

PATTERNED PORTRAITS - DIXON



Luke Dixon is a graphic artist, illustrator and print maker from the north of England. His background in art started at CCAD where he covered all things art & found his creative feet. He then moved on to Northumbria University to study Fine Art; focusing on lino, woodcut & screen prints.

HOW TO DO IT

- Select a photograph to use as the starting point for your work - it's better if this is one you've taken yourself
- Use a light pad, or the light from a window to carefully trace the image to create a simple outline drawing
- Use a light pencil, or don't press on too hard, to create simple patterns on the face - look at Luke Dixon's work to get some ideas
- Once you're happy use a black pen to ink the lines you've drawn
- Get 2 or 3 photocopies of your original drawing and add colour to these - keep your original drawing black and white

'I SCRIBBLE SHAPES ONTO PAPER WITH A SUPERLIGHT PENCIL, GET EVERYTHING LINED UP & THEN INKED UP.'

Luke Dixon

FURTHER RESEARCH AND KEY WORDS



Kris Trappeniers



Thom Thom



Jimmy Turrell

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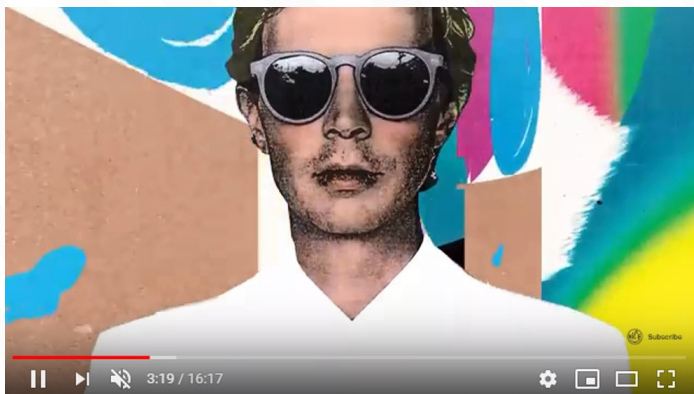
His delicately cut stencils are extremely complex; the twisting, curving line work creating amazing portraits that are finished with spraypaint

THOM THOM

French street artist born who works on billboards, Thom Thom started collaborating with Jacques Villegle, the famous Parisian “poster-décollagiste” to produce his artwork.

JIMMY TURRELL

Jimmy Turrell is a graphic artist and video director. He combines a love of handmade collage, drawing, screenprinting and painting alongside digital techniques.



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STENCIL

A piece of card, plastic, metal, etc. into which shapes have been cut, used to draw or paint patterns onto a surface

COLLABORATE

To work with someone else for a special purpose