



William Mackinnon

b.1978, Melbourne

Lives and works between Ibiza, the UK and Australia

Education and Experience

- 1996-2000 Bachelor of Arts, Melbourne University
- 2001-02 Catalogued the Roger Kemp Estate
- 2002-04 Print-making assistant for Kim Westcott
- 2004 Internship at the Peggy Guggenheim Museum, Venice
- 2004-06 Studio assistant to Tim Maguire, London /France
- 2005 Internship at the Chinati Foundation, Marfa, Texas
- 2006 Post-graduate diploma, Chelsea School of Art and Design, London
- 2008 Masters of Visual Arts. Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne
- 2009 Artist in residence at Mangkaja Arts, Fitzroy Crossing
- 2010 Field officer for Papunya Tula artists

Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2023 Philip Bacon Galleries, Brisbane
- 2022 *Home and Away*, Hugo Michell Gallery, Adelaide
Modern Family, Simon Lee Gallery, Hong Kong
- 2021 *Fairwell Transmission*, Simon Lee Gallery at Blanc International Contemporary Art Space, Beijing
- 2020 *Strive for the light*, Simon Lee Gallery, London
Learning to love the wind, Hugo Michell Gallery, Adelaide
- 2019 *Phoenix*, Ibiza Arts Projects, Ibiza, Spain
Half the perfect world, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- 2018 *The Lucky Country*, Hugo Michell Gallery, Adelaide
- 2016 *Psychological landscapes*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
The World is as you are, Hamilton Regional Gallery, Victoria
Internal Weather, Hugo Michell Gallery, Adelaide
- 2015 *Crossroads*, Hugo Michell Gallery, Adelaide
- 2014 *Landscape as self-portrait*, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
- 2013 *On the Edge of Knowing*, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne
Cavedreams, Artstage Singapore, Utopian Slumps
- 2013 *Paintings conceived while driving*, Horsham Regional Art Gallery, Victoria
- 2012 *The Great Indoors*, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne
- 2011 *The Lucky Country*, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne
- 2010 *Paintings conceived while driving*, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne
- 2009 *Mountains, streams and cavedreams*, Joint Hassles, Melbourne

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2023 *Melbourne Now*, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
- 2022-23 *Bewilderness: Recent acquisitions*, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
- 2017 *Triennial*, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
- 2013 *Landscape of longing*, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Victoria
- 2011 *The Painting Group*, Milani Gallery, Brisbane
- 2010 *Hell's bottom drawer*, Hell Gallery, Melbourne
I am your mirror, Ryan Renshaw Gallery, Brisbane
- 2008 *Under the influence*, Warnambool Art Gallery, Victoria
- 2007 *Going Under*, Joint Hassles, Melbourne
Empire Strikes Back, Hower St Studios, London
- 2006 *Chase*, Royal College, London
- 2005 *Cut and Paste*, Pickled Art Centre, Beijing
- 2002 *Homeshow*, Next Wave Festival, Melbourne

Prizes & Awards



- 2021 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney Australia
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney Australia
Finalist, Arthur Guy Memorial Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria
- 2020 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2018 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2016 Finalist, Basil Sellers Art Prize, Ian Potter Museum, Melbourne
Finalist, Fleurieu Landscape Prize, Samstag Museum, Adelaide
- 2014 Finalist, Basil Sellers Art Prize, Ian Potter Museum, Melbourne
- 2015 Finalist, Arthur Guy Memorial Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria
- 2014 Shortlisted, Alice Prize, Araluen Art Centre, Alice Springs
- 2013 Finalist (Winner, People's Choice Award), Arthur Guy Memorial Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria
Finalist, Fleurieu Art Prize, South Australia
- 2012 Shortlisted, Alice Prize, Araluen Art Centre, Alice Springs
- 2011 Finalist, Churchie National Emerging Art Prize, Griffith University Art Gallery, Brisbane
Finalist, Keith and Elizabeth Murdoch Travelling Scholarship
- 2010 Awarded Australia Council Grant (Artstart)
- 2008 Winner, Marten Bequest Travelling Scholarship
Shortlisted, ABN AMRO Contemporary Art Prize
- 2003 Finalist, Brett Whiteley Travelling Scholarship, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney

Collections

Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
Artbank, Sydney
Griffith University, Brisbane
Holmesglen Institute of TAFE, Victoria
HOTA, Gold Coast
Ian Potter Museum of Art, University of Melbourne, Melbourne
Joyce Nissan Collection, Melbourne
Macquarie Group Collection, Sydney
National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
Parliament House Art Collection, Canberra
RACV, Melbourne
State Library of Victoria, Melbourne
Stonnington Council, Melbourne