

# AUSTRALIAN GALLERIES

## GRAEME DRENDEL

Born 1953, Ouyen, Victoria

1974	Diploma of Teaching Art/Craft, Melbourne State College
1984	Travelled to Italy
1987	Travelled to Italy, England, United States
2004	Currently painting and teaching at Box Hill TAFE, Melbourne
2004	Travelled to Italy
2006	Travelled to Europe and the United Kingdom

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Recent Paintings'
2024	Sydney Contemporary Art Fair with Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Static and Silence'
2023	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Recent Paintings'
2023	Beaver Galleries, Canberra, 'Backdrop'
2022	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Recent Paintings'
2021	Beaver Galleries, Canberra, 'The first dance'
2020	Post Office Gallery, Federation University, Ballarat, VIC, 'The Messengers'
2019	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Card Carriers'
2018	Tweed Regional Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW, 'Confessions'
	Beaver Galleries, Canberra, 'On uneven ground, paintings and works on paper'
	Brimbank Community and Civic Centre, Melbourne, 'Isolation and Inclusion'
2017	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'A Survey 1984 – 2017'
2016	Mildura Arts Centre Gallery, Mildura, VIC, 'Silos + Silence'
2015	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Paintings, watercolours and etchings 2007 – 2015'
	Beaver Galleries, Canberra, 'Contact'
2014	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Surrender'
2012	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Harvest'
	Beaver Galleries, Canberra, 'Outsiders'
2010	The Art Vault, Mildura, VIC, 'From the Outside'
	Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne, 'The passage'
2009	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Melbourne, 'The Female Nude'
	Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
2008	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney
2007	Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'States of undress'
2006	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Channelling'
2005	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney, 'Slipping through the cracks'
2004	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Dancers in the dark'
2003	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Melbourne, 'The market street paintings'
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'Small pictures'
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'Trophy hunters'
2002	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'The bridge'

2001	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'The bridge'
2000	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'Tourists'
1999	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Recent paintings 1999'
	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney, 'Recent gouaches'
1998	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'Recent paintings'
1997	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Paintings'
1995	Mallee Tourist Association, Ouyen, VIC
1991	Mildura Regional Gallery, Mildura, VIC
1990	York Street Gallery, Melbourne

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2022	Online, Juniper Hall, Sydney, Doug Moran National Portrait Prize (Finalist)
2021	Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney, Archibald Prize
	Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney, Sulman Prize
	Manning Regional Gallery, Taree, NSW, 'Naked and Nude Art Prize'
2019	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Australian Galleries: The Purves Family Business. The First Four Decades', Book Launch and Group Exhibition
	3:33 Art Projects, Clayton Utz, Melbourne, 'Graeme Drendel and Belynda Henry'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'papermade'
	Parliament House Gallery, Parliament House of Australia, Canberra, 'Imprint: A Survey of the Print Council of Australia'
2018	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Archibald Prize
	Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC, Paul Guest Art Prize
2017	Juniper Hall, Sydney, Doug Moran National Portrait Prize
2016	Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne, 'Impressions'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Conjuring, Alchemy and Allure'
2015	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'An exhibition of paintings, sculpture & works on paper'
	Dubbo Regional Gallery, Dubbo, NSW, 'Beastarium'
	Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale, VIC, Gippsland Print Award
	Manning Regional Art Gallery, Taree, NSW, Manning Art Prize
2014	Newcastle Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW, Kilgour Prize
	Benalla Art Gallery, Benalla, VIC, Benalla Nude Art Prize
	Rochester Shire Hall, Rochester, VIC, 'Rochester Fine Art Exhibition'
	Gallipoli Memorial Club, Sydney, The Gallipoli Art Prize
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'one of each'
	Ballarat Art Gallery, Ballarat, VIC, Rick Amor Drawing Prize
	Presbyterian Ladies College, Sydney, Adelaide Perry Drawing Prize
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Australia Day 2014 Celebratory Exhibition'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Australia Day 2014 Celebratory Exhibition'
2013	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Works from the Stock Rooms'
	The Art Vault, Mildura, VIC, '5 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition'
	Montsalvat Gallery, Melbourne, Rick Amor Portrait Prize
	Manning Regional Art Gallery, Taree, NSW, 'Australian Galleries exhibition'
	Gallows Gallery, Perth, 'Australian Galleries at Gallows Gallery'
	Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane, 'Figuration'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
2012	Presbyterian Ladies' College, Sydney, Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing
2011	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'large exhibition of small works'

