Current Exhibitions

Self Portrait Colour
Photograph of Sarah Acland with her Portuguese Guitar, Early 20th Century

WOMEN IN SCIENCE
Basement Gallery
March – December 2018

100 years ago, the first group of women won the right to vote in the UK. In this centenary year, there is widespread recognition of the political role women have played in society.

But what about the vital contributions women have made to science over the centuries? This portrait display celebrates eight women, from the 1700s to the present day, who have contributed to our knowledge of the universe. From a Nobel Prize winner to “The Queen of Nineteenth Century Science”, each woman is linked to either the University of Oxford or our collections.

Online Exhibitions

The Museum has been creating virtual versions of exhibitions since 1995:

Anna Dumitriu: BioArt and Bacteria
Back from the Dead

Dear Harry

Geek is Good

In Print
Natural Histories

Revealing The Brain

Let’s Get Physical

Atmospheres
Fancy Names & Fun Toys

The Renaissance in Astronomy

Traces

Eccentricity
Elliott Brothers

Anvilled Stars

Al-Mizan

Steampunk
Moonscope

Time & Place

Small Worlds

Science in Islam
Titan: a new world explored

Drug Trade

The Transits of Venus

The Most Noble Problem in Nature
Star Holder

Solomon's House in Oxford

Natural Magic

Cosmographia
Epact

Lines of Faith

Garden, Ark, Tower, Temple

Cameras
George Graham and Bill Gates

Images of Tycho Brahe

The Geometry of War

The Measurers
Early Photographs

Oxford Virtual Science Walk