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Education

University of Newcastle (UoN), Bachelor of Natural History Illustration (Honours Class One, Awarded the Faculty Medal) 2012

UoN, Bachelor of Natural History Illustration (Distinction) 2011

Selected Exhibitions

- 2018- Animals in Art & Music, The Newcastle Museum, Newcastle.
- 2018- Botanica: Symbiosis, The Royal Botanic Gardens, Sydney.
- 2017- Botanica: in Sickness and in Health, The Royal Botanic Gardens, Sydney.
- 2016- *The 15th International Exhibition of Botanical Art & Illustration*, Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, Pittsburgh, USA.
- 2016- Botanica at Farm Cove, The Royal Botanic Gardens, Sydney.
- 2015- Inspired 2015, Hunter Valley Grammar School, Ashtonfield.
- 2015- Botanica 2015: 'The Birds and the Bees', The Royal Botanic Gardens, Sydney.
- 2015- *The Sydney Royal Arts and Crafts Show 2015*, The Sydney Royal Easter Show, Drawing Section, Sydney.
- 2014- Tilligery Arts Craft and Quilting Show Prize, The Tilligerry Arts Group, Lemon Tree Passage.
- 2014- Newcastle Emerging Artist Prize, The Newcastle Community Arts Centre, Newcastle.
- 2014- *The Sydney Royal Arts and Crafts Show 2014*, The Sydney Royal Easter Show, Painting and Drawing Art Sections, Sydney.
- 2013- Hornsby Art Prize, Hornsby Shire Council, Hornsby.
- 2012- Class of 2012 Honours, group exhibition, UoN, Newcastle.
- 2012- *The Sydney Royal Arts and Crafts Show 2012*, Sydney Royal Easter Show, Painting Section, Sydney.
- 2011- Third Year Major Project group exhibition, UoN, Newcastle.
- 2011- The Margaret Senior group exhibition, UoN, Newcastle.

2009- *The Art of Science, Students of Scientific Illustration* group exhibition, The Hunter Region Botanical Gardens, Heatherbrae.

Collections/Commissions

The University of Newcastle, Newcastle, NSW.

The Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation Permanent Collection, Pittsburgh, USA.

The University of Sydney, Pella Project, Sydney.

Edelman PR Company, Sydney.

Kurri Kurri Council, Kurri Kurri.

Newcastle Grief Counselling business, Newcastle.

Local churches in Adamstown and Maryland.

Private Collections

Works held in private collections around Australia and internationally.

Awards/Achievements

- 2014- Highly Commended, Works on Paper, Newcastle Emerging Artist Prize.
- 2012- Faculty Medal, Science and Information Technology 2012, UoN.
- 2012- Faculty of Science and Information Technology Honours Scholarship 2012.
- 2012- Highly Commended, Painting section, Sydney Royal Arts and Crafts Show 2012.
- 2010- Placed on 2010 Faculty Commendation List, Science and Information Technology, UoN.
- 2011- on-sight Archaeological Illustrator, Pella Project, University of Sydney, Pella, Jordan.

Teaching

2013, Teacher, Kids and Tweens art classes, The Arts Emporium, Lambton.