

Ruth le Cheminant

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Current Curriculum Vitae

- 1988-90 Grad Diploma of Visual Arts, College of Fine Arts, University of NSW
1968-71 Diploma in Art (Education), East Sydney Technical College (NAS) & Alexander Mackie Teachers College
- 2011 September – residential at The Art Vault, Mildura, Victoria
2010 June - residential at The Art Vault, Mildura, Victoria
2005 Artist in Residence Bundanon
2003 January - Master Class with Adam Cullen Summer School, NAS
2002 January - Master class with John Firth-Smith Summer School NAS

Solo Exhibitions

- 2011 August/September – ‘Country’ The Art Vault, Mildura Victoria
2010 July – Nolan on Lovel Gallery, Katoomba
March – Global Gallery, Paddington, Sydney
2009 June/July/August – Foyer William Morris Agency, Americas Ave, New York
January/February – ‘Out of the Box’ Ben Roberts Gallery, Lawson
2008 May/June – ‘The Intuitive Journey’ Washhouse Gallery, Rozelle
2007 July/August – ‘Taking the Long Way’ Gallery HM Alexandria
June – Jenolan Caves House exhibition
2006 June/July – “Connections” exhibition with Sharon Hickey at Orange Regional Gallery a collaborative conceptual landscape exhibition using paintings and photographs
2005 September/October – ‘A Sense of Self A Sense of Place’ Sydney Town Art, Sydney
2003 September – “Burnt and Beyond” Hunter Street Gallery, Parramatta
2002 June - October – “le Cheminant at Tamburlaine”, Hunter Valley
2001 February/March/April – Foyer - City of Blue Mountain Council Chambers
2000 “As Within – So Without” Gallery Lane Leura (December 8th – December 24th)
“As Above-So Below” Orange Regional Gallery, Orange (18th August – 1st October)
1999 “Ruth goes Solo” - Gallery Lane, Leura
“Mountain Landscapes” Parakeet Cafe, Katoomba
1997 “Deconstruction”, sculpture installation using contents of an upright piano, Linden, NSW
1988 Messages (Music/Art Performance) University of Technology, Sydney

Shared Exhibitions with Selected Artists

- 2011 August/September – ‘Ground Cover’ , Gilligan Grant Gallery Collingwood, Melbourne
2010 September/October - The Flower Show – Nolan on Lovel Gallery, Katoomba
“Six Appeal”, September, Blackheath
February/ March “Art With Altitude” The Edge, Katoomba
2009 November – January “Art With Altitude”, Sydney Olympic Park
October – Winner Crockett Abstract Art Prize award
August/September - Invited guest at The Gallery, Blackheath
Painted car hubcap for “The Landfill Project” at <http://www.landfillart.org>
May – ‘Out From Down Under & Beyond: Fine Art from Australia and New Zealand’
Agora Gallery, Chelsea, New York
March April – Calleen Art Prize, Cowra Regional Gallery

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- 2008 November – Sublime Elevations - Sydney Olympic Park
October - Crockett Group Art Prize
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October – Sydney Art Fair with Gallery HM
October – Crockett Group Art Prize, Katoomba
- 2006 April/May – “Land Out of Time” Blue Mountains Landscape Artists, Cowra Regional Gallery
February – “Celebrating Mardi Gras” – Sydney Town Art gallery, Sydney
Opening exhibition at Gallery ‘On the Brink’, Mt Victoria
- 2005 December – “A Taste of Nougat” – Sydney Town Art gallery, Sydney
May - Aperitif Inaugural exhibition – Sydney Town Art gallery, Sydney
- 2004 Exhibited Hunter Street Gallery, Parramatta till its closure June 2004
June – “Land Out of Time” Blue Mountains Landscape Artists, Griffith Regional Gallery
March/May - Outback Art Prize, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery
April/May – “Land Out of Time”, Blue Mountains Landscape Artists, Penrith Regional Gallery
- 2003 Exhibited at Hunter Street Gallery Parramatta
August - “Discord, Harmony and all that Jazz” Gallery Lane, Leura – a visual musical collaboration featuring original compositions by Fiona Hawkins of Ruth le Cheminant’s work with the visual Jazz infusion by Toni Mathieson
February - ‘New Works’ pcl Exhibitionist Gallery, Redfern with two other artists
- 2002 Exhibited as a member of ‘The Gallery Blackheath’ a co-operative gallery of 10 artists exhibiting their own work
August – pcl Exhibitionist Gallery, Sydney with two other artists

