

RUDY KISTLER b.1976

EDUCATION

MFA (Painting, by research) National Art School, Sydney, Australia	2007
BFA, the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, U.S.A.	2001
Associate degree in Science, Olney Central College, Olney, IL	1998
High School diploma, East Richland High School, Olney, IL	1994

EXHIBITIONS

<i>In a fair light</i> , solo exhibition, Charles Hewitt Gallery, Darlinghurst	2007
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, North Sydney	2007
Waverley Art Prize, Waverley Woollahra Art Centre, Bondi	2007
Stock room show, Global Gallery, Paddington	2007
Bruyeres-Gray group show, Milk Factory, Bowral, NSW	2007
<i>Barrel of Crazy Monkeys</i> , Albury Cellar Gallery, Paddington	2006
Paddington Art Prize, Michael Nagy Gallery, Woollahra	2006
ArtScape, Albury Cellar Gallery, Paddington	2006
<i>A day at the Beach</i> , Art moment gallery, Bondi	2006
Waverley Art Prize, Waverly Woollahra Art Centre, Bondi	2005
FONAS exhibition, Cell block, National Art school, Sydney	2005
<i>Spaces between places</i> , Design Festa Gallery, Tokyo Japan	2002
<i>Spaces</i> : solo exhibition, landscapes of the northwest U.S. Olney, IL	2001
Gallery 2, BFA graduating exhibition, Chicago IL.	2001
Pan-Asia festival, University of Chicago	2001
Verge show, Le Peep, Chicago	1999
Holiday art sale, SAIC, two works selected for the School's website	1999
One man show, Olney Central College, Olney IL	1998

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

"Highly commended" Chalk The Walk, Sydney	2007
2nd prize, Art Moment Gallery group exhibition, Sydney	2006
"Highly recommended" Waverly Arts Prize, Sydney	2005
Working Artist Visa, Japan	2003
Odyssey travel grant, School of the Art Institute of Chicago	2001
Olney Arts Council, Visual Art Scholarship	1998

PERSONAL HISTORY

Upon graduation from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, I left for Japan and resided there as an artist until June, 2004. My last five years abroad (including trips to Korea, Germany, Spain and Morocco) have been spent examining cultures different from my own while creating artwork that reflects my own personal experience. I completed a Master of Fine Arts at The National Art School in Darlinghurst in July of this year.