

YVETTE COPPERSMITH

b. 1980 Melbourne, Victoria

EDUCATION

2001 Completed Bachelor of Fine Art (Painting) at the Victorian College of the Arts.

AWARDS

2003 Inaugural Metro 5 Art Prize, Armadale

2001 Maude Glover Fleay Award, VCA Graduate Exhibition

COMPETITIONS

2016 Archibald Prize, AGNSW, Sydney

2015 Lethbridge 10000 Small Scale Art Award, Lethbridge Gallery, Brisbane, QLD

2014 Fisher's Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown Arts Centre, NSW

Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, Juniper Hall, Sydney

2013 Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney, NSW

Rick Amor Self Portrait Prize, Montsalvat, Eltham, VIC

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

2011 The Royal Bank of Scotland (RBS) Emerging Artist Award, RBS Tower, Sydney, NSW

City of Perth Black Swan Prize for Portraiture, Perth Town Hall, WA

Arthur Guy Memorial Painting Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery

2010 Fletcher Jones art prize, Geelong Gallery

Redland Art Awards, Redland Gallery, Cleveland QLD

Stan and Maureen Duke Gold Coast Art Prize, Gold Coast City Gallery, QLD

Xstrata Percival Portrait Award, Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville

2009 Archibald Prize, Art Gallery NSW and National tour

EDWINA CORLETTE GALLERY

- 2008 Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery NSW and National tour
- 2007 Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, State Library of NSW
Metro5 Art Award, Metro5 Gallery, Armadale
- 2006 Selected for 25/25 minimag (25 Visual Artists aged 25 & under), by Art&Australia and
NoiseDoug Moran National Portrait Prize, State Library of NSW & national tour
Metro5 Art Award, Metro5 Gallery, Armadale
- 2005 Metro5 Art Award, Armadale
- 2004 Methodist Ladies College Acquisitive Art Prize, Kew
Metro 5 Art Prize, Armadale
- 2003 Alice Bale Art Award, Glen Eira City Council Gallery, Caulfield
Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Inaugural Metro 5 Art Prize, Armadale
- 2002 Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, State Library of NSW & national tour

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 Companion Piece, Fort Delta, Melbourne
Two Piece, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane
Selected Works, Home@735, Sydney
- 2015 Summer Arrangements, Fort Delta, Melbourne
- 2014 Love Lifes, Rubicon ARI, Melbourne
Love and Light, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne
Love and Light, Gallery 9, Sydney
- 2012 Art House, Chalk Horse, Melbourne Art Fair

- 2011 Summer House, Gallery Ecosse, Exeter NSW
Forever in Blue Jeans, Incu Window Project, Sydney NSW
- 2010 Loft Suite, Chalk Horse, Sydney
- 2009 The Opera Room, Horus and Deloris, Sydney
Blue Series, Chalk Horse, Sydney
- 2008 Gallery, Metro 5 Gallery, Armadale
Blue Series, Blindside Artist Run Space, Melbourne
- 2006 Still/Moving Linden St Kilda Centre for Contemporary Arts
- 2004 Somewhere Here Linden St Kilda Centre for Contemporary Arts

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2015 Return, Curated by Daine Singer, Daine Singer Melbourne
Shots off the Dices, Curated by Rhys Lee, Nicholas Thompson Gallery, Melbourne
The smell of an oily rag, Curated by James Bowen, Fort Delta, Melbourne
The Design Files Inaugural Annual Fundraiser Exhibition, TDF Collect, Melbourne
Iconoclasts, Curated by Chelsea Lehman, Airspace, Sydney
Man, Curated by Tristian Koenig, Tristian Koenig gallery, Melbourne
Sound and Vision, Curated by Erin Raleigh, Mojo Record Bar, Sydney
- 2014 F-Word, Curated by T. John & K. Robertson, Gallery Central, Central Institute of Technology, Perth
No Werk, Curated by Ace Wagstaff, Trocadero Art Space, Melbourne
Kaleidoscope, Curated by Rozalind Drummond, Platform, Melbourne
Wild Places, Curated by Rozalind Drummond, Motorworks Gallery, Melbourne
- 2013 Breathing Room, curated by Jaime Tsai Mop Projects, Sydney
- 2012 Out and About, Glen Eira Artists' Exhibition, Glen Eira City Council Gallery

- 2011 Saison Finale, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane
Nothing is True, Everything is Permitted, Chalk Horse, Sydney
Painting 11, Lindberg Gallery, Melbourne
High Definition, Ausin Tung Gallery, Prahran
High Definition, Paradise Hills, Richmond
Between Sea and Sky, Shakespeare Grove Studio Artists, Brightspace, St Kilda
- 2010 The Outsider, Trocadero Art Space, Footscray
- 2007 Memento Mori, blkmrkt Gallery, Southport QLD
- 2005 Selecta, Westspace, Melbourne
New Growth (new acquisitions for 2004/05), Benalla Art Gallery

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2016 Artist in Residence, Geelong Grammar, Corio
Teacher of Portrait Drawing Workshops, Members Art Classes, NGV, Melbourne

COLLECTIONS + COMMISSIONS

- Artbank
Benalla Art Gallery
Supreme Court of Victoria – Portrait of Justice Rosemary Balmford
Trinity College, The University of Melbourne – Portrait of Rupert Myer AM
The Knox School – Portrait of Anthony Conabere
Melbourne High – Portrait of Ray Willis
Temple Beth Israel – Portrait of Rabbi Fred Morgan
Jewish Museum of Australia, Melbourne