

INGE KING

Born November 1915, Berlin, Germany

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015	National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, 'Happy Birthday Inge King'
2014	The Ian Potter Centre, National Gallery Victoria, Melbourne, 'Constellation'
2011	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Solstice'
2010	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Recent Sculpture and Maquettes'
2009	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Sculpture - Maquettes and Recent Work'
2008	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Recent Sculpture'
2006	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Birds and Celestial Rings'
2003	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Birds and Angels'
2002	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Recent Sculpture'
2000	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Sculpture'
1999	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Sculpture'
	Sydney Festival, The Botanical Gardens, Sydney, 'Sculpture on Site'
1996	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Sculpture'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Sculpture and Works on Paper'
1995	Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC, 'Survey of works 1943 to 1994'
1994	Australian Galleries, Sydney
1993	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Large & Small Sculptures'
1992	National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Retrospective'
1991	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Sculpture'
1990	Deakin University Art Gallery, Melbourne
1989	BMGArt, Adelaide
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Works on Paper 1979-1989'
1988	Australian Galleries, Melbourne
1987	Bonython-Meadmore Gallery, Sydney
1985	Realities Gallery, Melbourne
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1982	University of Melbourne, Melbourne
1980	Realities Gallery, Melbourne
1978	Victor Mace Fine Art Gallery, Brisbane
	Coventry Gallery, Sydney
1977	Realities Gallery, Melbourne
1973	Powell Street Gallery, Melbourne
1969	Powell Street Gallery, Melbourne
1949	London Gallery, Brook Street, London, UK

EXHIBITIONS WITH GRAHAME KING

2023	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'A Special Exhibition of Select Works from the Estate'
2022	McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC, 'Centre 5: bridging the gap'
2017	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Inge King and Grahame King'
2004	McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC
2002	Drill Hall Gallery, Australian National University, Canberra

1976	Mildura Art Centre, VIC; Touring: Gippsland Art Gallery, VIC; Geelong Gallery, VIC; McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC; Benalla Art Gallery, VIC, 'The Kings', 15 years retrospective from 1960 to 1975, comprising 40 selected maquettes, sculptures and photographs
1963	Bonython Gallery, Adelaide
1962	Argus Gallery, Melbourne
1960	Gallery A, Sydney
1954	Johnston Gallery, Brisbane
1952	Peter Bray Gallery, Melbourne
1951	Stanley Coe Gallery, Melbourne

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Assemblage'
2022	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Abstraction & Bronze'
2022	McClelland Sculpture Park & Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC, 'A Thousand Different Angles'
2019	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Australian Galleries: The Purves Family Business. The First Four Decades', Book Launch and Group Exhibition
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'papermade'
	RMIT Gallery, Melbourne, 'Melbourne Modern: European art & design at RMIT since 1945'
2017	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Sculpture: medium and small scale – Mixed Sculptors'
2016	Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney
2015	The Ian Potter Centre, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Lurid Beauty: Australian Surrealism and its Echoes'
2014	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'one of each'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Australia Day 2014 Celebratory Exhibition'
2013	Gallows Gallery, Perth, 'Australian Galleries at Gallows Gallery'
2012-13	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
2011	Australian Galleries, Sydney, and Melbourne, 'large exhibition of small works'
2010	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Artists' Prints made with Integrity I'
2009-10	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
2009	Annette Larkin Fine Art, Sydney, 'BIG NAMES little sculptures'
2007	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Small Pleasures'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Stock Show'
2006	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Summery'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Stock Show'
	Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne, 'Impressions'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, '50 th Anniversary Exhibition'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Fine Australian Prints and Drawings'
2004	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Sculpture'
2003	Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne, 'This was the future'
2001	Sculpture by the Sea, Bondi, Sydney
	Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne, 'Six women artists'
2000	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Selected Works'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Fine Paintings, Sculpture and Tapestry'
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1993	National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Joan and Peter Clemenger Triennial Exhibition of Contemporary Australian Art'