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	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Dobell Prize for Drawing
	Geelong Gallery, VIC, Geelong Acquisitive Print Awards
	SH Ervin Gallery, The Rocks, Sydney, 'Salon de Refusés'
	Montsalvat, Eltham, VIC, Rick Amor Print Prize
	Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney, Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing
2010	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Artists' Prints made with Integrity I'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Narrative Realism: A world observed'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
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	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
2009	S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, 'Salon des Refusés'
	Geelong Gallery, VIC, '52 Print Folio'
2008	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Group Exhibition'
	Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, NSW, 'Kilgour prize'
	Albury City Gallery, VIC, 'Step right up, the Circus in Australian Art'
	Albury Regional Gallery, NSW, 'Inside Out'
	Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery, NSW; Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, NSW, 'Who let the dogs out, the dog in contemporary Australian art'
2007	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Sydney, 'Summer Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Small Pleasures'
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'A Selection of Portraits'
2006	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'Summery'
	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Melbourne, 'Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
	Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne, 'Impressions'
	Blake Society at The Gallery, National Art School, Sydney, 'The 55 <sup>th</sup> Blake Prize for Religious Art'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, '50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition'
	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Sulman Prize (Finalist)
2005	Australian Galleries Painting & Sculpture, Sydney, 'End of Year Group Exhibition'
	Australian Galleries Works on Paper, Melbourne, 'Contemporary Works on Paper'
	De Récourt Art in association with Australian Galleries at The Gallery in Cork Street, London, 'Australian Contemporary Art'
	Port Jackson Press, Melbourne, '33 Print Exchange portfolio'
	Savage Club Art Prize, Melbourne
	Newcastle Region Art Gallery, NSW, 'Desire'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Small important works'
2004	Stephen McLaughlan Gallery, Melbourne, 'A Humble Gesture'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Group exhibition'
	McLaren Vale, SA, 'Fleurieu Peninsula Biennale'
	BMG Art, Adelaide, 'A Freudian Slip'
	Shoalhaven City Arts Centre, Nowra, NSW, 'A Bundanon Exhibition'
2003	Bundoora Homestead Art Centre, Melbourne, 'North: Art from the other side of the Yarra'
	Savill Galleries, Melbourne, 'Traditional, Modern & Contemporary'
	Stephen McLaughlan Gallery, Melbourne, 'Sleeps with Angels – Sex And Death'
	Noosa Regional Gallery, Noosa, QLD, 'Heat'
2002	Cube Contemporary Art, Adelaide, 'You Thought You Knew'

	Gold Coast, QLD, 'Conrad Jupiters Art Prize'
	Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Sulman Prize
	Galerie Aniela, Kangaroo Valley, NSW, 'Ten Significant Artists from Victoria'
2001	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Landscape and Environment'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Contemporary Australian Works on Paper'
2000	Conrad Jupiters Art Prize, Gold Coast
	Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Prints, Drawings and Watercolours'
1999	Australian Galleries (Smith & Stoneley), Brisbane, 'Work On Paper',
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Contemporary Works On Paper'
	Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW, 'Acquisitions Exhibition'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Pleasure'
	Visy Board Art Prize, Tanumba
1998	Australian Art Fair, Melbourne
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Thirteen Artists'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Magic Realism'
1997	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Knock Knock'
1994	Williamstown Summer Festival Art Prize, VIC
	MLC Invitation / Acquisitive Exhibition (work acquired)
1993	MLC Invitation / Acquisitive Exhibition
1991	MLC Invitation / Acquisitive Exhibition
1990	'Artzwick Two' - BP Acquisitive Exhibition
	MLC Invitation / Acquisitive Exhibition (work acquired)
	'Artzwick One' - Brunswick (work acquired), VIC
1986	Alice Prize, NT
1985	Alice Prize, NT
1984	Mornington Festival of Drawing, VIC
1983	Faber Castell Drawing Exhibition

## AWARDS

2022	Mouran Arts Foundation, Sydney, Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, Winner
2021	Juniper Hall, Paddington NSW, Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, Finalist
	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Archibald Prize, Finalist
	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Sulman Prize, Finalist
	Manning Regional Gallery, Taree, NSW, Naked and Nude Art Prize, Finalist
2019	Montsalvat, Melbourne, Rick Amor Self Portrait Prize, Finalist
2018	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Archibald Prize, Finalist

## ARTIST IN RESIDENCE

2013	The Vault – artist in residence, Mildura
2010	The Vault – artist in residence, Mildura
2007	Flying Fruit Fly Circus- in association with Albury Regional Gallery, NSW
2001	Bundanon – former residence of artist Arthur Boyd now owned by State Government acting as Bundanon Trust

## COLLECTIONS

Albury Regional Gallery, Albury, NSW  
Artbank, Sydney  
Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne  
Ballarat Art Gallery, Ballarat, VIC  
BHP Billiton  
Bundanon Trust, Bundanon, NSW  
Camberwell Grammar School, Melbourne  
Canson Australia Pty Ltd, Melbourne  
Castlemaine Art Gallery, Castlemaine, VIC  
City of Maroondah, Melbourne  
City of Moreland, Melbourne  
City of Whitehorse, Melbourne  
Customs House Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC  
Darwin Museum and Art Gallery, Darwin  
Department of Education, VIC  
Deakin University Art Collection, VIC  
Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC  
Grafton Regional Art Gallery, Grafton, NSW  
Methodist Ladies College, Melbourne  
Mildura Regional Gallery, Mildura, VIC  
National Gallery of Australia, Canberra  
Newcastle Regional Museum, Newcastle, NSW  
New England Regional Art Museum, Armidale, NSW  
Presbyterian Ladies College, Melbourne  
Print Council of Australia, Melbourne  
Scotch Oakburn College, Launceston, TAS  
St Michael's Grammar School, Melbourne  
St Kevin's College, Melbourne  
The Art Vault, Mildura, VIC  
Tintern Schools, Melbourne,  
Toowoomba Regional Art Gallery, Toowoomba, QLD  
Tweed River Regional Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW  
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