

biography

Bachelor of Dramatic Art (Design) National Institute of Dramatic Art (NIDA) 2003
Helpmann Fellowship NIDA Scholarship 2003

awards

2010 **Winner** Art Is.. Contemporary Art Prize, VIC
Winner Portrait of a Senior Territorian Art Award (People's Choice Award)
 2009 **Finalist** Black Swan Prize for Portraiture, WA
 2008 **Winner** ies Lighting Design Award of Excellence, (The Electric Canvas),
 Auckland, New Zealand
 2007 **Finalist** Going Public Art Award, VIC
Finalist Arts On Bourke Art Prize, NSW

residencies

2008 **la Macina di San Cresci** Florence, Italy
 2011 **la Macina di San Cresci** Florence, Italy

solo exhibitions

2011 **The People Project** la Macina di San Cresci, Florence Italy
 2011 **The People Project** FacePaint Pop Up Gallery, Redfern NSW
 2011 **The People Project** Woods Street Gallery, Darwin NT
 2008 **Portraits** Primrose Gallery, Cremorne NSW
 2005 **Underwater Series** Ensemble Theatre, Kirribilli NSW
 2004 **Tank Series** Grand Pacific Blueroom, Paddington NSW
 2003 **Perfect Yesterday** Arts On Bourke, Surry Hills NSW

selected group exhibitions

2010 **Small Works Prize** Brunswick Street Gallery, VIC
Portrait of a Territorian Art Award Parliament House, NT
Art Is.. Contemporary Art Prize Art Is.. Gallery & Artist Studios, VIC
 2009 **Black Swan Prize for Portraiture** Perth Town Hall, Perth, WA
 2009 **ABAF Artist Business Exhibition** Darwin Entertainment Centre, Darwin, NT
 2008 **Buon Natale** la Macina di San Cresci, Greve in Chianti, Italy
 2007 **Going Public Art Award** Town Hall Gallery, Hawthorn, VIC
 2006 **Arts On Bourke Art Prize** Arts on Bourke, Surry Hills, NSW
 2004 **Group Show** Knot Gallery, Strawberry Hills, NSW
Via Crusis Australis Sydney Town Hall, Sydney, NSW
 2003 **Prague Quadrennial** International Design Exhibition, Prague, Czech Republic

commissions - paintings

2010 **Kennon Commission** Oil Portrait Painting
Proud Commission Oil Portrait Painting (x4)
 2009 **Mundine Commission** Oil Portrait Painting (Aboriginal Housing Company, Redfern NSW)
Schenko Commission Mixed Media Landscape Painting
 2008 **Denver Commission** Oil Portrait Painting
Spon-Smith Commission Oil Portrait Painting (x4)
Nolan-Cook Commission Oil Portrait Painting
Derrick Commission Oil Portrait Painting
 2007 **Spon-Smith Commission** Oil Portrait Painting
Dr MKS Commission Oil Portrait Painting
Proud Commission Oil Portrait Painting

commissions - projection art

- 2010 **Adelaide Festival of the Arts** (artwork for *The Electric Canvas*, Sydney NSW)
Macquarie Vision Northern Lights, Adelaide SA
2009 **Vancouver Winter Olympics** Macquarie Street, Sydney NSW
Smart Light Festival Olympic Opening Ceremony, Vancouver, Canada
Luminous Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney NSW
2008 **Vacheron Constantin** Sydney Opera House, Sydney NSW
Adelaide Festival of the Arts Twin Villas Gala Opening, Shanghai, China
The Colours of Malaysia Northern Lights, Adelaide SA
Sydney Festival Citrawarna, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Louis Vuitton Launch Jazz & Symphony in the Domain, Sydney NSW
Singapore Night Festival Hong Kong
2007 **National Gallery of Australia** Singapore Arts House, Singapore
Lancome 25th Anniversary, Canberra ACT
Fendi Design Awards, Sydney NSW
Art & About Season Launch, Beijing China
Project Vanish Sydney NSW
2006 **15th Asian Games** Toronto, San Francisco, London, Singapore, Brandenburg
Opening Ceremony, Doha Qatar

commissions - production design

- 2010 **Darwin Festival** Head Full of Love, Set Design, Touring show NT/QLD
2006 **Commonwealth Games** Opening Ceremony, Set and Costume Design, Melbourne VIC
2004 **Art Gallery of New South Wales** Crossing Country Exhibition, Mimih Wearable Art Commission, NSW
2003 **Sydney Dance Company** Random Play, Set Design, Sydney NSW

bibliography

- 2011 **Off The Leash** Darwin Visual Arts Association, February Edition
2010 **Sydney Morning Herald** Linda Morris, July 28th
ABC News Stateline NT, Michael Coggan (reporter Anna Henderson), July 9th
Brisbane Times Linda Morris (courtesy of SMH), July 28th
Connect Magazine Australian Business Arts Foundation, June 2010
2008 **(inside) Australian Design Review** Gillian Serisier, Issue 51
The Advertiser Patrick McDonald, Adelaide, February 29th
City Messenger 'City Lights Up', Adelaide, March 6th
The Australian Murray Bramwell, March 17th
dB Magazine Brett Allen-Bayes, March 19th
City Messenger 'Talking Point', 20th March
The Adelaide Review Allen Brissenden, April 4th
Sunday Mail 'Six Best of the Arts Fest', Adelaide, February 24th
2007 **NGA artonview Magazine** 'Director's Foreward', Summer 2007 - 2008
The Daily Telegraph Brad Watts, October 12th
The Canberra Times Philip O'Brien, October 13th
2004 **Sydney Morning Herald** Richard Jinman, 9th April (photo by Rick Stevens)

links

- www.facepaint.net.au
www.chianticom.com
www.blackswanprize.com.au/adult_finalists2009.html
www.whatmakesme.com.au/whatmakesme/mick
www.theelectriccanvas.com.au