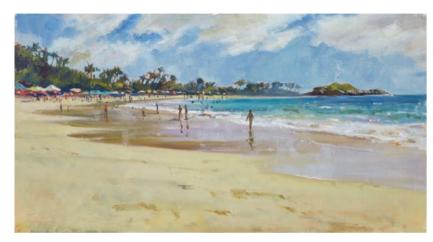


Clockwise from left:

The Souk, Morocco Oil on canvas, 40 x 30 cm

The Old Portugese Church, Essaouira, Morocco Oil on canvas, 50 x 25 cm

Evening Essaouira, Morocco Oil on Panel, 60 x 100 cm



This page, clockwise from top: Mirissa Beach, Sri Lanka Oil on canvas, 27 x 50 cm

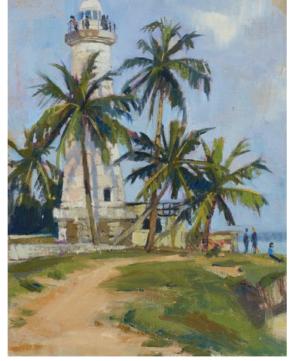
The Lighthouse in Galle, Sri Lanka Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm

Ella Gap, Sri Lanka Oil on canvas, 30 x 40 cm

Next page: Stilt fishermen on Koggola Beach, Sri Lanka Oil on Panel, 50 x 70 cm

Kandy, Sri Lanka Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm









SRI LANKA



View from Lipton's Seat, Sri Lanka. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



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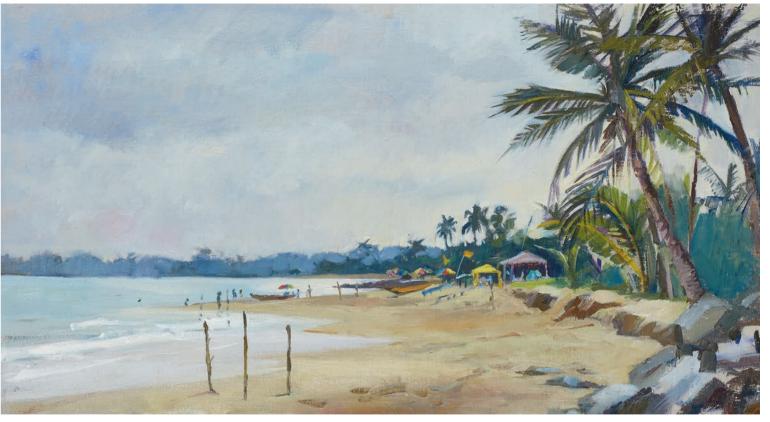
Palm Trees, Sri Lanka. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



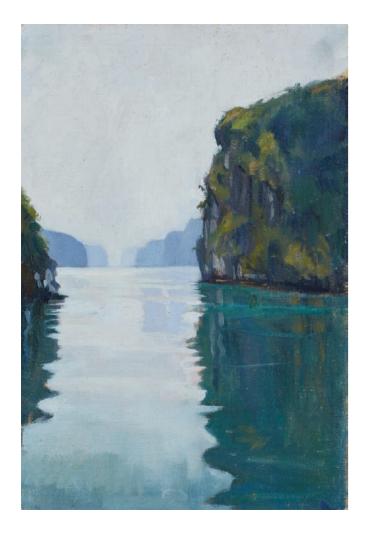
Umbrellas on the Beach, Sri Lanka Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Haputale Tea Plantations, Sri Lanka Oil on canvas, 30 x 40 cm



Tangalle Beach, Sri Lanka. Oil on canvas, 27 x 50 cm



VIET NAM







Outside the Hanoi Social Club, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 41 x 23 cm



The Tomb of Tu Duc, Vietnam. Oil on panel, 50 x 70 cm



Woman from the Red Dao Tribe, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm

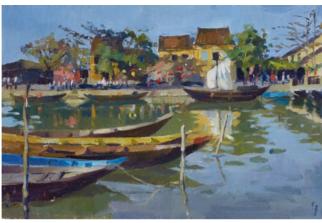
Previous pages: *Halong Bay*, Vietnam Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm

