

# VINCENT NAMATJIRA

1983      Born in Mparntwe (Alice Springs), Northern Territory, Australia

Currently lives and works in Indulkana on Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara (APY) Lands, Australia

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025      *King Dingo*, Ames Yavuz, London, United Kingdom
- 2024      *King Dingo*, Ames Yavuz, Sydney, Australia  
*Australia in colour*, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, Australia  
*Indigenous All Stars: National Gallery of Australia façade commission*,  
Enlighten Festival, The National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, Australia
- 2023      *Australia in colour*, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia  
*Desert Songs*, Ames Yavuz Gallery, Sydney, Australia
- 2022      *Going Out Bush by Vincent Namatjira*, Art Gallery of South  
Australia, Adelaide, Australia
- 2020      *The Royal Tour*, This Is No Fantasy, Melbourne, Australia
- 2019      *Coming To America*, This Is No Fantasy, Melbourne, Australia
- 2018      *Positions*, presented by This Is No Fantasy at Art Basel Miami Beach,  
Florida, USA *Legends & The Richest*, This Is No Fantasy, Melbourne,  
2016      Australia
- 2013      *Vincent Namatjira*, This Is No Fantasy, Melbourne, Australia  
*Vincent Namatjira*, Marshall Arts, Adelaide, Australia

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024      *Medieval to Metal*, Art Gallery of Ballarat, Australia  
*Guwayu: for all time*, Mudgee Arts Precinct, Australia
- 2023      *CrownLand*, Maitland Regional Art Gallery, Australia  
*Australiana: Designing a Nation*, Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria, Australia
- 2022      *The Cost of Living*, The Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth, Australia  
*Iwantja Rock n Roll*, Fort Gansevoort, New York, USA  
*Superpowered*, Queensland Art Gallery | Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane,  
Australia  
*WHO ARE YOU: Australian Portraiture*, The Ian Potter Centre, National  
Gallery of Victoria, Australia
- 2021      *Spirits, Popstars, and Royals* (online), Fort Gansevoort, New York, USA
- 2020      *Eight Days in Kamay*, State Library of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- 2019      *Celebrating Culture: Contemporary Indigenous Art*, Glen Eira Gallery,  
Melbourne, Australia
- 2018      *The 9th Australia Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art*, Queensland Art  
Gallery of Modern Art, Queensland, Australia  
*Weapons for the Soldier*, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gympie, Australia

- A Lightness of Spirit is the Measure of Happiness*, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne, Australia
- TarraWarra Biennial: Endless Circulation*, TarraWarra Museum of Art, Victoria, Australia
- 2016 *Nganampa Kilipil: Our Stars*, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, New South Wales, Australia
- Indigenous Australia: Enduring Civilisation*, British Museum, London, United Kingdom
- 2015 *Tarnanthi Festival of Contemporary Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Art*, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia
- 10th Mildura Palimpsest Biennale*, Mildura, Victoria, Australia
- Rising Stars, Outstation*, Darwin, Australia
- Desert Mob*, Alice Springs, Australia
- Alberts Story*, Marshall Arts, Adelaide, Australia
- 2014 *Desert Mob*, Alice Springs, Northern Territory, Australia
- On Behalf of Marshall Arts*, Adelaide Airport, Adelaide, Australia
- Aboriginal Art from the Eastern APY Lands*, Kelch Gallery, Freiburg, Germany
- Desert Mob*, Alice Springs, Australia
- 2013 *Iwantja Paintings*, Japingka Gallery, Perth, Australia
- APY Lands Survey Exhibition*, Outstation, Darwin, Australia
- Our Mob*, Anita Chan Lai Ling Gallery, Hong Kong
- Art Mob*, Hobart, Tasmania, Australia
- Vincent Namatjira*, Marshall Arts, Adelaide, Australia
- Salon des Refuse*, Outstation Gallery, Darwin, Australia
- Mossenson Gallery*, Melbourne, Australia
- Iwantja Arts*, Mossenson Gallery, Perth, Australia
- 2012 *Raft Artspace*, Alice Springs, Northern Territory, Australia
- 2011

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2024 Finalist, The Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- 2022 Finalist, Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, Sydney, Australia Sidney Myer Creative Fellowships, Melbourne, Australia
- Finalist, The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- Finalist, Sir John Sulman Prize, Sydney, Australia
- 2021 Recipient, Circular Quay Foyer Wall Commission, Museum of Contemporary Art Australia, Sydney, Australia
- 2020 Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM)
- Winner, The Archibald Prize, Sydney, Australia
- 2019 Winner, The Ramsay Art Prize, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia
- Finalist, The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia

- Highly Commended, The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- 2018 Finalist, The Alice Art Prize, Alice Springs, Australia  
Finalist, The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- 2017 Finalist, The Ramsay Art Prize, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia  
Finalist, Telstra National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Awards, Northern Territory, Australia  
Invited entrant, Q Museum National Self Portrait Prize, UQ Art Museum, Queensland, Australia  
Finalist, Telstra National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Awards, Northern Territory, Australia
- 2016 Finalist, John Fries Memorial Prize, Sydney, Australia  
Finalist, Western Australian Indigenous Art Award, Perth, Australia
- 2015 Finalist, Telstra National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Awards, Northern Territory, Australia
- 2014 Finalist, Alice Art Prize, Alice Springs, Australia  
Finalist, Outback Art Award, Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery, Broken Hill Australia
- 2013 Finalist, John Fries Memorial Prize, Australia  
Finalist, Telstra National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Awards, Northern Territory, Australia

## PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia  
Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia  
Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth, Australia  
Artbank, Sydney, Australia  
Berndt Museum, University of Western Australia, Crawley, Australia  
British Museum, London, United Kingdom  
Flinders University Art Museum, Bedford Park, Australia  
National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, Australia  
National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, Australia  
Queensland Art Gallery/Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane, Australia