



● Ms McLeod with her paintings.

Unique expo attracts art lovers

An exclusive art exhibition, 'The Gradual Instant', by Bahrain-based artist, Demi McLeod was launched yesterday by the Capital Club.

A collection of more than 26 paintings are on display.

Ms McLeod's latest inspirational series explores exiting new mediums and textures,

cleverly combined with traditional methods of oil painting, on Italian canvas and linen.

The opening ceremony was attended by members and their guests. The response has been very positive with half the works sold prior to opening night. The exhibition will run until October 3.

Ms McLeod was trained at the Royal College of Arts in London. She was the owner of the Art Lounge in Perth, Australia and worked as a curator before she moved to the country.

As a full-time artist, Ms McLeod's artwork brings to life aspects of her past and present encounters and features mainly

children, music and animals. Born in Zimbabwe, educated in the UK and having lived in Australia, she has had the opportunity to deal with an array of artists from across the globe during her 20 years in the field.

She currently lives in Bahrain and runs her own studio, the

Bahrain Studio in Zinj. In February 2009, she had co-hosted the 'Ephemeral Space' exhibition at the Gulf Hotel.

'The Gradual Instant' exhibition was hosted by Capital Club as part of its series of programme to promote and support Bahraini heritage and local and international art.