

AUSTRALIAN GALLERIES

JOHN WOLSELEY

Born 1938, United Kingdom

1962-69	Study at St Martins and Byam Shaw Schools of Art, London, UK
1958-59	Diploma of Agriculture, Cirencester, A.C.
1962-69	Study with S.W. Hayter, Paris, France
1962-70	Lived in Hoxton Street, London, UK, work at Birgit Skiolds print workshop
1969	Began Nettlecombe Studios Somerset, UK, an artists' and farmers' collective
1970	First Prize, Biennale Internationale de la Gravure, Krakow, Poland
1972	Florence Print Biennale, Italy, winner of Kantos Prize, also Print Biennale Buenos Aires, Brazil Organised with Niel Dunn, Nettlecomb Poetry Festival & Poster Prize Spent six months in the Spanish Pyrenees and went on expedition up the Skrang river, Borneo
1976	Settled in Australia, Artist in Residence, Newcastle CAE. Moved to Thorpedale, Gippsland, Lecturer Gippsland CAE, VIC

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2026	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Animal Architecture: Deep Time'
2025	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, Melbourne Art Fair, Booth M3, 'NGURRA - Dwelling of Desert Animals - mounds, burrows, warrens, lairs and nests'
2023	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Regenesis – Slow Water – Deep Water' Gippsland Art Gallery, Sale VIC, 'John Wolseley: The Quiet Conservationist'
2022	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Tracing the ephemeral rivers of the Wimmera Plains – recent paintings and etchings by John Wolseley' WAMA fundraising exhibition, Stawell, VIC, 'John Wolseley, Rivers and Creeks'
2019	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Two old artists looking for shellfish', with Mulkun Wirrpanda Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'John Wolseley: One hundred and One Insect Life Stories'
2018	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'The Life of Inland Waters'
2016	Hamilton Art Gallery, Hamilton, VIC, 'John Wolseley, Mallee-Maquis-Desert-Rainforest 1990-2016'
2015	The Ian Potter Centre, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'John Wolseley: Heartlands and Headwaters', Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Marrma dilakmala larruma gurra nathawu – Two Old Artists Looking for Food'
2011	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Lines for Birds'
2010	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Carboniferous'
2008	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Natural Selection: MALLEE/MAQUIS' Swan Hill Regional Art Gallery, Swan Hill, VIC, 'Two Wolseleys in the Mallee: Art, Artefacts and Memorabilia from the studio of John Wolseley'
2007	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Travelling west to Sunset Tank' Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'John Wolseley: Land Marks II'
2006	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'The wood, the world and the parrot'

2005	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Bird on the Wire, John Wolseley' Chapman Gallery, Canberra, 'Firebird'
2004	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'John Wolseley'
2003	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'The Memory of Fire'
2002	Edmund Barton Room, Sydney Grammar School Artist in Residence, Sydney, 'Six months in the Royal National Park'
2001	Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'Tracing the Wallace Line' Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC, 'Tracing the Wallace Line'
1998	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Selected Works 1968 – 1998'
1996	Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney; Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Launceston, TAS; Ian Potter Gallery, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, 'Patagonia to Tasmania: Origin Movement Species Tracing Southern Continents'
1993	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Desert: A catalogue of hidden things in sand and paper' Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Launceston, TAS, '1993 million drawings: Being an examination of Australia's flora and fauna since the Proterozoic Era' Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne, 'Simpson Desert Survey' Rex Irwin Art Dealer Sydney, 'Paintings, lithographs and sedimentary prints from the Simpson Desert'
1991	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Life in mud and sand'
1989	Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney, 'The Pearl Fisher's voyage from Ise Shima to Roebuck Bay, and other recent paintings'
1988	University of Melbourne, Melbourne, 'Nomadism: John Wolseley, Twelve years in Australia'
1987	Joye Art Foundation / Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney, 'From Wittenoom to Broome – Paintings of Northwest Australia 1984 – 1989'
1984	Bendigo Regional Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC, 'From Bendigo to Kyoto' Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney, 'From Bendigo to Kyoto'
1982	Realities Gallery, Melbourne, 'A Journey from Mt Solitary to the Charles River'
1980	Geelong Regional Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC, 'The Larapinta Land Journey paintings and the Emily Gap Survey' Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney, 'The Larapinta Land Journey'
1974	South West Arts Council, touring in East Anglia, Realities Gallery, Melbourne, 'Selected prints'
1971	Mayor Gallery, London, UK
1965	Mayor Gallery, London, UK
1962	Architectural Association, London, UK, 'A survey trip down the Dordogne River in a collapsible dinghy'

