

Curriculum Vitae – Alison Mackay

Solo and 2 Person Exhibitions:

2016 "STILL" Recent still life paintings at Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
2015/2016 "After Olley" Shoalhaven City Arts Centre & Regional Gallery
2013 "Inside/Out" Milk Factory Gallery, Bowral
2011 Glass Gallery, Milk Factory, Bowral "Objective"
2009 Locavore, Huskisson "Everything... and the Kitchen Sink"
2005-2008 Jervis Bay Kiosk, "Mostly Flowers" "59 Apples..." "Cut from Above" "Immersion & Observation"

Selected Group & Joint Exhibitions:

2017 The Gallipoli Art Prize, the Waverley Woollahra Art Prize and the Black Swan Portrait Prize – Finalist
2016 'The Nature of Things' 3-person still life show at FORM Gallery, Queanbeyan.
2016 'Spring Fever' Group show at Defiance Gallery Sydney October 2016
2016 NSW Parliament's Plein Air painting award and The Gallipoli Art Prize – Finalist
2016 Summer Exhibition, The Milk Factory, Bowral
2015 The 50th Anniversary Portia Geach Memorial Award – Finalist
2015 The Gallipoli Art Prize, Sydney – Finalist
2015 'Private Lives: The Artists as Collector' Group exhibition at SH Ervin Gallery, Sydney
2014 Fisher's Ghost Award, Campbelltown – Winner Traditional section
2014 "The Meaning of (still) Life Defiance Gallery Sydney
2014 "Stuck Together" Defiance Gallery, Sydney
2014 NSW Parliament's Plein Air Painting Prize and the Gallipoli Art Prize – Finalist
2014 'Animalia' International Print Exchange Exhibition at 'Il Bisonte' Florence, Italy 7-30 May 2014
2014 Summer Exhibition at the Gate Gallery Wollombi (courtesy of Defiance Gallery Sydney)
2013 Eutick Memorial Still Life Award (EMSLA) Coffs Harbour – Finalist
2013 Still Life group exhibition at The Gate Gallery Wollombi (courtesy Defiance Gallery Sydney)
2013 Mosman Art Prize, Waverley Woollahra Art Prize and the Cowra Calleen Art Award – Finalist
2013 "Please Be Seated" Defiance Gallery, Sydney
2012 'Larapinta Trail Artists' Shoalhaven City Arts Centre, Nowra
2012 Black Swan Prize for Portraiture (WA) – Finalist, Mosman Art Prize – Finalist, EMSLA Still life - Finalist
2012 BDAS Pirtek Still Life Prize, Bowral – Commended
2012 Waverley Art Prize, Sydney – Winner, Works on Paper Prize
2012 "Under a Grand" Rex-Livingston Gallery, Sydney
2012 "Larapinta Exhibition"(travelling exhibition) Moree Plains Regional Art Gallery
2011 "The Larapinta Exhibition" Defiance Gallery, Sydney
2011 Portia Geach Memorial Award, S H Ervin Gallery, Sydney - Finalist
2010 "NEW" – Bungendore Wood Works Gallery, Bungendore
2010 "A Meeting of Minds" – 2-person exhibition Shoalhaven City Arts Centre, Nowra
2010 Stanthorpe Art Prize Exhibition, Stanthorpe – Finalist, Mortimore Prize Dubbo – Finalist Still Life section
2009 Meroogal Women's Arts Prize, NSW - Touring exhibition
2009 Shoalhaven Arts Society Exhibition, Nowra – Winner Still Life prize
2009 Alvaro Still Life Prize, Bowral – Highly commended
2008-9 Wollongong City Gallery 30th Anniversary Exhibition, Wollongong
2008 Mortimore Prize Exhibition, Dubbo - Finalist
2008 "Little Archies" - Winner portrait prize at Lady Denman Museum
2008 Stanthorpe Prize Exhibition, Stanthorpe - Finalist
2007 Whyalla Prize Exhibition, Whyalla (SA) - Finalist

Residencies:

2017 Maffra Residency (all women), Defiance Gallery, Sydney
2014 Nancy Fairfax Studio, Tweed Regional Gallery
2013 Kelton Women Artists' Residency, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
2012 Kelton and Maffra Residency, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
2006 Bundanon Trust, Artist in Residence Programme

Awards:

2014 Winner, Traditional section, Fisher's Ghost Prize, Campbelltown
2012 Winner, Works on Paper Prize, Waverley Art Prize, Sydney
2009 Winner, Still Life Section, Shoalhaven Art's Prize, Nowra
2008 Winner, Wollongong Portrait prize, Wollongong City Gallery
2008 Winner "Little Archies" portrait prize at Lady Denman Museum
2007 Winner "Wray Owens Acrylic Prize" Shoalhaven Arts Society, Nowra