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Education

2000 Master of Fine Arts (Research) College of Fine Arts, University of NSW

1997 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Honours Class 1, College of Fine Arts, University of NSW

1993 Associate Diploma in Fine Arts, St George College of TAFE

Education Scholarships/Awards

1998 Australian Post Graduate Award Scholarship

1997 Chancellor's choice for outstanding achievement UNSW

1993 Basil and Muriel Hooper Scholarship AGNSW

State Commission Medal Highest pass in Fine Arts Diploma NSW TAFE

Highest Achievement Award, St George College of TAFE

Solo Exhibitions

2020 'Come Shower With Me' The SHAC Gallery, Robertson

2016 'Riversdale Dreaming' PLC Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney

2015 'Interior Monologue – A Carousel' Moran Gallery, Sydney

'Penny for my Thoughts' A-M Gallery, Sydney

2013 'A Scattering Of Pages' (Art Month artist) A-M Gallery, Sydney

2012 'Breathing Life Into Pieces' Sheffer Gallery, Sydney

2009 'Dig', Hazelhurst Regional Gallery and Arts Centre, Sydney

2003 'With A Twist' A-Space Gallery, Sydney

2000 'Metaphor as Autobiography', Kudos Gallery, Sydney

Group Exhibitions

2020 'Hazelhurst 2020' - Hazelhurst Arts Centre, Sydney (upcoming)

Reciprocity: A collaboration between painters and ceramicists, Hazelhurst Arts Centre, Sydney (upcoming)

'Movers and Shapers 2 - Women and the Land', Broadhurst Gallery Hazelhurst Arts Centre, Sydney (upcoming)

2019 'Exposition Noël_001', Galerie Heimat, St Remy Provence, France

'Everyday Madonna' - curated by Jenny Cheeseman, Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, Sydney

'Connexions Silencieuses' - curated by Nicky Ginsberg Eglise St Laurent, Eygelières, Provence France

2018 'Movers and Shapers - Women And The Land', Hazelhurst Arts Centre, Sydney

'The Way We See Ourselves' curated by Caitlan Casey, Westend Art Space, Melbourne

2017 'Land'-curated by Katherine Roberts, Manly Art Gallery and Museum, Sydney

'Artist Profile: Australasian Painters 2007-2017' Orange Regional Gallery, Orange

'Three Painters' McGlade Gallery ACU, Sydney

'Portia Geach Memorial Award', National Trust SH Ervin Gallery, Sydney

'Fisher's Ghost Art Prize', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney

2016 'Art Fair Philippine' – Gajah Gallery Singapore

'Art Stage Singapore' – Gajah Gallery, Singapore

'Fisher's Ghost Art Prize', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney

'Vantage Points' Art Month, Art Est, Sydney

2014 'The Democracy of Drawing' Art Month, AirSpace Projects, Sydney

'Home' Gallery Represented Artists, A-M Gallery, Sydney

'Fisher's Ghost Art Award', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney

2013 'Kedumba Drawing Award', Wild Valley Art Park, Wentworth Falls, Sydney

'The Kedumba Collection of Australian Drawings', Orange Arts and Health, Orange Regional Gallery, Orange

Awards and Prizes

2019 Recipient DRAWinternational Artist-in-Residence Program 2020/21, Caylus, France
Finalist 'Hazelhurst Art On Paper Award', Hazelhurst Arts Centre, Sydney
Semi-finalist, 'Doug Moran National Portrait Prize', Sydney
2018 Winner - NG Art Creative Residency Prize, Eygalières Provence, France
Winner 'The Vincent Art Prize' (Inaugural) Duckrabbit Gallery, Sydney
Finalist - Open Award 'Fisher's Ghost Art Award' Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
Finalist - 'BAM Art Prize', Thom Gallery, Byron Bay
2017 Winner 'Fisher's Ghost James Gleeson Surrealism Award', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
Finalist 'Portia Geach Memorial Award' National Trust SH Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Finalist 'Open Award' & 'Contemporary Award' Fisher's Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
2015 Winner 'Hazelhurst Works on Paper Friends of Hazelhurst Prize', Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Sydney
Finalist - Open Award & Contemporary Award, 'Fisher's Ghost Art Award', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
2014 Finalist - Open Award & Contemporary 'Fisher's Ghost Art Award', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
2013 Winner 'Fisher's Ghost James Gleeson Surrealism Award'(inaugural), Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
Winner 'Kedumba Drawing Award'(Acquired), Wild Valley Art Park, Wentworth Falls, Sydney
Finalist - Works on Paper & Contemporary Award, 'Fisher's Ghost Art Award', Campbelltown Arts Centre, Sydney
Finalist 'Cliftons Emerging Art Prize', Sydney
2012 Finalist, 'Dobell Drawing Prize', Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney
Finalist - Open & Contemporary Awards, 'Fisher's Ghost Art Award', Campbelltown Regional Gallery, Sydney
1996 Winner Contemporary category (Acquisitive) 'Fishers Ghost Art Award', Campbelltown Regional Gallery John Knapp Award, Judged by John McDonald
1995 Winner 'Josef Lebovic Print Prize' (Acquisitive), COFA University of NSW, Sydney

Artist Residencies

2020 DRAWinternational Artist-in-Residence Program 2020/21, Caylus, France
Recipient Georges River Council Artist-in-Residence Program, Sydney (Upcoming)
2018 NG Art Creative Residency Prize, Eygèlières Provence, France
2018 Artist-in-Residence Bundanon Trust
2016 PLC Croydon Artist-in-Residence, Sydney

Collections

The Kedumba Collection of Australian Drawing, Orange Regional Gallery
Cambelltown Arts Centre
PLC Sydney, Adelaide Perry Gallery
The Michael and Marilyn Reardon-Small Collection
International Drawing Institute Archive, COFA UNSW
Josef Lebovic Gallery Collection
John Knapp Collection
Southern Sydney Institute of TAFE
And private collections in Sydney, France, Singapore and Hong Kong

Selected Publications

[Maria Stojlar 'Talking With Painters' Episode 95 Australian Podcast series August 2020](#)
[Hazelhurst Arts Centre Friends of Hazelhurst News 'Artist Spotlight' April 2020](#)
[Jenny Cheeseman 'Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre online catalogue Everyday Madonna' May 2019](#)
[Susannah Smith 'Runway-Australian Experimental Art' Issue #32, November 2016](#)
[Rose Niland 'The Culture Concept Circle, June 23 2015](#)
[Lucy Stranger Issue #31 "Artist Profile Magazine Feature", June 16 2015](#)
[Andrew Frost, Critics' pick, SMH, Feb 12 2015](#)
[Sharne Wolff 'The Art Life', Feb 6 2015](#)
[The Art Life –New Work Friday feature, Jan 2015](#)
[Hazelhurst Regional Gallery and Arts Centre/ Hazelhurst Art on Paper Award Artist Profile, June 2, 2015](#)
[Chloe Wolifson, Preview, 2014](#)
[Andrew Frost, Critics' pick, SMH, Feb 17, 2012](#)