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2026	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Australian Galleries Celebrates 70 Years: 1956 – 2026 Group Exhibition'
2024	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Mondo' Araluen Arts Centre, Alice Springs NT, 'Ground Swell Araluen at 40'
2023	Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, 'Essays on Earth: Brodie Ellis, Paul Kane and John Wolseley'
2022	Buxton Contemporary, Melbourne, 'Still Life'
2021-22	Albury Library Museum, Albury, VIC, 'Earth Canvas: Linking Artists with Regenerative Farmers'
2021	Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney, NSW, 'The National 2021: New Australian Art'
2020	Australian Galleries, online, 'Navigating the line'
2019	Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Australian Galleries: The Purves Family Business. The First Four Decades', Book Launch and Group Exhibition Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'papermade'

- Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong, VIC, 'The Moon'
- The Atrium, Sofitel, Melbourne, 'Art Meets Nature', presented by WAMA
- Geelong Gallery, Geelong, VIC, 'John Wolseley and Mulkun Wirrpanda: Molluscs/Maypal and the warning of the seas', as part of ART+CLIMATE= CHANGE 2019
- Montsalvat, Melbourne, 'Baldessin Studio – The Story'
- 2018 Silver Leaf Art Box, Merricks, VIC, 'Native Flora'
- 2017-18 National Museum of Australia, Canberra and touring to Museum and Art Gallery of Northern Territory, Darwin, and Melbourne Museum, Melbourne, 'Midawarr | Harvest: The Art of Mulkun Wirrpanda and John Wolseley'
- 2016 McClelland Sculpture Park + Gallery, Langwarrin, VIC, 'Human / Animal / Artist: Art Inspired by Animals'
- Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington, VIC, 'Birds: Flight paths in Australian Art'
- Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne, 'Impressions'
- Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington Peninsula, VIC, 'Country & Western'
- Bouddi Foundation for the Arts at Yellow House, Sydney, 'Self Portraits on Paper'
- 2015 Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, John Wolseley with Mulkun Wirrpanda, 'Marrma dilakmala lurruma gurra nathawu - Two Old Artists Looking for Food'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'The Warming and An Anthropocene Cabinet of Curiosities'
- Museum voor Schone Kunsten Ghent, Ghent, Belgium, 'RAAKLIJNEN'
- 2014 Kyoto Municipal Museum of Art, Kyoto, Japan; Fukuyama Museum of Art, Hiroshima, Japan, 'International Print Exhibition, Australia and Japan'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'one of each'
- Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, 'Dobell Australian Drawing Biennial'
- University of New South Wales Galleries, Sydney, 'The Skullbone Experiment'
- 2013 Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Works from the Stock Rooms'
- Gallows Gallery, Perth, 'Australian Galleries at Gallows Gallery'
- 2012 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Negotiating this world: Contemporary Australian Art'
- Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, '18th Biennale of Sydney: all our relations', curated by Catherine de Zegher and Gerald McMaster
- Nomad Art Project Space, Darwin, 'Djalkiri – We are standing on Their Names – Blue Mud Bay'
- 2011 Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'large exhibition of small works'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Nature of the Mark'
- 2010 Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer stock show'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Artists' Prints made with Integrity I'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
- 2009 Ian Potter Museum of Art, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, 'Reframing Darwin: evolution and art in Australia'
- Mildura Arts Centre Regional Gallery, Mildura, VIC, 'Refugia', Murray Darling Palimpsest
- 2008 Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
- Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah South, NSW, 'Wish you were here'
- Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne, 'The Ecologies Project'
- Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Wynne Prize
- 2007 Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
- National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, 'The story of Australian Printmaking: 1801-2005'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Small Pleasures'
- 2006 Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Summer Stock Show'
- La Trobe Visual Arts Centre, Bendigo, VIC and Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, 'A Bird in the Hand: paintings by Tony Clark and John Wolseley', curated by Robyn McKenzie
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Bookish'
- Australian National University, Drill Hall Gallery, Canberra, 'Canberra's Sixth Annual Drawing Biennale'

- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, '50th Anniversary Exhibition'
- Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Wynne Prize Exhibition
- 2005 State Library of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Lost and Found, Peter Lyssiotis and John Wolseley, the adventures of two artists in the State Library of Victoria'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Contemporary Works on Paper'
- Über Gallery, Melbourne, 'Newhaven Art Exhibition'
- National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'This and Other Worlds, Contemporary Australian Drawing'
- Touring: Artspace, Mackay, Mackay, QLD; Rockhampton Art Gallery, Rockhampton, QLD; Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville, QLD; Gladstone Regional Art Gallery and Museum, Gladstone, QLD; Hazelhurst Regional Art Gallery, Hazelhurst, NSW; Wagga Wagga Regional Art Gallery, Wagga Wagga, NSW; Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, Bathurst, NSW; Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Ballarat, VIC; Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington, VIC; University Art Museum, Brisbane, 'Fireworks: Tracing the incendiary in Australian art', curated by Gavin Wilson
- Andrea Hylands Gallery, Melbourne, 'Ware & Tear'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Notes from the Natural World'
- 2004 The Ian Potter Centre, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, '2004: Australian Culture Now'
- Australian Galleries, Sydney, 'In the Presence of All Creatures, Great and Small'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Species'
- 2003 The Ian Potter Centre, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, 'Bushfire: Our Community Responds'
- 2002 Mornington Peninsula Regional Art Gallery, Mornington, VIC, National Works on Paper Award
- Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney, 'Meridian: Focus on Contemporary Australian Art'
- 2001 Gabrielle Gallery, Melbourne, 'The lie of the land'
- Australian Galleries, Melbourne, 'Landscape and environment'
- 1997 Australian National University, Drill Hall Gallery, Canberra, 'New Australian Images through British eyes'
- Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, 'A Constructed World: Collaborative works with Geoff Lowe'
- 1996 Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, touring exhibition, 'Australian Watercolours'
- 1995 Westpac Gallery, Melbourne, national touring exhibition, AMCOR Paper Awards
- Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne, 'Seven Histories of Australia'
- Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery, Hobart, 'The Derwent Collection: Australian Art of the 1980s and 1990s'
- 1993 Plimsoll Gallery, Hobart, 'To the surface: Contemporary Landscape'
- National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, 'Poster Art in Australia'
- 1991 Monash University Gallery, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne, 'Off the Wall, In the Air, A Seventies Selection'
- Museums of Modern and Western Art, Tokyo and Kyoto, Japan, 'Two hundred years of Australian Painting'
- 1989 Galerie Baudoin Lebon, Paris, France
- 1988 Australian Bicentennial Authority, touring exhibition, 'The Face of Australia: The Land, the People, the Present, the Past'
- S. H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, 'A Changing Relationship: Aboriginal Themes in Australian Art'
- 1984 Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, 'The centre: Works on paper by contemporary Australian artists'
- 1981 Australian National Gallery, Canberra, 'Landscape Art: Two Way Reaction'
- Victorian College of the Arts Gallery, Melbourne, 'Land marks'
- 1973 International Print Biennale, Buenos Aires, Brazil
- Oxford City Art Gallery, London, UK
- George Paton Gallery, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, '1980 Lost and Found'
- 1972 Florence Biennale, Florence, Italy

	New Lane Gallery, Bradford (with Print Workshop)
1970	Krakow Print Biennale, Krakow, Poland
1969	Morley College (with Printmakers Council)
1965	Prints 1965, AIA
	Wardour Music Festival, UK (with Noah Morris)
1964	Hambledon Gallery, Blandford (joint exhibition with Julian Trevelyan)
	Prints 1964, AIA
	Californian Society of Etchers, Centenary Exhibition, California, USA
1960	Royal Academy (also in 1961, 1963, 1965, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971)
1959	London Group (also in 1960)

AWARDS

2008	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Trustees' Watercolour Prize, Winner
	Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Wynne Prize, Finalist
2005	Australia Council of the Arts Visual Arts Emtus Award
	Macquarie University, Sydney, Doctor of Science, Honorary Degree
	Visual Arts/Craft Board, Australia Council for the Arts, New Work Grant,
1972	Florence Biennale Florence, Italy, Kantos prize
1970	Biennale Internationale de la Gravure, Krakow, Poland, Winner

COLLECTIONS

Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
 Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth
 Arts Council of Great Britain, UK
 Australian National University Art Collection, Canberra
 BHP Collection, Melbourne
 Cheltenham College, Melbourne
 Contemporary Arts Society London, London, UK
 Coopers and Lybrand Collection
 Derwent Collection, Hobart
 Girton College, Cambridge, UK
 Hamilton Gallery, Hamilton, VIC
 Harrogate Art Gallery, Harrogate, UK
 Hereford Museum and Art Gallery, Hereford, UK
 Huddersfield Art Gallery, Huddersfield, UK
 Joye Art Foundation, Sydney
 Kedumba Art Award, Blackheath, NSW
 Latrobe University Art Collection, Melbourne
 Ministry of Works, London, UK
 Museum and National Gallery of Northern Territory, Darwin
 Museum of Contemporary Art, Skopje, Macedonia
 National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
 National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
 Newnham College, Cambridge, UK
 Nuffield Foundation, London, UK
 Oxford City Art Gallery, Oxford, UK
 Parliament House Art Collection, Canberra

Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Launceston, TAS
Sheffield Education Committee, Sheffield, UK
State Bank Collection, Sydney
State Library of Victoria, Melbourne
Swinburne University of Technology, Melbourne
Sydney Town Hall Collection, Sydney
The Christensen Fund
University of Tasmania Art Collection, Hobart
Usher Gallery, Lincoln, USA

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Broinowski, Alison; The Yellow Lady: Australian Impressions of Asia, Oxford University Press, Melbourne, 1992
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Deeth, Jane; "A shared appreciation", Object 42, Sydney, 2003
'Earth Canvas: Linking Artists with Regenerative Farmers', exhibition catalogue, Albury Library Museum, Albury, VIC
Flynn, Paul; "John Wolseley: Natural convictions", Artist Profile, Summer 2007, pp. 28 - 37
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