

## DAVID FRAZER

Born 1966, Foster, Victoria

1984-86 B.A. Fine Arts (Painting), Phillip Institute of Technology  
1991 Diploma of Education (Secondary-Art/Craft), Latrobe University  
1996 Honours Degree, Fine Art (Printmaking), Monash University  
1998-2000 Master of Arts (Visual Arts), Monash University

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 'The Crooked Tree', Australian Galleries, Melbourne  
'All that you've loved', Trinity College The University of Melbourne, Melbourne

2023 'For the Love of Song' Castlemaine Art Museum, Castlemaine, VIC

2022 'Love Letter' Rebecca Hossack Gallery, London, UK  
'Love Letter' Beaver Galleries, Canberra

2021 'A Kind of Prayer', Australian Galleries, Melbourne

2020 'Another Night on Earth', Art Gallery of Ballarat, Ballarat, VIC  
'The Tangled Wood', Beaver Galleries, Canberra

2019 'The Tangled Wood', Cascade Art, Maldon, VIC  
'The Tangled Wood', Australian Galleries, Melbourne

2016 'DRIFT', Beaver Galleries, Canberra

2014 'HUG', Beaver Galleries, Canberra

2013 Hillsmith Gallery, Adelaide

2012 'Homesick', Beaver Galleries, Canberra

2011 'Works on paper', Post Office Gallery, Ballarat, VIC  
'Last Blossom', Rebecca Hossack Gallery, London, UK

2010 'Broken Home', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne  
La Trobe University Visual Arts Centre, Bendigo, VIC

2009 Beaver Galleries, Canberra  
The Art Vault, Mildura, VIC  
Falkner Gallery, Castlemaine, VIC

2008 'Lost', Dickerson Gallery, Sydney  
'Lost', Dickerson Gallery, Melbourne

- 2007 Adele Boag Gallery, Adelaide  
 'Passing through the old world', Dickerson Gallery, Melbourne
- 2006 'On the Edge of Town', Dickerson Gallery, Melbourne  
 'Mr Vertigo', ICON gallery, Deakin Museum of Art, Melbourne
- 2005 'Somewhere over the hill, Dickerson Gallery, Sydney  
 'The Escape', Australian Galleries, Melbourne
- 2004-05 'Pastoral Melancholia', touring to Shepparton Art Museum, Shepparton, VIC;  
 Horsham Regional Art Gallery, Horsham, VIC; Wangaratta Art Gallery,  
 Wangaratta, VIC; Swan Hill Regional Art Gallery, Swan Hill, VIC; Gippsland  
 Art Gallery, Sale, VIC
- 2004 Hamilton Gallery, Hamilton, VIC  
 'Wanderlust' Firestation Print Studio, Melbourne
- 2002 Dickerson Gallery, Sydney
- 2001 Australian Galleries, Melbourne
- 2000 Dickerson Gallery, Sydney
- 1999 Australian Galleries, Melbourne
- 1997 Helengory Galerie, Melbourne
- 1996 Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 'Summer Exhibition', Royal Academy of Arts, London  
 'WAMA Art Prize', online exhibition  
 'The Big Tree and Other Landscapes From the Whitehorse Art Collection',  
 Deakin University Art Gallery, Melbourne  
 Burnie Print Prize, Burnie Regional Art Gallery, Burnie, TAS  
 MONO, Australian Galleries, Melbourne  
 'State of the Mark', Work on Paper Group Exhibition, Australian Galleries,  
 Melbourne
- 2020 National Works on Paper, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, VIC  
 'Marking Out the Territory', Rebecca Hossack Gallery, London
- 2019 Ulsan International Woodcut Print Biennale, South Korea  
 'Peebles Print Prize', Queenscliff Gallery & Workshop, Queenscliff, VIC  
 'Fremantle Arts Centre Print Award', Fremantle Arts Centre, Fremantle, WA  
 'Summer Exhibition', The Royal Academy of Arts, London  
 Winner, 'Cossack Art Awards', City of Karratha, WA  
 'Banyule Award for Works on Paper', Hatch Contemporary Art Space,  
 Banyule City Council, VIC  
 'Geelong Acquisitive Print Award', Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 'St Kevin's Art Prize', St Kevin's College, Melbourne  
 'Megalo International Print Prize' (Highly Commended), Megalo Print Studio +

