

AUSTRALIAN GALLERIES

BRUCE LATIMER

Born 1951, Sydney, Australia

1970-73	Diploma of Fine Arts (painting), National Art School, Sydney
1974	Diploma of Education, Sydney Teachers College, Sydney
1975-76	Teacher at Condell Park High School, Condell Park, NSW
1976-91	Lived and worked in New York City, USA
1991	Lecturer in Painting, Post Graduate Department, Sydney College of the Arts, University of Sydney, Sydney
1993-2003	Lecturer in Printmaking, National Art School, Sydney Lecturer in Printmaking, TAFE, Sydney
2004-10	Lecturer in Printmaking, National Art School, Sydney Lecturer in Printmaking, College of Fine Arts, University of New South Wales, Sydney
2005-17	Lecturer in Printmaking, UNSW Art and Design, University of New South Wales, Sydney

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2022	'Sightseeing', Australian Galleries, Sydney 'Re:Connection', Intersection Art Space, Burnie, TAS
2020	'Travel paintings', Australian Galleries, Sydney
2018	'Paintings and Etchings', Australian Galleries, Sydney
2016	'Etchings', Beaver Galleries, Canberra
2015	'Etchings', Australian Galleries, Roylston Street, Sydney
2014	'Etchings', Australian Galleries, Derby Street, Melbourne
2013	'Etchings', Beaver Galleries, Canberra
2011	'Etchings', Australian Galleries, Glenmore Road, Sydney
2010	'Etchings', Australian Galleries, Smith Street, Melbourne
2009	'Tenuous connections', Beaver Galleries, Canberra
2008	'Natural Wonders', Australian Galleries, Glenmore Road, Sydney
2005	'Etchings', Watson Place Gallery, Melbourne
2003	'The Natural Order', Gallery 482, Brisbane 'The Natural Order', Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney
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1988	'Paintings and Drawings', Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney 'Paintings and Drawings', Ray Hughes Gallery, Brisbane
1987	'Paintings and Drawings', P.A.C.A. Gallery, New York, USA
1979	'Brisbane – New York, New York – Brisbane', Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane
1975	'Art From The Home', Watters Gallery, Sydney
1974	'Three Works', Watters Gallery, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023	'Prints4Ukraine', CBD Gallery, Sydney
2019	'papermade', Australian Galleries, Melbourne
2016	'Life: Limited edition etchings, lithographs and linocuts', Australian Galleries, Melbourne

