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ARTIST STATEMENT

“Layers of memories, drawings & textures inform my art practice. I’m fortunate to live near the coast & I continue to explore it each day. My local environment is the stimulant for a variety of media including painting, drawing, environmental sculpture, printmaking, craft, teaching & mentoring.”

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS	
SOLO	GROUP
“Recent Works” Jubilee Gallery Mackay 2017 “Marking Time” Gallery 48 The Strand Townsville 2017 “Lunaverse” Art, Poetry, Music in a Yoga studio – Anywhere Festival 2017 “Recent Work” Mill Gallery Yeppoon 2012 “Shell Shock” Umbrella Studio Townsville 2011 “Who Minds the Shells” Coalface Gallery Moranbah 2011 “Who Minds the Shells” Artspace Mackay 2010 “Noughts & Crosses” Barossa Regional Gallery 2008 “Noughts & Crosses” Arthouse Mackay 2007 “Sinistra” Gargett Gallery 2006 “Letters of Intent” Whitsunday Anglican School 2005	“Fiji Greenhouse” – CQU Gallery, Mackay 2017 “Colours of the Coral” – Museum of Tropical North Queensland 2014 “Libris Awards” Artspace Mackay 2013 “Looking Forward Looking Back” Artspace Mackay 2012 “Printbank” Artspace Mackay 2010 “Libris Awards” Artspace Mackay 2010 “Libris Awards” Artspace Mackay 2008 “Flying Arts Brisbane” Metro Arts Brisbane 2007 “Flying Arts Regional” Rockhampton Regional Gallery 2007 “Compact Prints” Umbrella Studio Townsville 2006 “Flying Arts Regional” Pinnacles Gallery Thuringowa 2006 “Habitat Habitat – Great!walks Art & Environment” Artspace Mackay 2005 “The River” Artspace Mackay 2004 “Flying Arts INK” Tour selected galleries QLD, NSW, NT 2000/2002

NOTABLE SELECTIONS	
ART AWARDS	PUBLIC ART
Pioneer Valley Arts Open 2016 Mackay Art Society, First Prize Works on Paper 2016 Mackay Art Society, First Prize Landscape/Seascape 2013 Sarina Scope, First Prize Open 2012 Mackay Entertainment & Convention Centre, Inaugural Winner Postcard Prize 2009 Mackay Art Society, Contemporary Prize 2009 Mackay Art on Show, First Prize Works on Paper 2008 Mackay Art on Show, First Prize Local Artist 2007 Cloncurry Arts Council, BHP Cannington Drawing Award 2003 Sugartime Art Exhibition, Print Award 2002 Pioneer Valley Arts Inc, Winner Open 2002 Sarina Visual Arts, Contemporary Figurative Award 2002 Barcaldine Arts, SAS Strategic Award 2001	“Lunaverse” Installation 2017 Anywhere Festival Installation, Wave Harp, Strand Ephemera 2015, collaboration with Jenni Hanna, Neil Brookes. Mural, Time Lapse, Mackay Entertainment Centre 2014 Mural on Ceiling, Wartime Aircraft, collaboration with Jenni Hanna, RSL Finch Hatton Sub Branch 2014 Mural, Underground Miners, Jennmar Australia Pty Ltd Mackay 2008 Shadow Puppets, Design & Performance Assistant, River Rock to Mountain Top Festival 2008 Pole Painting Project, Pioneer Valley Arts 2004 Mural Project, Gargett State School 2004 Pole Painting Project, Mackay City Heart 2002

COMMUNITY-BASED INVOLVEMENT

Visual Arts Advisory Committee, Mackay Regional Council, member 2013-2018
Artspace Mackay, Volunteer 2004/18
River Rock to Mountain Top Festival, Arts Trail Participant 2013
Gargett Gallery Director, Artist in Residence 2004-2012
River Rock to Mountain Top Festival, Piano with Attitude Project Manager 2010
Flying Arts Inc, Regional Rep 2004/10
Mackay Festival of Arts, Divine Kitchen Drawing Class 2009
Mackay Regional Council, Rural Affairs Advisory Committee Delegate 2008/09
Abaf Arts & Business, Committee Member 2008/09
River Rock to Mountain Top Festival, Assistant Processional Puppets Project 2008/09
Middlemount Arts Council, Residency, Coalfields to Coast Festival 2007
Mirani Shire Council, Australia Day Cultural Award 2003
Mirani Rotary Club, Vocational Service Award 1998
Pioneer Valley Tourism & Development – Community Service Award 1997