

# Colourful Crossings

54 Submissions / 3 Artists commissioned

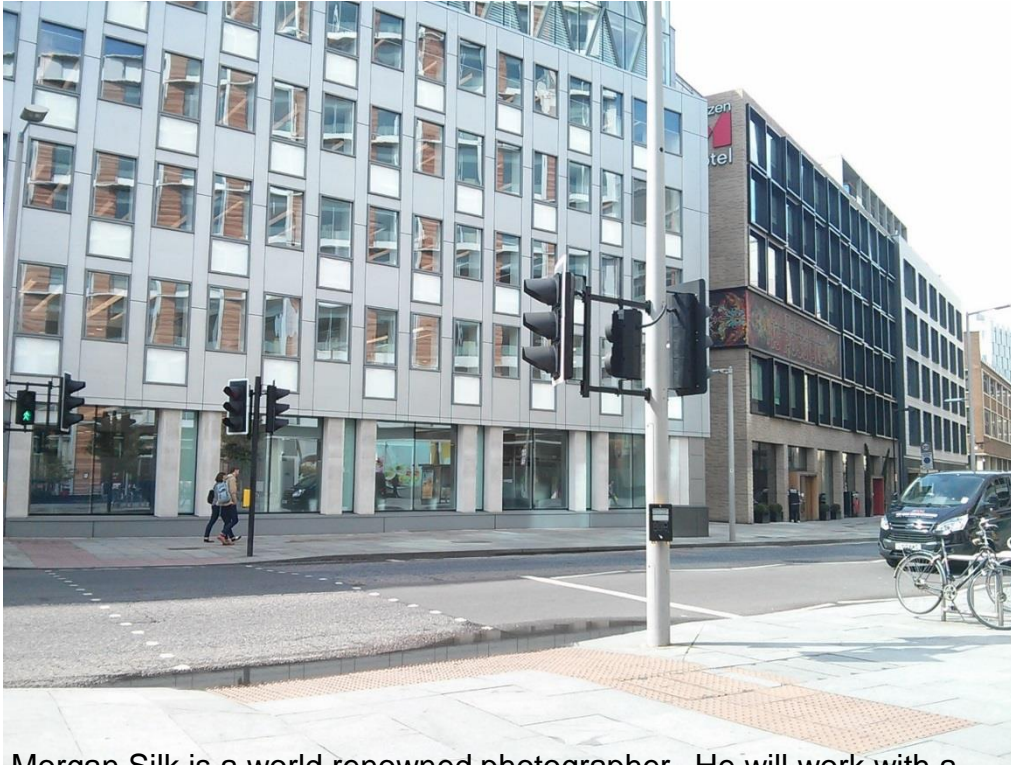
## **Artist / Site**

Morgan Silk / Great Guildford Street & Southwark Street

EXYZT / O'Meara Street & Southwark Street

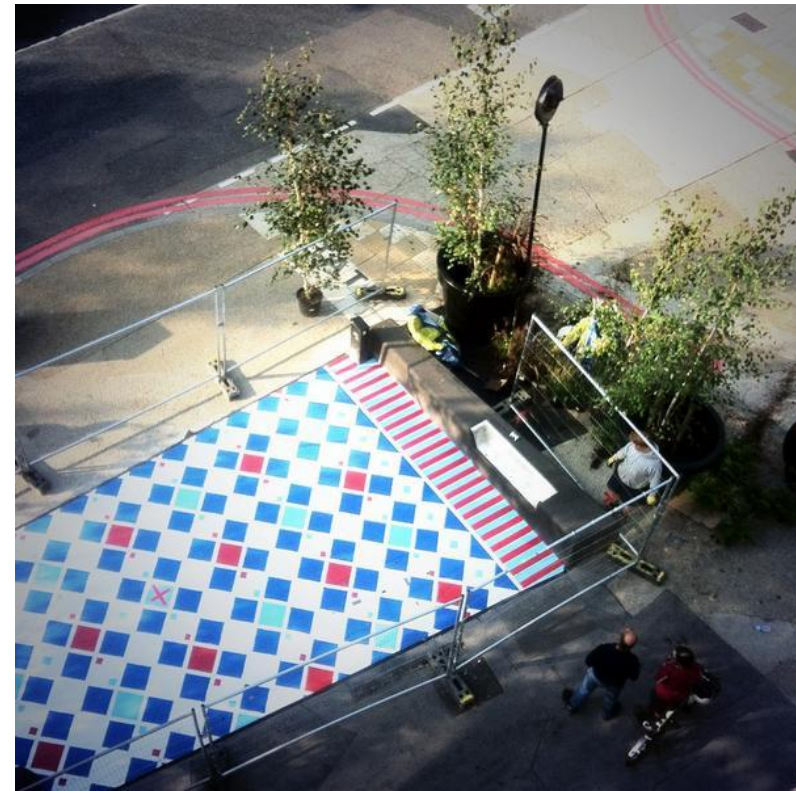
Adam Frank / Redcross Way & Southwark Street

# Morgan Silk



Morgan Silk is a world renowned photographer. He will work with a computer programmer to develop a photographic image using anamorphosis (a technique where an image is revealed only from one specific viewing point). This will then be printed on to a material that will be applied to the surface of the crossing. The material is a commercial product suitable for application on carriageways, and this project will test how suitable it is for this type of creative use.





EXYZT will extend the design approach that they developed on the Hope Exchange parklet on Southwark Street. Their project 'Crossing Stories' will work with a local artist, and engage with local residents and employees at developing new graphic images that will be incorporated into the carriageway and surrounding spaces, drawing people on a journey potentially from Maiden Lane to Union Street, crossing Southwark Street outside the Menier Chocolate Factory.



# Adam Frank



Adam Frank is a New York based artist and designer, who will bring his fun and engaging piece 'the Performer' to the UK for the first time. A spotlight will shine on a part of Southwark Street under the rail bridge by Redcross Way. As people walk through the spotlight a spontaneous applause will be triggered. The more people respond to this, the livelier the applause.

This project will highlight a stretch of Southwark Street where no pedestrian crossing currently exists, but a local campaign is gathering pace to get one installed in improve north/south accessibility.



Proposed implementation:

EXYZT – August

Morgan Silk – September

Adam Frank – October

## Colourful Crossings – proposed crossing locations for creative interventions / May 2015



1. Southwark Street / Great Guildford Street
2. Southwark Street / O'Meara Street
3. Southwark Street / Redcross Way\*

\*Southwark Street / Redcross Way – there is currently no crossing point at this junction, but there is a locally-led campaign underway lobbying TfL to improve the crossing provision at this point. It would be great to explore the possibility of installing a temporary / trial crossing provision at this point as part of the project.