Gallery, Canberra  
 'papermade', Australian Galleries, Melbourne

3<sup>rd</sup> Bangkok Triennale International Print & Drawing Exhibition, Thailand  
 '7<sup>th</sup> Guanlan International Print Biennial', China Printmaking Museum,  
 Guanlan, China  
 'Burnie Print Prize', Burnie Regional Art Gallery, Burnie, TAS

2018 Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
 St Kevin's College Art Show, Feature Artist, Melbourne  
 'National Works on Paper', Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery,  
 Mornington, VIC  
 Libris Awards: The Australian Artists' Book Prize, Artspace Mackay, Mackay,  
 QLD  
 Swan Hill Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Gallery,  
 VIC  
 'Deep Cuts', New England Regional Art Museum, South Hill, NSW  
 International Print Biennial Exhibit, National Taiwan Museum of Fine Art,  
 Taiwan

2017 Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
 'MiniPrint', Galleri Heike Arndt, Berlin, Germany  
 Banyule Award for Works on Paper, Hatch Contemporary Art Space,  
 Melbourne  
 International Print Biennial, Guanlan, China  
 Burnie Print Prize, Burnie, TAS

2016 'National Works on Paper', Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery,  
 Mornington, VIC  
 David Frazer/Sarah Thame, Smith and Jeffries, Adelaide  
 Swan Hill Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Gallery,  
 Swan Hill, VIC

2015 Rick Amor Print Prize, Montsalvat, Melbourne  
 Gippsland Print Award, Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC  
 Geelong Acquisitive Print Award, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 Silk Cut Award, Glen Eira Arts Centre, Melbourne

2014 'National Works on Paper', Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery,  
 Mornington, VIC  
 International Print Biennial Exhibit, National Taiwan Museum of Fine Art  
 'Formative Impressions: 8 Pacific Nations', The Jincheon Print Museum,  
 South Korea

2013-14 'Small Wonders', Amelia Johnson Contemporary, Hong Kong

2013 Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
 Geelong Acquisitive Print Award, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 Silk Cut Award, Glen Eira Arts Centre, Melbourne  
 IMPRINT 2013: International Printmaking Artists Invitation Exhibition, Wuhan  
 City, China  
 'Australia: People and Places', Rebecca Hossack Gallery, London, UK  
 Hutchins Art Prize, The Hutchins School, Hobart  
 Hazelhurst Art on Paper Award, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gymea, NSW  
 King Valley Art Show, King Valley, VIC  
 The Outback Art Prize, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery, Broken Hill, NSW

2012 5<sup>th</sup> Beijing International Art Biennale, National Museum of China, Beijing,  
 China  
 International Print Triennial, Cracow, Poland

John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC  
 Geelong Contemporary Art Prize, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 Fusion-International Contemporary Intaglio Print Invitational Exhibition,  
 Guanlan, China  
 Royal Academy of Arts Summer Exhibition, London, UK  
 Bangkok Triennale International Print & Drawing Exhibition, Bangkok,  
 Thailand

2011  
 VIC  
 R&M McGivern Prize for Painting, Maroondah Art Gallery, Melbourne  
 Swan Hill Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Gallery,  
 International Print Biennial, Guanlan, China  
 Burnie Print Prize, Burnie, TAS  
 The Outback Art Prize, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery, Broken Hill, NSW  
 Geelong Acquisitive Print Award, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 Rick Amor Print Prize, Montsalvat, Melbourne

2010  
 VIC  
 Swan Hill Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Gallery,  
 Deakin University Contemporary Small Sculpture Award, Melbourne

2009  
 NSW  
 R&M McGivern Prize for Painting, Maroondah Art Gallery, Melbourne  
 International Print Biennial, Guanlan, China  
 SCU Acquisitive Artist' Book Award, Southern Cross University, Sydney  
 Brunswick Street Gallery 'Works on Paper Prize', Melbourne  
 CPM National Print Awards, Tweed Regional Gallery, South Murwillumbah,

