

BRETT MCMAHON

Born Newcastle, NSW, Australia 1966

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 Baroque and beyond, Newcastle University NSW
Taman Bahagia, NKN Gallery Melbourne
- 2016 *Forest*, Curve Art Space, Newcastle NSW
- 2015 *Distillation – The art of Brett McMahon*, Newcastle Art Gallery NSW
Hidden Nature, The Lock-up, Newcastle NSW
- 2010 *Bombala Track*, Rex Irwin Gallery, Sydney
- 2009 *Sea Dog*, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney
- 2008 *Awabakal*, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney
- 2006 *Old North Road*, Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
Paintings of Industrial Newcastle, Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, Newcastle
- 2005 *Paintings of Newcastle & 100 Views of the City*, Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
- 2003 Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
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- 2000 *Shadowlands*, Sir Hermann Black Gallery, University of Sydney
- 1999 King Street Gallery on Burton, Sydney
Chapman Gallery, Canberra
Charité Saint Eutrope, Gordes, France
- 1998 King Street Gallery on Burton, Sydney
- 1997 King Street Gallery, Sydney
- 1996 Chapman Gallery, Canberra
Olsen Carr Gallery, Sydney
- 1994 Mary Place Gallery, Sydney

- 1993 Chapman Gallery, Canberra
1992 Blaxland Gallery, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 Annandale Galleries, Sydney
- 2015 *Your Collection*, Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery
- 2014 *One from none*, Newcastle Regional gallery
Blue+White, Newcastle Regional gallery
- 2013 *Being*, Verge Gallery, Sydney University
Working Newcastle, Newcastle University Gallery
Drawing . Cessnock Regional Gallery
- 2012 *Platform*, Flinders Street Gallery, Sydney
Tales From The City, Newcastle Regional Gallery
- 2010 *Paper Trail*, Newcastle Regional Gallery
Drawing Show, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2009 *Newtown Diaries*, Delmar Gallery, Sydney
Summer Exhibition, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney
- 2008 *New Acquisitions*, Newcastle Regional Gallery
- 2007 *Summer Exhibition*, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney
- 2006 *The Big Picture*, Delmar Gallery, Sydney
- 2005 *2005: The Year in Art*, SH Ervin Gallery, The National Trust, Sydney
- 2002 *Points of View*, University of Technology Art Collection, Sydney
- 2000 *Australian Landscape*, Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
Thinking Aloud ... A Drawing Show, Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
- 1998 *Defiant 6" Sculpture Exhibition*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
New 9, Sir Hermann Black Gallery, Sydney

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King Street Gallery, Sydney
- 1997 King Street Gallery on Burton, Sydney
- 1995 King Street Gallery, Sydney
University of Western Sydney
- 1995 Olsen Carr Gallery, Sydney
- 1994 Barry Stern Gallery, Sydney
- 1993 Barry Stern Gallery, Sydney
- 1992 Gallery 249, Newcastle
- 1991 Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery, New South Wales
Holdsworth Gallery, Sydney
- 1990 Jan Taylor Gallery, Sydney
Australian Drawing Survey, Holdsworth Gallery, Sydney
Watercolour Exhibition, Delmar Gallery, Sydney
Drawing Exhibition, Delmar Gallery, Sydney
- 1989 Newcastle Contemporary Gallery, Newcastle

COLLABORATIONS

- 2015 *Meanwhile / However* Brett McMahon and Rowena Foong
The Lock Up, Newcastle NSW

PUBLIC ART

- 2016 NSW State Courthouse Building, Newcastle
in conjunction with Cox Richardson Architects
and the NSW State Government

COLLECTIONS

Artbank
Allens Arthur Robinson
JP Morgan Chase

Dubbo Regional Gallery
Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery
Macquarie Bank
Newcastle Art Gallery
University of New South Wales, Sydney
University of Sydney Union Collection
University of Technology, Sydney
University of Sydney
Private and corporate collections in Australia, Europe and the USA

REVIEWS & ARTICLES

- 2017 'Master works on view' Jill Stowell Newcastle Herald

'Taman Bahagia - in conversation' Sebastien Smee NKN gallery Melbourne
- 2016 Brett McMahon, Newcastle Herald, Jill Stowell
- 2015 'Brett McMahon rides high tide' Jill Stowell Newcastle Herald

'Distillation – the art of Brett McMahon' Gina Fairley, Artshub.com.au

'2015...' Gina Fairley, Artshub.com.au

'The Afterlife of Things' Sebastian Smee Catalogue essay, Newcastle Art Gallery

'Hidden Nature – in conversation' Sebastian Smee and Brett McMahon
Catalogue essay, The Lock up contemporary art space.
- 2013 'The Peter Elliot Collection' Gavin Fry, The Beagle Press

'The Macquarie Group Collection" Julian Beaumont, UNSW Press
- 2011 Steve Meacham, 'Artist finds Nature ...' *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 11 October
- 2009 Sebastian Smee, *Sea Dog* Catalogue Essay
- 2008 Sebastian Smee, 'Forget Me Not', *The Australian*, 5 April
- 2007 Robert Kennedy, 'Salon des Refuses', *State of the Arts*, 2 April
Sebastian Smee, 'The Best ...', *The Australian*, 8 March
- 2006 Sebastian Smee, 'Out of the Abstract', *The Australian*, 6 March

Lisa Slade, 'Weekender', *The Newcastle Herald*, 11 February

Allyn Hamonet, *Sun Herald*, 22 January

- 2004 John McDonald, 'Spectrum', *The Sydney Morning Herald*, December
Sebastian Smee, *The Australian*, 9 May
John McDonald, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 7 May
Tracey Clement, Metro, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 6 May
Victoria Hynes, 'The Sydney Magazine', *The Sydney Morning Herald*, April
Elizabeth Fortescue, 'Sydney Live', *Daily Telegraph*, 14 April
Chad Watson, *Sun Herald*, 17 April
- 2003 'The Sydney Magazine', *The Sydney Magazine*, November
- 2002 Elizabeth Fortescue, 'Sydney Live', *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 23 August
- 2000 Victoria Hynes, 'Metro', *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 6 April
Sacha Molitorisz and Matt Buchanan, 'Metro', *The Sydney Morning Herald*,
2 February
- 2000 Courtney Kidd, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 4 May
- 1999 Sebastian Smee, 'The Galleries', *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 7 September
Sasha Grishin, *Canberra Times*, 21 July
'L'Australie en France', *La Provence*, France, 18 June
- 1998 Bruce James, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 10 June
Sebastian Smee, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 12 June
Bruce James, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 31 January
- 1997 Sebastian Smee, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 25 April
- 1996 Bruce James, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 15 November
Sonya Barron, *Canberra Times*, 16 August
- 1995 Sasha Grishin, *Canberra Times*, 6 November