

AUSTRALIAN GALLERIES

OREST NICHOLAS KEYWAN

1944	Born Marienbad
1965	Arrived in Australia
1966	Studied under Lyndon Dadswell, National Art School, Sydney
1973	Lived and worked in Bergen, Norway
1973-76	Lived and worked in Montreal, Canada
1976-79	Lecturer, Alexander Mackie College of Advanced Education (now College of Fine Art, University of NSW)
Currently	Lives and works in Sydney

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'edges, limits and totalities'
2015	Orange Regional Gallery, Orange, NSW
2003	The Warehouse, Alexandria, Sydney
2001	Sir Hermann Black Gallery, Sydney
1995	Annandale Galleries, Sydney
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1989	Milburn + Artes, Sydney
1974-76	Montreal, Canada, Installations and commissions
1974	Masfjord, Norway, Installations
1970	Inhibodress Co-operative Gallery, Sydney
1969	Bonython Gallery, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Summer show'
2024	Hillview Sculpture Park and Gallery, Sutton Forest, NSW Wollombi Valley Sculpture Festival, NSW, 'Sculpture in the Vineyards' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '26th Annual Sculpture by the Sea' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
2023	Hillview Sculpture Park and Gallery, Sutton Forest, NSW Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park, 'Les Sculptures Refusées – Outdoor' Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park, 'Les Sculptures Refusées - Indoor' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '25th Annual Sculpture by the Sea' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
2022	Palmer Sculpture Biennial, SA Hillview Sculpture Park and Gallery, Sutton Forest, NSW Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park, 'Le Petit Salon de Sculpture' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '24th Annual Sculpture by the Sea' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
2021	Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park, 'Les Sculptures Refusées', Hillview Sculpture Park and Gallery, Sutton Forest, NSW
2020	Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park, 'Les Sculptures Refusées'
2019	Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '23rd Annual Sculpture by the Sea'

- 2018 Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Hillview Sculpture Biennial, Sutton Forest, NSW
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '22nd Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
- 2017 Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '21st Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2016 Northmead Gallery Space, Sydney, 'Stations of the Cross 2016'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '20th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2015 McGlade Gallery, Australian Catholic University, 'Stations of the Cross 2015'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '19th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2014 Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, '10th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '18th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2013 David Jones, Sydney, 'Sculpture by the Sea on Seven'
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, '9th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Aarhus Bay, Denmark, '3rd Biennial Sculpture by the Sea'
Helnan Marselis International Hotel, Aarhus, Denmark, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '17th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2012 Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, '8th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, 'Sculpture Inside'
MiCK Gallery Paddington, Sydney, 'Sculpture @ MiCK'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '16th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2011 Orange Regional Gallery, Orange, NSW, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, '6th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Orange Botanic Gardens, Orange, NSW, "...and with a name to come"
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, 'Sculpture Inside' (Winner)
Sculpture by the Sea, Sculpture by the Sea, Aarhus Bay, Denmark, '2nd biennial Sculpture by the Sea'
Helnan Marselis International Hotel, Aarhus, Denmark, '2nd biennial Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '15th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2010 Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2010'
Australian Catholic University National Gallery, Melbourne, 'Crux – Contemporary Artists and Images of the Cross'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '14th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2009 Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2009'
Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, '5th Annual 'Sculpture by the Sea' and 'Sculpture Inside'
St Ives Uniting Church, Sydney, 'Stations of the Cross 2009'
Helnan Marselis International Hotel, Aarhus, Denmark, 'Inaugural Sculpture Inside'
Australian Catholic University, National Gallery, Melbourne, 'Crux – Contemporary Artists and Images of the Cross'
McGlade Gallery, Sydney
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '13th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6x6x6 Miniature Sculpture Show: You Little Beauty'

