

# AUSTRALIAN GALLERIES

## PETER NEILSON

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1961-1964 Diploma of Fine Art (Painting), RMIT, Melbourne

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

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| 2025 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Two Exhibitions Together: Paintings and drawings... plus sculpture'                         |
| 2024 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Held in the Gaze of a Stranger'   |
| 2023 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Drawing on what has already been suggested'   |
| 2022 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'History Painting. Looking back to now.'  |
| 2020 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Agitation in Swingtime'   |
| 2019 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Staring into the middle distance'   |
| 2018 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Pretty Delicate'  |
| 2017 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Relics from an Inquisition: The Hollywood Ten... plus'                                      |
| 2016 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Toys'  |
| 2015 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Paintings'  |
| 2014 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Drawings: Bark'   |
| 2013 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, '...plus stances, shadows and portraits'  |
| 2012 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'In a minor key'   |
|      | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Singing in the kitchen'  |
| 2011 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'New Works'  |
| 2010 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Interludes'   |
| 2009 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Shifting Borders: Lines in the Sand'   |
|      | Galerie Seywald, Salzburg, Austria, 'Australien Phantasie'  |
| 2008 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, at Melbourne Art Fair, 'Myths, Fairytales and Legends: all our memories in a ditch so deep', |
| 2007 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Constellations'  |
| 2006 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Reading between the lines: Small works'   |
|      | Australian Galleries at Depot Gallery, Sydney, 'One step ahead'   |
| 2005 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Drifting South, always South'  |
| 2004 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Out and about in the dark morning streets'  |
| 2003 | Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'All night long'  |
| 2002 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Through the arcades, looking for trouble'   |
| 1999 | Pinacotheca Gallery, Melbourne, 'Last but one'  |
| 1996 | Diane Tanzer Gallery, Melbourne, 'Peter Neilson Paintings'  |
| 1992 | Delbridge Street Gallery, Melbourne, 'Peter Neilson Drawings'   |
| 1991 | Delbridge Street Gallery, Melbourne, 'Peter Neilson Drawings'   |
| 1990 | Delbridge Street Gallery, Melbourne, 'Peter Neilson Drawings'   |
| 1987 | Delbridge Street Gallery, Melbourne, 'Peter Neilson Drawings'   |
| 1967 | Tolarno Galleries, Melbourne, 'Peter Neilson Dickie Paintings'  |

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

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| 2019 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'papermade'                                |
| 2014 | Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'one of each'                              |
| 2013 | Manning Regional Art Gallery, Taree, NSW, 'Australian Galleries exhibition' |

	Gallows Gallery, Perth, 'Australian Galleries at Gallows Gallery'
2012	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
2011	Australian Galleries, Sydney and Melbourne, 'large exhibition of small works'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Summer Exhibition'
2010	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer stock show'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Narrative Realism: A world observed'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Summer Show'
2009	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'A sculpture by...'
2007	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Summer Stock Show'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Small Pleasures'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Stock Show'
2006	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Summery'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'New Year group exhibition'
	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, '50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition'
2005	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'End of Year Group Exhibition'
	The Gallery in Cork Street, London, 'Australian Contemporary Art'
	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'Small Important Works'
2003	Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'New work'
2002	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, '2002 Opening Exhibition'
1997	RMIT Arts Project Space, Melbourne, 'Urban', curated by David Ryan

## COMMISSIONS

2010-11	Portrait of Sir Rod Carnegie for Trinity College, Melbourne University
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## COLLECTIONS

Melbourne City Council  
Trinity College

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

2020	Neilson, Peter; 'Agitation in Swingtime', exhibition catalogue
2019	Neilson, Peter; 'Staring in to the middle distance', press release
2018	Scarlett, Ken; 'Pretty Delicate', catalogue essay
2016	Benjamin, Andrew; 'Drawing, Worlds of Toys', catalogue essay
2012	Counihan, Mick; 'Instrument Matters', catalogue essay
2011	figureGROUNDzine; exhibition critique
2010	Allen, Dr. Christopher; folio essay (group exhibition)
	Benjamin, Professor Andrew; 'In Repose'; Peter Neilson's <i>Interludes</i> , folio essay
2009	Benjamin, Professor Andrew; 'The Work of Figures', catalogue essay
2007	Butler, Professor Rex; folio essay
2006	Neilson, Peter; 'One Step Ahead', catalogue essay
2005	Fry, Gavin; Folio Essay, Australian Galleries catalogue essay
2004	McDonald, John; catalogue essay
2002	Grishin, Sasha; Peter Neilson; Through the arcades looking for trouble; Paintings 1999-2002, Australian Galleries
1996	Jelbart, Mary-Lou; "Sightings", ABC 3LO
1992	Taylor, Roger; "Gotham City Gossip", 3RRR, Melbourne Melbourne Times, July
1991	Melbourne Times, July

1990 Melbourne Times, July  
1987 Jelbart, Mary-Lou; "Sightings", ABC 3LO