Group Exhibitions

- 2011 June – Winter Open Exhibition, Blackheath
June – bentART exhibition, Wentworth Falls (Winner painting category)
May – Winters Conversation exhibition Blue Mountains Artist Connection, Katoomba
- 2010 October – Blackheath Art Prize, Blackheath
September/October - Blacktown Art Prize
- 2009 October – Blackheath Art Prize Exhibition
June – Bent Art Exhibition, Katoomba
June – BAS Winter Exhibition
April – prize winner - BAS Easter exhibition
- 2008 June - Bent Art Exhibition, Katoomba
September – Blackheath Art Prize exhibition
- 2007 October - Falls Art Exhibition
September – Blackheath Art Prize exhibition

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June – Bent Art exhibition, Katoomba
March – Portland Art Exhibition, Portland
March – Oakhill College Art Exhibition, Castle Hill

2006 July – 'Transitions' BMAN members exhibition, Katoomba
July – 'Other Side of Two Mile' Artist Camp Exhibition, Aralun Gallery, Alice Springs
June – Bent Art, Katoomba

2005 June – Organising member of "Bent Art", Civic Centre, Katoomba

2004 April – BAS Easter Show, Blackheath

2003 December – Xmas Show Bathurst Regional Gallery
October – Falls Art Festival, Wentworth Falls
October – Contempo 6, Blackheath
June – Drawing and Watercolour exhibition, Blackheath
May – Waverley College Art Exhibition
May - Ignatius' College Art Exhibition
April - Sydney Royal Easter Show Arts Exhibition, Sydney
April – BAS Easter Show, Blackheath
March - Liverpool City Art Prize, Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre

2002 November – Blacktown Art Prize, Blacktown
November – Fishers Ghost exhibition, Campbelltown
October – Falls Art Festival, Wentworth Falls
October – Contempo 5 Art exhibition, Blackheath
September – Tudor House, Bowral
April – Liverpool City Arts Festival, Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, Casula
April – Thirroul Seaside and Arts Festival, Thirroul
March – BAS Easter Art Exhibition, Blackheath
March - Portland Art Purchase Exhibition

2001 December – pcl Exhibitionist Xmas Art Sale, Sydney
December – Printing Exhibition, Gallery Lane, Leura
November – Bathurst Regional Gallery Christmas Show
November – Blue Gum Art Auction, Katoomba
November – Contempo 4 Art Exhibition, Blackheath
June – St Ignatius 30th Annual Art Exhibition
June – BAS Works on Paper Exhibition, Blackheath
May – Hunters Hill Art & Craft Exhibition
May - Winmalee Autumn Artfest
April – BAS Easter Exhibition, Blackheath
February - Out Art – Seymour Centre Sydney

2000 November – Blackheath Contemporary Art Show
November - Festival of Fisher's Ghost Art Award
May - Creative Enterprise Program exhibition and auction, Penrith
April – Rotary Club of the Central Blue Mountains Art Prize 2000 Exhibition
March - "Living Without Violence – an exhibition by Women of Western Sydney" – the Parramatta Heritage Centre, Church Street, Parramatta
February - "Out Art" – Tin Sheds Gallery, City Road, Chippendale
February - "Nude Salon" – Room 32, 4th Floor 46 Holt St, Surrey Hills

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- 1999 BAS Contempo 2 Blackheath
1989 Block 5, the Works Gallery, Sydney
1971 RAS Exhibition, Sydney
Graduate exhibition, Cell Block, East Sydney Technical College (now NAS), Sydney
1969 New Moon Gallery, Cronulla
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Prizes

- 2011 BentART Painting Prize
2009 Winner Crockett Art Prize

Publications

- 2011 Sunraysia Daily Lauren Roden 'Mallee and mother inspire artist' 13th September 2011
Mildura Weekly Mia Kolpin 'Spring Into a very busy September at the Art Vault' September 2011
LOTL Queering The Canvas May Publication
Artfiles – focus story in the ArtFiles Newsletter
- 2009 Artsspectrum, <http://www.artisspectrum.com> Agora Gallery, NY
- 2008 Clao – review in Art@Rozelle featuring 'The Intuitive Journey' exhibition
- 2007 Artists Observed - Blue Mountains Artists Close Up, Text & photographs Carole Hampshire, UNSW Press 2007, <http://www.carolehampshire.com/book.htm>
- 2004 Land out of Time 'The Blue Mountains Landscape Then and Now'
Carolynne Skinner, Oz Arts Publications 2004
Regular reviews in Blue Mountains Gazette

Charitable Donations

- 2009 Blue Mountains fund raiser for the Red Cross appeal for the Victorian fires