May with her Grandson, Su, Vietnam Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm

This page from far left: *Hoi An Streetscene*, Vietnam Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



A street in Hanoi, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



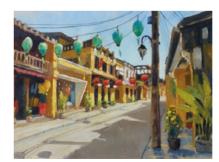
Boats in Hoi An, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Floating Restaurant, Cat Ba, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



A Fishing Village at Dusk, Vietnam. Oil on panel, 30 x 70 cm



A Quiet Morning in Hoi An, Vietnam Oil on canvas, 30 x 40 cm



A Temple at My Son, Vietnam Oil on canvas 30 x 40 cm



Mekong Delta, Vietnam Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Purple Wellies, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



Dawn in Hoi An, Vietnam. Oil on panel, 40 x 80 cm



Looking Towards Sapa from Ta Phin, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 18 x 40 cm Opposite: Vietnamese Veg Market, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm

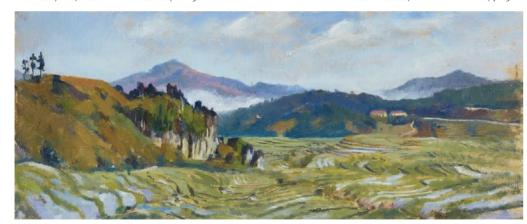








Cat Ba Sunset, Vietnam. Oil on Panel, 41 x 31 cm



Mist in the Rice Terraces, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 18 x 40 cm



Red Lanterns, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm

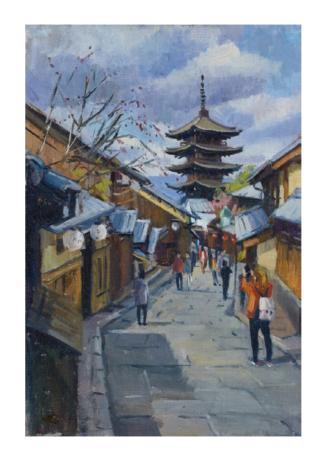


Some Houses Near Bac Ha, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Tu May Stitching, Vietnam. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm





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Tokyo Sunrise 6am, Japan. Oil on canvas, 15 x 40 cm



Shirawakawa Go, Japan. Oil on canvas, 25 x 50 cm



Kyoto Streetscene, Japan. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



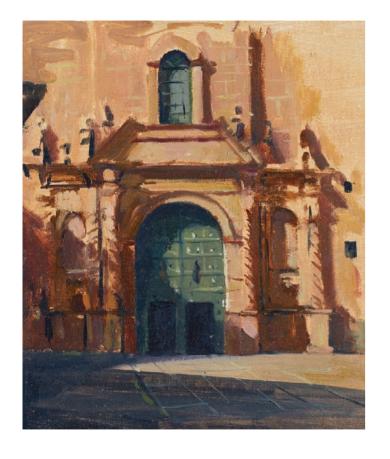
Takayama, Japan. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Tokyo Sunrise 5am, Japan. Oil on canvas, 15 x 40 cm

Previous page: Bicycles in Kyoto, Japan Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm

Yasaka Pagoda, Japan Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm

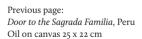


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Veg show with Red and Yellow Awning, Peru. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Cuesta de Sta. Ana, Cusco, Peru Oil on panel, 60 x 82 cm



Sunlit Door, Cusco, Peru. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



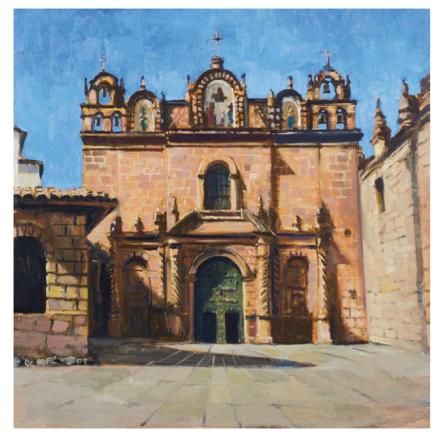
Green and Blue Shutters, Peru. Oil on canvas, 26 x 22 cm