1991 Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane, 'Diverse Visions'
 1990 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, Fourth Australian Sculpture Triennial
 1988 The World Expo '88 Collection, Brisbane
 1987 Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne, Third Australian Sculpture Triennial
 1984 Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne, 'Centre 5'
 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, Second Australian Sculpture Triennial
 1983 Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Melbourne, 'Abstract Art in Australia'
 1982 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC, Eighth Triennial Exhibition, Mildura Prize for Sculpture
 1981 La Trobe University, Melbourne, First Australian Sculpture Triennial Exhibition
 Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Melbourne, 'Staff Exhibition'
 Caulfield City Arts Centre, Melbourne, Sculpture Award
 1976 Caulfield City Arts Centre, Melbourne, Sculpture Award
 1975 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC, Sixth Triennial Exhibition, Mildura Prize for Sculpture
 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Sculptors' Sculptors'
 Commonwealth Gardens, Canberra, 'Australia '75, Festival of the Creative Arts and Sciences'
 1974 Geelong Gallery, VIC; McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC, 'Centre 5'
 Realities Gallery, Melbourne, 'Como Exhibition'
 Ewing Gallery, Melbourne University, Melbourne, 'Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition'
 1973 George's Gallery, Melbourne, 'The Cairnmillar Exhibition'
 1972 Tasmanian Museum & Art Gallery, Hobart, Sixteenth Tasmanian Art Gallery Exhibition
 1971 Monash University, Melbourne, Connoisseur's Competition
 Age Gallery, Melbourne, Marland House Sculpture Competition
 1970 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC, Fourth Triennial Exhibition, Mildura Prize for Sculpture
 1968 Comalco Invitation Award for Sculpture, Melbourne
 Pan-Pacific Arts Festival, New Zealand, Touring Exhibition, 'Form in action'
 1967 Anglican Church of St. John the Divine, Melbourne, 'Art and the Church'
 George's Gallery, Melbourne, 'Selected Mildura Sculpture'
 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC, Third Triennial Exhibition, Mildura Prize for Sculpture
 1966 Australian Sculpture Centre, Canberra
 1965 Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, 'Centre 5'
 Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Royal South Australia Society of Arts, Maud Vizard-Wholohan Competition
 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Recent Australian Sculpture'
 1964 Hungry Horse Gallery, Sydney, 'Centre 5'
 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC, Second Triennial Exhibition, Mildura Prize for Sculpture
 1963 Newcastle City Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW, 'Centre 5'
 The Victorian Sculptors' Society, Melbourne, Touring Exhibition
 1962 St. Peter's, Eastern Hill, Melbourne, 'Art and the Church'
 Touring South-East Asia, 'Four Arts in Australia'
 1961 Argus Gallery, Melbourne, 'Nine Sculptors'
 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC, First Triennial Exhibition, Mildura Prize for Sculpture
 1960 The Victorian Sculptors' Society, Melbourne, Touring Exhibition
 1959 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Six Sculptors'
 1958 The Victorian Sculptors' Society, Melbourne, Touring Exhibition
 1956 The Victorian Sculptors' Society, Retrospective Exhibition, Victorian Artists' Society Gallery, Melbourne
 Brummels Gallery, Melbourne, 'Twelve Melbourne Sculptors'
 1955 School of Architecture, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, 'Group of Four'
 1954 The Victorian Sculptors' Society, Melbourne

1953	Victorian Artists' Society Gallery, Melbourne, 'Present Day Art of Victoria'
1950	Laurel Gallery, New York, USA
1949	Clay Club, New York, USA
1948	London Group, London, UK