2008  
 Thailand  
 Williamstown Festival Contemporary Art Prize, Melbourne  
 'Strathbogies, Altitude Art', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne  
 'Against the grain', Port Jackson Press, Melbourne  
 Bangkok Triennale International Print & Drawing Exhibition, Bangkok,

2007  
 Melbourne  
 Biennial International Miniature Print Exhibition, Vancouver, Canada  
 Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
 Banyule Award for Works on Paper, Hatch Contemporary Art Space,  
 International Print Biennial, Guanlan, China (Major Prize Winner)  
 Burnie Print Prize, Burnie, TAS  
 Geelong Acquisitive Print Award, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 CPM National Print Awards, Tweed River Art Gallery, South Murwillumbah,

2006  
 NSW  
 David Frazer/Jon Eiseman, Beaver Galleries, Canberra  
 Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
 Swan Hill Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Gallery,  
 VIC  
 Silk Cut Award, Glen Eira Arts Centre, Melbourne  
 Ergon Energy Central Queensland Art Awards, Rockhampton Art Gallery,

2005  
 QLD  
 The Bookplate Show, New England Regional Art Museum, South Hill, NSW  
 Banyule Award for Works on Paper, Hatch Contemporary Art Space,  
 Melbourne  
 Seoul International Art Fair, Seoul, South Korea  
 33 Print Exchange Portfolio, curated by Rona Green, Port Jackson Press  
 Australia, Melbourne

- 'Recent Acquisitions: Deakin University Art Collection', ICON Museum of Art, Deakin University, Melbourne
- 2004 'Australia-art & about', Amelia Johnson Contemporary, Hong Kong  
Swan Hill Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Gallery, Swan Hill, VIC  
Silk Cut Award, Glen Eira Arts Centre, Melbourne
- 2003 The Outback art Prize, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery, Broken Hill, NSW  
'500 Fridays - Plein Air Painters', Australian Galleries, Melbourne  
Annual Exhibition of the Royal West of England Academy, Bristol, U.K.  
British International Miniature Print Exhibition, Vancouver, British Columbia  
100 International Contemporary Bookplates, U.K.
- 2002 David Frazer/Bruce Latimer, Beaver Galleries, Canberra  
Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
Silk Cut Award, Glen Eira Arts Centre, Melbourne  
Conrad Jupiter's Art Prize, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, QLD  
Whyalla Art Prize, Country Arts, SA  
John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC
- 2001 'Sub-500', Dickerson Gallery, Sydney  
Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
'4th Artists' Books + Multiples Fair', School of Arts, Brisbane  
'Stumped', Herring Island Environmental Sculpture Park, Melbourne  
C.P.M. Print Award, Tweed River Regional Art Gallery, South Murwillumbah, NSW  
'Savage Club Art Prize for Landscape Painting', Dickerson Gallery, Melbourne  
Rena Ellen Jones Memorial Print Award, Warrnambool Art Gallery, VIC
- 2000 Silk Cut Award, Glen Eira Arts Centre, Melbourne  
Conrad Jupiter's Art Prize, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, QLD  
John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC  
'Dancing Made a Man Out of Me', Switchback Gallery, Monash University, Melbourne  
'Team of the Decade', The Artist's Garden, Melbourne  
'Postcard Show', Linden Arts Centre & Gallery, Melbourne
- 1999 British International Miniature Print Exhibition, Vancouver, British Columbia  
Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
Conrad Jupiter's Art Prize, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, QLD  
Rena Ellen Jones Memorial Print Award, Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC
- 1998 'Pleasure', Australian Galleries, Melbourne  
Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
British International Miniature Print Exhibition, Vancouver, British Columbia  
'The Big Small Print Show', Grahame Galleries, Brisbane  
The Outback Art Prize, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery, Broken Hill, NSW  
Bathurst Art Purchase, Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, Bathurst, NSW  
'Intaglio +', Port Jackson Press, Melbourne  
International Miniature Art Biennial, Quebec, Canada
- 1997 Geelong Acquisitive Print Award, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
Rena Ellen Jones Memorial Print Award, Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC  
C.P.M. Print Award, Tweed River Regional Art Gallery, South Murwillumbah, NSW
- 1996 British International Miniature Print Exhibition, Vancouver, British Columbia  
Prints Acquisitive Exhibition, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington, VIC

