

# AMANDA RUCK

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## Education

1984-1988 Bachelor of Art, Visual, Printmaking, Canberra School of Art, A.C.T.

## Residency

2014 Painted life size fibreglass cow over 3 days, Yarra Valley Dairy, Yering, Vic. Purchased and on display at The Yarra Valley Dairy.

2012 February artist in residence at Montsalvat, Eltham, Vic.

## International Exhibitions

2018 March/April, *Ghosts*, Brick Lane Gallery, Shoreditch, London, UK.

May/June 3 *Songs*, RossoCinabro Gallery, Rome, Italy

June/July, *Prague Cocktail*, Prague, The Czech Republic

## Australian Solo Exhibitions

2018 BOOA, Biennale of Australian Art, *Weather Patterns of my Heart*, Ballarat, Vic.  
*Weather Patterns of my Heart*, Yering Station Art Gallery, Yering, Vic.

2016 *Near Dark*, Alchemy, Maroondah HWY, Healesville  
Punt Road Cellar Door, Punt Road Winery, Coldstream, Vic.

2015 *Magic hour*, MEMO Gallery, Healesville, Vic.

2014 *The interdimensional portal of my heart*, Yering Station Art Gallery, Yering, Vic.

2013 *Waitress with Gun*, MEMO Gallery, Healesville, Vic.

2012 *LandEscape*, Art at Linden Gate, Yarra Glen, Vic.

*Montsalvat*, 28 works from Montsalvat residency, Artist's Lounge, Healesville, Vic.

2011 *If you go down to the woods today*, Wyreena Community Arts Centre, Croydon, Vic.

2010 *Quiver*, Yering Station Art Gallery, Yering, Vic.

Untitled, Medhurst Winery, Gruyere, Vic.

2009 *Cloudy*, Wyreena Community Arts Centre, Croydon, Vic.

2007 *Come Fly with me*, Yering Station Art Gallery, Yering, Vic.

2004 Untitled, Yarra Valley Arts Council Gallery, Rochford Winery, Vic.

2002 Untitled, Oakridge Estate Winery Restaurant, Yarra Valley, Vic.

2001 Untitled, Yering Station Art Gallery, Yarra Valley, Vic.

*Shimmey*, The Union Club Hotel, Fitzroy, Vic.

2000 Untitled, The Yarra Valley Pasta Shop, Healesville, Vic.

1998 *One Night Only*, The Great Britain Hotel Basement Bar, Richmond, Vic.

## Group Exhibitions

2018 The Art of Speech, MEMO Gallery, Healesville, Vic.

The Art Fair, Tarrawarra Museum of Art, Vic.

2017 Open Studios Exhibition, Memo, Healesville, Vic.

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2015 *St Michael's 2015 Art Competition*, Collins St, Melbourne, Vic.

*HelmArt*, Coombe Gallery, Melba Estate, Coldstream, Vic.

2014 *Art of Response*, Lilydale Museum, Lilydale, Vic.

*Yarra Valley Open Studios Group Exhibition*, Oakridge Estate Winery Restaurant, Yarra Valley, Vic.

2013 *30x30*, Brunswick St Galleries, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Vic.

*Group Show*, Art at Linden Gate, Yarra Glen, Vic.

*Extinction*, Three Stories, Healesville, Vic.

2012 *Memories*, MEMO Gallery, Memorial Hall, Healesville, Vic.

Untitled, The Artist's lounge, Healesville, Vic.

2011 *Castellavile Art Prize*, Highly Commended, Stones of the Yarra Valley, Vic.

2011 *BSG Small works Prize 2011*, Brunswick St Gallery, Brunswick St, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Vic.

## Group Exhibitions continued...

2011 *Emergence*, Federation Square, Melbourne, Vic.

- 2010 *Paper Scissors Rock*, Three Stories, Healesville, Vic.
- 2008 *Art Melbourne*, Exhibition Buildings, Melbourne, Vic
- 2006 *Salon de Refuse*, Monsalvat, Vic.
- 2005 *Valley Girl*, Fitzroy St Gallery, Fitzroy, Vic.
- 2003 *Summer Series* Yering Station Art Gallery, Yering, Vic
- 2002 *Art by Three*, Yering Station Art Gallery, Yering, Vic.
- 1996 *Newport Power Art Prize*, Williamstown Town Hall, Williamstown, Vic.
- 1995 *Salon Steam* Melbourne Fringe Festival, The George Ballroom, St. Kilda Vic

#### Television

- 2011 ABC news, reporting on the Archibald Prize.
- 2011 Eastern News Beat, Channel 31, 20 min. segment on current paintings.
- 1994 *Imagine* S.B.S. Arts Program, Artist's Profile.

#### Radio

- 2018 *The conversation Hour*, Yarra Valley FM, Arts Show, 99.1 FM.
- 2016 *Art Journal with Cora Zon*, Yarra Valley FM, Arts Show, 99.1 FM.
- 2015 *Art Journal with Cora Zon*, Yarra Valley FM, Arts Show, 99.1 FM.
- 2014 *Arts Show with Jade Bitar*, 99.1 FM.
- 2012 *Vox Pop with Ann Creber at TWMA Archibald prize*, Radio 3MDR, 97.1FM.
- 2011 *The Groove is on*, Janette Connell, 97.1 FM.
- 2010 *Drive*, Lindy burns, 774, ABC.
- 2009 *Drive*, Lindy burns, 774, ABC.
- 1993 *Art and About*, Arts Program, 3PBS.

#### Awards/Prizes

- 2015 Best in Show, Mount Evelyn Secondary College Exhibition, Mount Evelyn, Vic.
- 2014, 2012, 2011, 2006 Entered and unaccepted, *The Archibald Prize* and *The Wynn Prize*, Sydney, NSW.
- 2011 *Castellavile Art Prize*, Highly Commended, Stones of the Yarra Valley, Yering, Vic.
- 1987 *Inaugural Canberra International Hotel* Acquisitive Award, Second Prize, ACT.
- 1982 *Canberra Times National Art Award*, Consolation Prize, ACT.

#### Publications

- 2018 Yarra Valley Arts May Newsletter, Header Photograph of Brick Lane Gallery, London, UK.
- 2012 Mountain Views, article on Monsalvat residency.
- 2011 Lilydayle Yarra Valley Leader, colour images and article.
- 2011 Maroondah Journal, colour images and article.
- 2009 Maroondah Leader newspaper, colour images and article.
- 2009 Lilydayle Yarra Valley Leader, colour images and article.
- 2009 Maroondah Journal, colour images and article.
- 1988 Craft Australia, June edition, Colour Reproduction of Amanda Ruck screen print, Open Day Advertisement, Canberra School Of Art (now City Institute of the Arts) A.C.T.

#### Judging

- 2012 *Moroolbark Community Annual Art Show*, Moroolbark, Vic.
- 2011 Contemporary Sculptors Association, Annual Exhibition, Vere St, Melb, Vic
- 2009 *Visions at heritage '09*, Heritage Art, Sculpture and Photography Exhibition and invited artist, Chirnside Park, Vic.
- 2009 *Yarra Valley Art Show*, Balgownie Estate, Vic.

**Exhibition Coordinator** 2004- 2009, Exhibition Coordinator, Yering Station Art Gallery, and Co Exhibition Coordinator-Yering Station Sculpture Exhibition and Awards, Indoor and outdoor, Yering, Vic.