COLLECTIONS

Artbank, Sydney
 Art Gallery of Ballarat, Ballarat, VIC
 Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
 Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
 Australian Embassy Collection, Washington DC, USA
 Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC
 BHP House, Melbourne
 BHP Research Laboratory, Melbourne
 Carrick Hill Sculpture Park, Adelaide
 Chandler Coventry Collection, Sydney
 Comalco Collection, Melbourne
 Deakin University, Melbourne
 ESSO Headquarters, Melbourne
 Gold Coast City Art Collection, Surfers Paradise, QLD
 Ian Potter Foundation for the National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
 La Trobe University, Melbourne
 McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC
 Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura, VIC
 Monash University, Peninsula Campus, Frankston, VIC
 Museum and Gallery of the Northern Territory, Darwin
 National Capital Development Commission, Canberra
 National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
 New Parliament House, Canberra
 Newcastle City Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
 Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
 Queen Victoria Museum and Gallery, Launceston, TAS
 Tasmanian Museum & Art Gallery, Hobart
 University of Ballarat, Ballarat, VIC
 University of Melbourne, Melbourne
 University of Western Australia, Perth
 Victorian Arts Centre, Melbourne
 Woden Valley Hospital, Canberra

COMMISSIONS AND SCULPTURES IN PUBLIC PLACES

2008	artsACT, Canberra ConnectEast Group, EastLink trail, Melbourne
1994	'Daedalus', Deakin University, Woolstores Campus, Geelong, VIC 'Sheerwater', Esso Australia, Melbourne
1992	'Maquette for monumental sculpture', Law Courts, Brisbane 'Family Group', State Superannuation Board, Melbourne
1991	'Island Sculpture', McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC
1989	'Joie de Vivre', Sculpture for The ICI House, Melbourne
1985	'Great Gate', Australian National University, Canberra

	'Jabaroo', McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC
	'Enigma', Newcastle City Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
1983	'Full Moon', Wall sculpture, Wentworth Hotel, Melbourne
	'Constellation', Art Bank, Sydney
	'Totem', State Bank, Melbourne
1982	'Sun Ribbon', University of Melbourne, Melbourne
1979-83	Australian Steel Award, BHP, Cairns, QLD
1978-80	'Hanging Cloud', Deakin University, Woolstores Campus, Geelong, VIC
1980	Ian Potter Foundation Sculpture Commission, Melbourne
1975-76	'Black Sun II', Australian National University, Canberra
1976	'Dialogue of Circles', Moat Theatre sculpture, La Trobe University, Melbourne
1975	'Number Five', Woden Valley Hospital, Canberra
1974-75	'Upward Surge', Department of Early Childhood Studies, University of Melbourne, Kew Campus, Melbourne
1973	'Forward Surge', Arts Centre Plaza, Melbourne
1972	'Balance of Steel Forms', BHP House, Melbourne
1971-72	'Sir Fred Schonell Memorial Fountain', University of Queensland, St Lucia Campus, Brisbane
	'Fountain', Civic Centre, Wodonga, VIC
1971	'RAAF Memorial', National Capital Authority, Canberra
	'Fountain for garden', Mr and Mrs A. Gibson, Melbourne
1968	'Wall Sculpture', BHP Laboratories, Melbourne
1965	'Fountain', Norman Bros., Melbourne
1964	Georges Hostess Store, Melbourne
1959	'Dewdrop Fountain', Fitzroy Gardens, Melbourne
1957	Victorian Employer's Federation, VIC
1953	'The Herald', The Herald Outdoor Art Show, Melbourne

AWARDS

2015	McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC, Dame Elisabeth Lifetime Achievement Award for Australian Sculpture
2008	Australia Council for the Arts, Canberra, Visual Arts Emeritus Award
2006	Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne, The Heide Fellowship
1997	City of Melbourne Honoured Artist Award, Melbourne
1993	Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Melbourne, Doctor of Arts (honoris causa)
1990	Deakin University, Melbourne, Doctor of Letters (honoris causa)
1989	The ICI House, Melbourne, Foyer Sculpture Commission
1987	Royal Blind Society Sculpture Award, Sydney
1984	Member in the Order of Australia, AM
	Alice Springs Art Prize, Alice Springs, NT
1980	Visual Arts Board Grant for International Sculpture Conference, Washington, USA
1969	Dyason Foundation, New York, USA, Dyason Education Grant
	British Council Travel Grant, UK
1968	Adelaide Festival Prize, Adelaide
	Alcorso-Sekers Travelling Scholarship Award for Sculpture, Australia
1967	Eltham Art Prize, Melbourne
1965	Eltham Art Prize, Melbourne

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