Annual Summer Print Show, Helengory Galerie, Melbourne

## AWARDS

- 2021 Finalist, WAMA Art Prize, online exhibition  
Finalist, Burnie Print Prize, Burnie Regional Art Gallery, Burnie, TAS
- 2020 Finalist, National Works on Paper, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, VIC  
Finalist, Print and Drawing Acquisitive Awards, Swan Hill Regional Art Gallery, VIC
- 2019 Australian Commissioner and Special Prize Winner, Ulsan International Woodcut Print Biennale, South Korea  
Finalist, Peebles Print Prize, Queenscliff Gallery & Workshop, Queenscliff, VIC  
Finalist, St Kevin's Art Prize, St Kevin's College, Melbourne  
Winner, Engineered Construction and Maintenance Invited Artists Category, Cossack Art Awards, City of Karratha, WA  
Finalist, Geelong Acquisitive Print Award, Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
Finalist, Fremantle Arts Centre Print Award, Fremantle Arts Centre, Fremantle, WA  
Finalist, Banyule Award for Works on Paper, Hatch Contemporary Art Space, Banyule City Council, VIC  
Highly Commended, 'Megalo International Print Prize', Megalo Print Studio + Gallery, Canberra
- 2017 People's Choice Award Winner, Banyule Award for Works on Paper, Hatch Contemporary Art Space, Melbourne  
Highly Commended, Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
People's Choice Award Winner, Burnie Print Prize, Burnie, TAS
- 2014 Honourable mention, International Print Biennial Exhibit, National Taiwan Museum of Fine Art, Taiwan
- 2013 Highly Commended, People's Choice Award Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle, WA  
Geelong Acquisitive Print Prize, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
Acquisition Prize, Silk Cut Award for Linocuts, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra  
People's Choice Award, Hutchins Art Prize, Hobart
- 2011 Geelong Acquisitive Print Prize, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC
- 2009 Acquisitive Award, Brunswick Street Gallery Works on Paper Prize, Melbourne
- 2007 Acquisitive Award, CPM National Print Awards

- Major Prize Winner, International Print Biennial, Guanlan, China  
 Geelong Acquisitive Print Prize, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
 Acquisitive Prize, Burnie Print Prize, Burnie, TAS
- 2004 1<sup>st</sup> Prize, Broken Hill Outback Art Prize, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery,  
 Broken Hill, NSW
- 2002 1<sup>st</sup> Prize Keith Wingrove Bookplate Design Award, VIC
- 2000 Prize Winner, Linden Arts Centre Postcard Show, Melbourne
- 1998 Australian Post Graduate Award (MA scholarship), Monash University,  
 Melbourne
- 1997 Geelong Acquisitive Print Prize, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC
- 1996 Port Jackson Press Award, Melbourne

#### COMMISSIONS AND RESIDENCIES

- 2014 Artist in Residence, Geelong Grammar, Geelong, VIC
- 2013 Artist in residence, Guanlan Print Base, China
- 2012 Artist in residence, Wesley Collage, Melbourne
- 2010 Artist in residence, Guanlan Print Base, China
- 2007 Artist in residence, Firbank Grammar School, Melbourne
- 2001 Artist in Residence, Bundanon Trust, NSW  
 Commission, Print Council of Australia
- 1997 Commission, Print Council of Australia

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- Dober, Dr. Mark; "The Branded Landscape" *Overland*, vol. 123, 2006
- Faulkner, Jeff; *Imprint*, vol. 34.3, 1999
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- Flanagan, Martin; "David Frazer", Australian Galleries, 2001
- Florence, Naomi; *Imprint*, vol. 31.3, 1996
- Gray, Benjamin; Extinct: Artistic Impressions of Our Lost Wildlife, CSIRO Publishing, 2021

Grishin, Sasha; The Canberra Times, 19 February, 2018  
Grishin, Sasha; The Canberra Times, 23 June, 2016  
Grishin, Sasha; The Canberra Times, 22 May, 2014  
  