- ‘Assemblage’, John Curtin Gallery, Curtin University, Perth
- ‘International Printmaking Alliance Exhibition’, Central Academy of Fine Arts, Beijing, Taimiao Art Gallery, Nanjing Jinling Art Museum, Tianjin Art Museum, Shijiazhuang Art Museum, Shenzhen Printmaking Museum, China.
- 2015 ‘A start with no end: 1st International Forum of Printmaking Art School Deans’, The Central Academy of Fine Arts, Beijing, China; Nanjing Academy of Fine Arts, Nanjing, China; Hubei Institute of Fine Arts, Wuhan, China
- ‘An exhibition of paintings, sculpture & works on paper’, Australian Galleries, Royston Street, Sydney
- 2015 ‘Auditory Visions’, Lismore Regional Gallery, Lismore, NSW
- 2014 ‘International Print Exhibition, Australia and Japan’, Kyoto Municipal Museum of Art, Kyoto, Japan; Fukuyama Museum of Art, Hiroshima, Japan
- ‘Seoul – Sydney: Contemporary Korean and Australian Prints’, UNSW Galleries, Art & Design, Sydney
- ‘Yunlin County International Contemporary Arts Exchange Exhibition’, Yunlin, Taiwan
- ‘one of each’, Australian Galleries, Derby Street, Melbourne
- 2013 ‘Utzon’s Opera House’, S. H Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- ‘Suburban Noir’, Museum of Sydney, Sydney
- 2012 ‘Five Bells – A Visual Ode to Sydney’, Damian Minton Gallery, Sydney
- Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW
- 2011 ‘Familiar Unfamiliar – 45th Anniversary Exhibition of the Print Council of Australia’, c3 contemporary art space, Melbourne
- ‘large exhibition of small works’, Australian Galleries, Royston Street, Sydney
- ‘large exhibition of small works’, Australian Galleries, Derby Street, Melbourne
- ‘Messages from the South: Contemporary Australian Prints from COFA UNSW’, Art Museum of National Taiwan University of Arts, New Taipei City, Taiwan
- Geelong Acquisitive Print Awards, Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC
- ‘Let it all hang out: Australian Art of the 70’s’, Art Gallery of Ballarat, Ballarat, VIC
- Community Printmakers (CPM) National Print Awards, Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW
- International Art on Paper Exhibition, Rajamangala University of Technology, Lana, Thailand
- ‘Personal Space: Contemporary Chinese and Australian Prints’, Manly Art Gallery and Museum, Sydney; touring: Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW; Central Academy of Fine Arts Gallery, Beijing, China; Lu Xun Academy of Fine Arts Gallery, Shenyang, China; Xi’an Academy of Fine Arts Gallery, Xi’an, China; Guanland Original Printmaking Base, Shenzhen, China
- Burnie Print Prize, Burnie Regional Art Gallery, Burnie, TAS
- 2010 The 14th International Print Exhibition, The National Taiwan Museum of Fine Art, Taipei, Taiwan
- ‘Summer show’, Australian Galleries, Glenmore Road, Sydney
- ‘Artists’ Prints made with Integrity I’, Australian Galleries, Smith Street, Melbourne
- ‘The Return of the Guitar Shaped World’, Tamworth Regional Art Gallery, Tamworth, NSW
- 2009 ‘Artists’ ink: printmaking from the Warrnambool Art Gallery Collection, 1970-2001’, Ararat Regional Art Gallery, Ararat, VIC
- ‘Born To Be Wild: the motorcycle in Australia’, Penrith Regional Gallery & The Lewers Bequest, Emu Plains, NSW
- 2008 ‘Stock Show’, Australian Galleries, Glenmore Road, Sydney
- 2007 ‘Summer Stock Show’, Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney
- ‘The story of Australian printmaking 1801 – 2005’, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- ‘Artists’ ink: printmaking from the Warrnambool Art Gallery Collection 1970 – 2001’, Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC

