

JULIAN MEAGHER

1978 Born in Sydney, Australia
1997 Julian Ashton Art School, Sydney, Australia
2000 Portrait Painting, Charles H Cecil Studios, Florence, Italy
2003 Bachelor of Medicine/Bachelor of Surgery, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia

Currently lives and works in Sydney, Australia

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025 The Sea is in the Sky, Ames Yavuz, Sydney, Australia
2024 Triple Rainbow, Mudgee Arts Precinct, Mudgee, NSW, Australia
2023 Breaking Sky Double Rainbow, Ames Yavuz, Sydney, Australia
The Green Ray, Goulburn Regional Art Gallery, Goulburn, NSW, Australia
2021 The Small Hours, Ames Yavuz, Sydney, Australia
2020 Sleepwalking, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
2019 The Space Between Here and There, Ames Yavuz, Singapore
2018 Tidelines, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
Inlet/Outlet, Olsen Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Inlet/Outlet, Bega Valley Regional Gallery, Bega, NSW, Australia
2017 There is hope to the last flower, Olsen Gallery, Sydney, Australia
2016 Everybody talks in their sleep, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
2015 Alone in the Sun, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
Drinking with the other Sun, Olsen Irwin Gallery, Sydney, Australia
2014 The Sky Still Breaks, Merry Karnowsky Gallery, Los Angeles, United States
2013 The Space Between Clouds and Mud, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
2021 Pressure Makes Diamonds, Aratong Galleries and the Australian High Commission Singapore, Singapore
As a Matter of Fact, 52 Tins flight QFI, Art Vault, Mildura, VIC, Australia
2011 Blue Ribbon, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia
The King Of Good Times, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
From Where You'd Rather Be, Ecosse Gallery, Exeter, NSW, Australia
Strong men also cry, Lindberg Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
2010 Small Heroes, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Portable Shrines, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
2009 Mikoshi, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne, Australia Inks in Oil, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia
2008 The best gesture of my brain, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Scrub Series, Upstairs Flinders Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
2007 Integument, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia

- 2006 Scanning, SNMI 06, Jamshedpur, India
Dissections, Depot II Gallery, Dank Street, Sydney, Australia
- 2003 Sketches from India, New York & Jupiter, Knot Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2002 Double Exposure Oils on X Ray, Pavillion Gallery, Sydney, Australia

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 New South, Hazelhurst Arts Centre, Sydney, Australia
- 2022 Blue Islands, Byron School of Art, Byron Bay, Australia
- 2018 5 x 5 The Artist and The Patron, Penrith Regional Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2013 Fhloston Paradise, Merry Karnowsky Gallery, Los Angeles, United States
- 2012 New Collectors, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
- 2011 Lust, Brenda May Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Wattle, Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong
- 2010 Tatau, BMGART, Adelaide, Australia
Group show, Aratong Galleries, Singapore
- 2009 Christmas Show, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane, Australia
Australia Council for the Arts Group Show / Artbank, Sydney, Australia
The Horn of Plenty, Para Site, Hong Kong
Inks, Concord Library, City of Canada Bay Sydney, Australia
Smoking Guns, The Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong
- 2008 Chalk Reindeer, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia
My Body, My Business, At The Vanishing Point Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2007 Chalk Reindeer, Chalk Horse Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Australia Council of the Arts Window Box Show, Sydney, Australia
New Artists Collective Exhibition, McCulloch Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
Cross Sections II Collector's Choice, Rex-Livingston Gallery, Sydney, Australia

GRANTS AND RESIDENCIES

- 2012 Australia Council New Work Early Career Grant
- 2008 Australia Council Emerging Artist New Work Development Grant

AWARDS

- 2024 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery NSW, Sydney, Australia
- 2016 The Gold Award, Rockhampton Art Gallery, Rockhampton, QLD, Australia
Finalist, Shirley Hannon Portrait Prize, Bega Valley Regional Gallery, Bega, NSW, Australia
- 2015 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery NSW, Sydney, Australia
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery NSW, Sydney, Australia
- 2014 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery NSW, Sydney, Australia

- 2013 2013 Finalist, Mosman Art Prize, Sydney, Australia
- 2012 Finalist, Doug Moran Portrait Prize, Australia
Finalist, Metro Art Prize, Melbourne, Australia
Finalist, Salon Des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2011 Finalist, Metro Art Prize, Melbourne, Australia
- 2010 Finalist, Black Swan Prize for Portraiture, Perth, Australia
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Finalist, Salon Des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2009 Finalist, Royal Bank of Scotland Emerging Artist Award, Sydney, Australia
Finalist, Blake Prize for Religious Art, NAS Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Finalist, Metro 5 Art Award, Melbourne, Australia
Finalist, Doug Moran Portrait Prize, Australia
Finalist, Salon Des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2003 Finalist, Salon Des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2002 Finalist, Salon Des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, Australia

COLLECTIONS

Artbank, Australia
Australian War Memorial, Canberra, Australia
Sydney University, Sydney, Australia
St Vincent's Private Hospital, Sydney, Australia