Grishin, Sasha; The Canberra Times, 12 May 2012  
Grishin, Sasha; The Canberra Times, 31 July 2009  
Kidd, Courtney; Sydney Morning Herald, 6 December 2000  
Nelson, Robert; The Age, 4 August 1999  
Nelson, Robert; The Age, 17 November 2001  
Nelson, Robert; The Age, 8 May 2005  
Nelson, Robert; The Age, 17 July 2008  
Makin, Jeff; Herald Sun, 2 August 1999  
Makin, Jeff; Herald Sun, 17 May 2004  
Makin, Jeff; Herald Sun, 19 September 2006  
Makin, Jeff; Herald Sun, 25 June 2008  
Marmo, Stephen; Melbourne Yarra Leader, 16 August 1999  
  
Morris, Linda; The Age, 15 July 2014  
Pedler, Chris; "Castlemaine artist David Frazer to launch book of Nick Cave's song Love Letter", The Bendigo Advertiser, 22 July, 2021  
Stephens, Andrew; "The artist turning Nick Cave songs into wood engravings", The Age, 17 September, 2021  
  
Stephens, Andrew; "The artist turning Nick Cave songs into wood engravings", The Sydney Morning Herald, 17 September, 2021  
  
Warden, Ian; The Sydney Morning Herald, 8 May, 2014  
  
Webb, Penny; The Age, 30 July, 2014  
  
Young, Rachel; "Stumped: The Art of Celebrating Conservation", Herring Island Gallery & Environmental Sculpture Park

## COLLECTIONS

Art Gallery of Ballarat, VIC  
Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney  
Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide  
Arts Victoria, Melbourne  
Australian Catholic University, Melbourne  
Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery, Broken Hill, NSW  
Bundanon Trust, Illaroo, NSW  
Burnie Regional Art Gallery, Burnie, TAS  
Castlemaine Art Gallery, Castlemaine, VIC  
Charles Darwin University Art Collection, Darwin  
Charles Sturt University, Sydney  
Chiang Mai Contemporary Art Museum, Chiang Mai, Thailand  
City of Campbelltown Art Gallery, Campbelltown, NSW  
City of Whitehorse, Melbourne  
City of Banyule, Melbourne  
City of Fremantle, Fremantle, WA



Clontarf Beach High School, Clontarf, QLD  
Curtin University of Technology, Perth  
Deakin University Art Collection, Melbourne  
Edinburgh Print Workshop, Edinburgh, Scotland  
Federation University, Ballarat, VIC  
Flinders University Library, Adelaide  
Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC  
Gladstone Regional Art Gallery, Gold Coast, QLD  
Hamilton Gallery, Hamilton, VIC  
Horsham Art Gallery, Horsham, VIC  
Ipswich Art Gallery, Ipswich, QLD  
James Cook University, Douglas, QLD  
Jincheon Print Museum, Seoul, South Korea  
John Curtin University, Fremantle, WA  
Latrobe Regional Gallery, Morwell, VIC  
London Print Workshop, London, England  
Melbourne Grammar School, Melbourne  
McKinnon Secondary College, Melbourne  
Monash University, Melbourne  
National Gallery of Australia, Canberra  
National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne  
National Library of Australia, Canberra  
New England Regional Art Museum, South Hill, NSW  
Presbyterian Ladies College, Melbourne  
Print Council of Australia, Melbourne  
Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane  
RACV Art Collection, Melbourne  
Rockhampton Art Gallery, Rockhampton, QLD  
Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Melbourne  
Sandgate District State High School, Brisbane  
SCEGS Redlands, Sydney  
State Library of Victoria, Melbourne  
State Library of NSW, Sydney  
State Library of Queensland, Brisbane  
Stonnington City Council, Melbourne  
Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery, Hobart  
Tweed Regional Gallery, South Murwillumbah, NSW  
The University of Adelaide, Adelaide  
The University of Melbourne, Melbourne  
The University of Queensland Library, Brisbane  
University of Wollongong, Wollongong, NSW  
Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC  
Wesley College, Melbourne  
Wellington Point State High School, Brisbane  
Westminster School, Adelaide

