

AUSTRALIAN GALLERIES

JENNY RODGERSON

1967 Born Melbourne, Australia

EDUCATION

1987 Bachelor of Commerce, University of Melbourne
1994 Graduate Diploma in Environmental Science Monash University
1997 Bachelor of Fine Art (Painting), Victorian College of the Arts
2001 Australia Council for the Arts, New Work Development Grant
2002 Artist in Residence, Nillumbik Shire Council and Parks Victoria, Boomerang House

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 'Figures', Australian Galleries, Melbourne
2021 'Portraits', Australian Galleries, Melbourne
2018 'Drift', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
2015 'New Paintings', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
2012 'Shadows and Reflections', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
2010 'Passionate Proportion', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
2008 'Recent Works', Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne
2005 'Recent Works', Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne
2003 'Searching for the White Lipped Dragon', Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne
2001 'Paintings and Sculpture', Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne
1999 'Works on Paper', Roar Gallery, Melbourne
1998 'Paintings and Sculpture', Lyall Burton Gallery, Melbourne

SELECTED PRIZES AND GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023 Naked & Nude Art Prize (Finalist), Manning Regional Gallery, Taree, NSW
'Salon des Refusés' (Selected), S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW
2022 High Commended, 'Portia Geach Memorial Award' (Finalist), S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW
Darling Portrait Prize (Finalist), National Portrait Gallery, Canberra ACT
Rick Amor Self Portrait Prize (Finalist), The Barn Gallery Montsalvat, VIC
Percival Portrait Painting Prize (Finalist), Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, QLD
2021 Finalist, Arthur Guy Memorial Painting Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC
High Commended, 'Portia Geach Memorial Award' (Finalist), S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW
2020 Finalist, 'Portia Geach Memorial Award', S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
2019 'Australian Galleries: The Purves Family Business. The First Four Decades', Book Launch and Group Exhibition, Australian Galleries, Melbourne
Finalist, 'Rick Amor Self Portrait Prize', Montsalvat, Melbourne
Finalist, 'Kilgour Prize', Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
2018 Winner, 'Percival Portrait Painting Prize', Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville,
2016 Winner, 'Portia Geach Memorial Award', S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
'Black Swan Portrait Prize', Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth
'Percival Portrait Painting Prize', Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville, QLD

- 2015 'Kilgour Prize', Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
Highly Commended, 'Portia Geach Memorial Award', S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- 2014 'Benalla Nude', Benalla Art Gallery, Benalla, VIC
'Percival Portrait Painting Prize', Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville, QLD
- 2014 Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, The Rocks, Sydney
- 2013 'Rick Amor Self Portrait Prize', Montsalvat, Melbourne
'Muswellbrook Art Prize', Muswellbrook Regional Art Centre, Muswellbrook, NSW
Merit Award, 'Moreton Bay Region Art Awards', Pine River Gallery, Moreton Bay, QLD
- 2012 'Small Treats', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
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- 2011 'Erotica' James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
'Summertime Salon Exhibition', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
- 2010 'Autumn Collection', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
- 2009 'Autumn Collection', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
'New Figuration', James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
- 2008 Art Fair Exhibition, Montsalvat, Melbourne
- 2007 'Bodies and Minds', Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne
'In House', Chapman and Bailey, Melbourne
- 2006 'Melbourne Art Fair Exhibition', Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne
'Eltham Invitation Art Award', Nillumbik Council, Montsalvat, Melbourne
- 2003 Nillumbik Art Award, Melbourne
'Darebin Latrobe Acquisitive Art Prize', Bundoora Homestead, Melbourne
- 2002 'The A4 Refugee Project', Metro Arts, Brisbane
- 2001 'Darebin Latrobe Acquisitive Art Prize', Bundoora Homestead, Melbourne
'In 3D Out 3D', Sculpture Exhibition, Mira Galleries, Melbourne
- 2000 'The Fleurieu Prize', McLaren Vale, SA
'Swan Hill Print and Drawing Prize', Swan Hill Regional Gallery, Swan Hill, VIC
- 1999 'Geelong Contemporary Art Prize', Geelong Regional Gallery, Geelong, VIC
'Keith and Elizabeth Murdoch Travelling Scholarship', VCA Gallery, Melbourne
'Darebin Latrobe Acquisitive Art Prize', Bundoora Homestead, Melbourne
'Nillumbik Art Award', Eltham Community Centre, Melbourne
- 1998 'Making a Spectacle of Ourselves', Eltham Library Community Gallery, Melbourne
'9 x 5 x 25', The Vic Walk Gallery, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
- 1997 'Nillumbik Art Award', Eltham Community Centre, Melbourne
'In Their Own Write', The University of Melbourne, Melbourne
'Student Union Art Prize Exhibition', VCA Gallery, Melbourne
'The Mystery of Being', VCA Gallery, Melbourne

COLLECTIONS

James Hardie Collection of Australian Fine Arts, Australian Library of Art, Queensland State Library, Brisbane
Muswellbrook Regional Art Centre, Muswellbrook, NSW
Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville, QLD
Queensland State Library, Brisbane

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