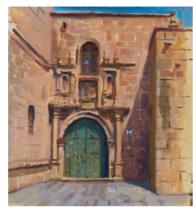
Shops opening on the Cuesta de Sta. Ana, Peru Oil on canvas 20 x 30 cm



Sintusa, Peru. Oil on canvas, 25 x 20 cm



Sagrada Familia, Cusco, Peru. Oil on panel, 52 x 51 cm



Green Door, Plaza de Armas, Peru Oil on canvas, 24 x 22 cm



Cuesta de San Blas, Cusco, Peru Oil on canvas 25 x 25 cm

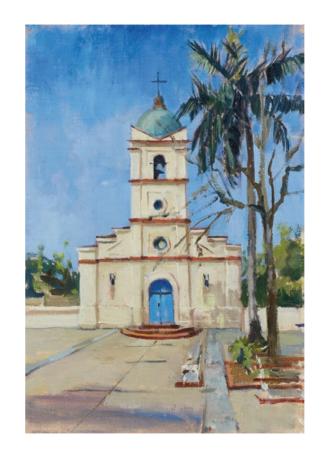


Andean Girl with her Teddy, Peru. Oil on panel, 41 x 37 cm



Fruit and Veg Shop, Peru. Oil on canvas, 24 x 28 cm





CU BA



Previous page: *La Habana*, Cuba Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm

The Church in Viñales, Cuba Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



Morning Light in Havana, Cuba Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



A Doorway in Havana, Cuba Oil on panel, 70 x 52 cm



Turquoise Walls, Cuba. Oil on panel, 70 x 30 cm Sunrise in Trinidad, Cuba. Oil on panel, 35 x 60 cm



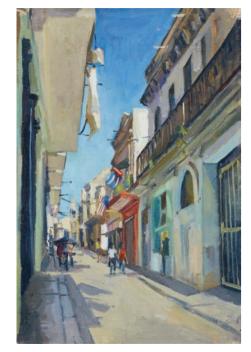
An Old Church in Havana, Cuba. Oil on panel, 50 x 30 cm



An afternoon with Louis, Francisco and Co., Cuba. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Viñales, Cuba. Oil on canvas, 25 x 50 cm



Outside Vicky O'China's House, Cuba Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



San Lazaro study, Cuba. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Pink Balcony, Cuba. Oil on canvas, 20 x 30 cm



Laundry drying in Havana, Cuba. Oil on canvas, 30 x 20 cm



Varadero, Cuba. Oil on panel 45 x 70 cm

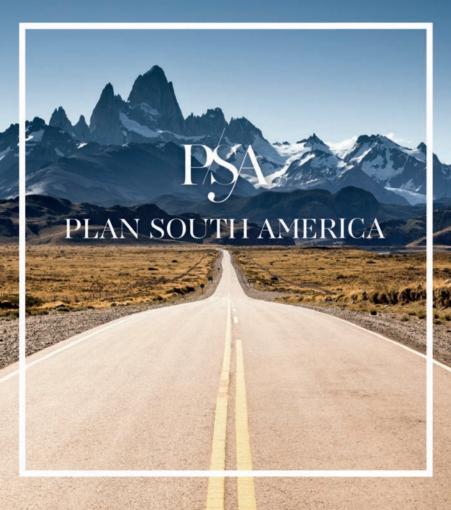


Pink Walls in Trinidad, Cuba. Oil on canvas 20 x 30 cm



San Lazaro, Old Havana, Cuba. Oil on panel, 90 x 60 cm

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I have been living and working in South America since 2005. My travel company, Plan South America, was born of a passion for Argentina, which developed into a continent-wide fascination. Based in London and Buenos Aires, our team of specialists craft one-of-a-kind adventures to some of the most remote and spectacular corners of South America and Antarctica.

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