- 2006 'Art Interchange', Museum of Contemporary Art, Hongik University, Seoul, Korea
 '50th Anniversary Exhibition', Australian Galleries, Melbourne
 'Five Sydney Artists', Adele Boag Gallery, Adelaide
- 2005 Geelong Acquisitive Print Awards, Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC
- 2004 'In the presence of all creatures great and small', Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney
- 2003 'Prints by Bruce Latimer & David Fraser', Beaver Galleries, Canberra
- 2002 'Landscapes', Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney
- 2001 'The Studio Tradition – National Art School 1883 – 2001', National Art School, Sydney
 The Manly Art Gallery & Museum, Sydney
 The Macau International Exhibition of Prints, Museum of Macau, Macau, China
- 2000 'Sydney Suburb', Museum of Sydney, Sydney
 'Dog', National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- 1999 Shell Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA
 Norwegian International Print Triennial, Fredrikstand, Norway
- 1998 International Print Triennial, Kraków, Poland; Nürnberg, Germany and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- 1997 City of Hobart Art Prize, Hobart
 'Perspecta Fibro', Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, Sydney
- 1996 'People, Prints and Patronage: The Development of the Geelong Art Gallery Print Collection', Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC
 Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery Biennial Print Acquisitive, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington, VIC
 Shell Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA
 University of Western Sydney Macarthur National Printmedia Acquisitive, University of Western Sydney, Sydney
- 1994 Shell Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA
- 1992 Henri Worland Memorial Print Award, Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC
- 1991 'Tony Coleing & Friends – an exhibition of collaborative prints', National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
 'Off the wall/in the air, a seventies selection', Monash University Gallery, Melbourne
- 1989 'Prints and Australia: Pre-Settlement to Present', National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- 1986 'Church and State', Zeus Trabla Gallery, New York, USA
 'Art Attack Against Racism and Apartheid', P.A.C.A. Gallery, New York, USA
 'War/Peace on Earth', P.A.C.A. Gallery, New York, USA
- 1983 'Taste, Place and Transition, Expatriates in New York', Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney
- 1982 'Australian Screenprints', Print Council of Australia, Melbourne
- 1980 'The Dog Show', Robin Winter's Loft, New York, USA
 'Contemporary Australian Printmakers', University of Oregon, Oregon, USA
- 1979 Bradford Print Biennale, Bradford City Art Gallery, Bradford, UK
 Tokyo Print Biennial Exhibition, The Gallery of Japan Artists Association, Tokyo, Japan
- 1978 Fremantle Arts Centre Print Award, Fremantle Arts Centre, Fremantle, WA
- 1977 'Some Contemporary Art From the East Coast of Australia', Pender Street Gallery, Vancouver, Canada
 'Contemporary Australian Prints', Festival of Perth and Tokyo, Japan
 'Watters at Pinacotheca', Pinacotheca Gallery, Melbourne
- 1976 Mornington Peninsular Arts Centre Print Biennial, Mornington Peninsular Arts Centre, Mornington, VIC
 Pederson Prize for Printmaking, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
- 1975 Mildura Sculpture Biennale', Mildura, VIC

- Philip Morris Trust Collection Exhibition, Sydney
 'The Road Show', Shepparton City Art Gallery, Shepparton, VIC
 'Outlines of Australian Printmaking', Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Ballarat, VIC
 1974 'Project Show', Contemporary Art Society, Sydney
 'Three Sydney Printmakers', Chapman Powell Street Gallery, Melbourne
 1973 'Nine Young Sydney Painters', Llewellyn Gallery, Dulwich, SA
 Rowney Print Prize, Sydney

AWARDS

- 2011 Geelong Acquisitive Print Awards, (winner) Geelong Gallery, VIC
 Leslie J. Pulman Humour In Art Award, Community Printmakers (CPM) National
 Print Awards, Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW
 1982 Patron Print Commission, Print Council of Australia, Melbourne
 1977 Visual Arts Board Grant, Australian Government, Canberra
 1976 Pederson Prize for Printmaking, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
 1971 National Art Students Union Prize, Sydney
 1970 National Art Students Union Prize, Sydney

COLLECTIONS

James Cook University, Townsville, QLD
 Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
 Art Gallery of Queensland, Brisbane
 Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
 Bathurst Fine Art Gallery, Bathurst, NSW
 Burnie Regional Art Gallery, Burnie, TAS
 Deakin University, Geelong, VIC
 Family Courthouse, Brisbane
 Fremantle Arts Centre, Fremantle, WA
 Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC
 La Trobe Valley Arts Centre, Morwell, VIC
 Macquarie University, Sydney
 Mornington Peninsula Art Gallery, Mornington, VIC
 Museum of Contemporary Art, Brisbane
 National Art School Collection, NSW
 National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
 National Gallery of New Zealand, Wellington, New Zealand
 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
 Newcastle Region Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
 Noumea Art Gallery, Nouméa, New Caledonia
 Queen Victoria Museum & Art Gallery, Hobart
 Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
 Shepparton Gallery, Shepparton, VIC
 State Library of Victoria, Melbourne
 Tasmanian College of Advanced Education, Hobart
 Townsville Teachers College, Townsville, QLD
 University of Wollongong, Wollongong, NSW
 Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC
 Western Australian Institute of Technology, Perth

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