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*Scarlet Emperor*, 2008  
Aquatint  
16 x 12 cms

This aquatint is based on the pattern on a runner bean.

My habit as a print-maker is to look at the ordinary, unnoticed or unseen and make it more visible. I do this by changing the scale of an object or just shifting my perspective. I make a runner bean into a planet, a courgette into a map, draw road maps of journeys based on the bumps in the road, rather than map co-ordinates, or make prints from etching plates buried in the ground. I'm currently working on a series of prints from plates buried in English battlefields.