- 2008 Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2008'
Inaugural Exhibition, The Riley Street Gallery, Sydney
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6x6x6 Miniature Sculpture Show: One Small Step for Mankind'
Sculpture by the Sea, Sydney, '12th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2007 Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2007'
Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, NSW, 'Recent Acquisitions'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6x6x6 Inch Miniature Sculpture Show: One Small Step for Mankind'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '11th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
- 2006 Sculpture by the Sea, Cottesloe Beach, WA, '2nd Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Cottesloe, WA, 'Sculpture Inside'
Chase Gallery, Annandale, Sydney
University of Western Sydney Acquisitive Sculpture Prize & Exhibition, Sydney
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '11th Annual Miniature Sculpture Show: How Much Art Thou Shrunk'
Jackson Smith Sculpture Prize (Winner)
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach Pavilion, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '10th Annual Sculpture by the Sea' (Winner)
- 2005 Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2005'
Maunsell Wickes Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6" Miniature Sculpture Show'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '9th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Pavilion Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2004 Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2004'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '8th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Pavilion Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
MLC Centre, Sydney, 'Sculpture in the MLC'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6' Miniature Sculpture Show'
University of Western Sydney Acquisitive Sculpture Prize and Exhibition, Sydney
- 2003 Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture 2003'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '7th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Pavilion Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6" Miniature Sculpture Show'
- 2002 Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery, NSW, 'Sculpture 2002'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '6" Miniature Sculpture Show'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '6th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Pavilion Gallery, Sydney, 'Sculpture Inside'
- 2001 Sir Hermann Black Gallery, Sydney
Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery, NSW
Access Contemporary Art Gallery, Sydney
Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery, NSW, 'Launch of the Sculpture Garden'
Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery, NSW; Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gympie, NSW; Wollongong City Gallery, NSW, 'Sculpture from the Sea'
Redleaf Council Chambers, Sydney, 'Woollahra Sculpture Prize'
Martin Place, Sydney, 'Sculpture in the City'
Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Small Wonders'
King Street Gallery, Sydney, 'Small Wonders'
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '5th Annual Sculpture by the Sea'
- 2000 Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gympie, NSW
Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery, Campbelltown, NSW
Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '4th Annual Sculpture By The Sea'

1999	King Street Gallery, Sydney, 'The Importance of Being Small' Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney, 'Silver 25th Anniversary Exhibition' Defiance Gallery, Sydney, '5 Easy Pieces' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '3rd Annual Sculpture By The Sea' (Winner) Sir Hermann Black Gallery, Sydney, 'On the Tiles' Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Big Thoughts Small Works'
1998	King Street Gallery, Sydney, 'Figure in the Landscape' Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'Figure in the Landscape' Sir Hermann Black Gallery, Sydney, 'Outside Inside' Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi Beach, Sydney, '2nd Annual Sculpture By The Sea' Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'The Defiant 6'
1997	Annandale Galleries, Sydney Defiance Gallery, Sydney, 'The Biggest Little Sculpture Show in Town'
1996	Annandale Galleries, Sydney, 'Shelf Works'
1995	Annandale Galleries, Sydney, 'Art in Public Places'
1994	Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney, 'Working With the Wall' Australian Contemporary Art Fair, Melbourne, Sculpture Park
1993	Annandale Galleries, Sydney
1992	Australian Contemporary Art Fair, Melbourne, Sculpture Park (invited artist)
1991	Macquarie Galleries, Sydney, Graeme Sturgeon Memorial Annandale Galleries, Sydney
1981	First Australia Sculpture Triennial, Melbourne
1972	Inhibodress Co-operative Gallery, Sydney
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1970	First Mildura Sculpture Triennial, Mildura, VIC

AWARDS

2024	Wollombi Valley Sculpture Festival Prize, Winner (Open Category)
2022	Palmer Sculpture Biennial, Invited Honoured Artist
2020	Q Station, Sydney Harbour National Park, 'Les Sculptures Refusées', People's Choice Award
2015	Helen Lempriere Scholarship, Winner
2013	James & Leonie Furber Artist Excellence Program, Recipient
2011	Sculpture Inside Prize, Cottesloe, WA, Winner
2006	Jackson Smith Sculpture Prize, Winner Bondi to Tamarama Coastal Walk, 'Sculpture by the Sea', Winner University of Western Sydney Acquisitive Sculpture Prize and Exhibition, Finalist
2004	University of Western Sydney Acquisitive Sculpture Prize and Exhibition, Finalist Art Gallery of NSW Society Taskforce, 'Sculpture by the Sea', Winner of best site-specific sculpture
2001	Redleaf Council Chambers, 'Woollahra Sculpture Prize', Finalist
1999	Bondi to Tamarama Coastal Walk, 'Sculpture By The Sea', Winner

COLLECTIONS

Represented nationally and internationally in public and private collections, including Orange Regional Gallery, Sir Hermann Black Gallery, Sydney and Masfjord, Norway