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WHAT TO SEE THIS MONTH

MERRIE ALBION: LANDSCAPE STUDIES OF A SMALL ISLAND
Flowers Gallery, London
19 JANUARY - 10 MARCH
1 Simon Roberts HonFRPS is an astute chronicler of British life and events that bring people together. This exhibition is of published and unpublished work made over the past decade, including his series We English and National Property: The Picturesque Imperfect. flowersgallery.com

INTO THE WOODS
Victoria and Albert Museum, London
UNTIL 22 APRIL
2 How trees have inspired photographers throughout the medium’s history is explored in images drawn from The Royal Photographic Society collection and the permanent collection of the Victoria and Albert Museum. vam.ac.uk

SCOTTISH PRESS PHOTOGRAPHY AWARDS
The Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh
UNTIL FEBRUARY
3 This selection of images from the 2017 awards includes work by the overall winner, Angie Isaac, plus photographs from each of the competition’s eight categories. sppa.photography

BRITISH LIFE PHOTOGRAPHY AWARDS
Royal Albert Hall, London
UNTIL 31 JANUARY
4 Around 80 winning and shortlisted images from the annual competition are on show to the public on 7, 13, 14, 20, 21, 27 and 28 January, 10am-1pm. Times may be subject to change. royalalberthall.com

WOMEN IN MEDICINE: A CELEBRATION
Royal College of Physicians of London
UNTIL 10 JANUARY
5 Photographer John Chase has produced this series of specially commissioned portraits featuring a number of today’s leading female clinicians, together with images of women from the history of medicine who have inspired them. rcp.london.ac.uk

Taylor Wessing Photographic Portrait Prize 2017 National Portrait Gallery, London, until 4 February
Landscape Photographer of the Year Waterloo Station balcony, London, until 4 February
Swaps: Photographs From the David Hurn Collection National Museum, Cardiff, until 11 March
When We Were Young: Photographs of Childhood From the National Galleries of Scotland Scottish National Portrait Gallery, Edinburgh, until 15 April