

CROWN WORKS POTTERY



'A teaching space, that's like sitting down at a communal table to eat, but with throwing'.

Crown Works Pottery is an independent pottery studio, workshop and teaching school in East London. One of the most established pottery spaces in the capital, the studio is located in an intimate and warm space within a charming Victorian mews in Bethnal Green, originally home to cabinetmakers and polishers, and now home to a community of creatives and artists.

Crown Works opened in 2016 and was founded by Giulietta Hextail who trained under Australian master potter, Steve Sheridan. Giulietta runs the space as both a school and a professional members studio.

The calm and beautiful pottery interior encourages wellbeing and creativity in a stunning workshop with an abundance of natural light, perfect for seeing detail whilst making. On the ground floor there are ten student wheels, with five professional wheels in the members studio next door, and upstairs a dedicated hand building workroom.

The pottery school offers a range of classes and workshops for beginners, improvers and a range of specialist masterclasses for professionals from the best international names in the ceramics' world. A diverse range of courses include 2-hour taster sessions, to longer all-day sessions which introduce students to both throwing and hand building. Five and six-week courses enable beginners and intermediates to develop their skills over a longer period of time. Throughout the year more specialist one-off master classes take deep dives into specifics such as Tea Bowl making and Figurative Clay workshops.

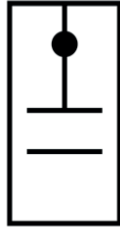
All classes are taught by professional full-time potters, with a passion for teaching and sharing their expertise in crafting from clay. The classes are kept to a limited number of people of ten per session, this keeps the classes intimate and allows all students to be given sufficient help in a friendly atmosphere.

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Crown Works has its own dedicated hand building studio offering a wide range of courses to learn techniques such as slab, coil and pinch methods. The studio offers the widest range of diverse hand-building courses in London with the best artists and makers teaching in this field.

Crown Works has built a strong artistic community around its core. The pottery has a small selection of full-time members, artists and makers all creating bespoke ceramics and developing their practices.





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Giulietta Hextail apprenticed in Australia to Master potter Steve Sheridan. Giulietta specialises in wheel thrown items both in stoneware and porcelain, whilst developing her own glazes often from local and natural ingredients such as wood ash.

She loves to produce beautiful, tactile yet affordable pottery pieces that people can use on a daily basis as well as one off art pieces. The Crown Works range of items created by the studio include milk jugs, ramen bowls and everyday tableware.

Giulietta takes on numerous bespoke commissions and collaborations for a wide range of clients including well-known restaurants and renowned interior designer Rose Uniacke.

Giulietta is also a photographer and filmmaker specialising in documentaries, she has worked and been exhibited internationally.



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