

Andrew Baines

Statement

I'm here for a purpose, I will have wasted my life if I haven't pursued my passion. I pray the universe gives me the time and the mind to accomplish all my dreams"

Solo Exhibitions:

Over 40 in Australia Switzerland & Singapore

Group exhibitions:

Through out Australia, London, Devon, Manchester UK, Hong Kong, Singapore, Montreal, Ontario Canada, California, Florida USA, Perthshire, St Andrews Scotland, Lausanne Switzerland, Lisbon Portugal & Brussels Belgium

Commissions:

United Nations Association of Australia (Envelope art)

Book cover art for Life Saving in S.A

Magazine cover art for Dialogue UK

Wirra Wirra Vineyard S.A

ABC Classics: CD cover

Book cover art for "I met god in Bermuda" QLD

The ACH Group SA

Common Ground SA

CD Cover art for Bet Bet, Lithuanian Pop/rock band

Publications:

European Encyclopedia of Surrealism Lexikon der surrealisten (Gerhard Habarta)

Portuguese Art Book International Surrealism Now (Santiago Ribeiro)

Museum of My Mind (Brolga Publishing)

Collections:

Australian Embassy Rome Italy

ANZ Bank Singapore

Advertiser Newspapers SA

ACH group SA

Government House SA

Holstein Australia VIC

SA Dept. for Emergency Services SA

Smorgan Collection VIC

StHildas Anglican Girl's School Mosman WA

StAloysius College Adelaide SA

Nichi Engineering Malaysia

United Nations Association of Australia Canberra ACT

University of SA - Roseworthy College

Wirra Wirra Winery SA

Art Prizes & Entries including:

- 2016 Finalist Kennedy Art Prize SA
- 2015 Finalist RSASA Portrait Prize SA
- 2013 Finalist Doug Moran National Portrait Prize NSW
- 2012 Finalist Mortimer Art prize for Surrealism
- 2011 Finalist Nora Heysen Art prize for Still Life SA
- 2009 Finalist Whyalla Art Prize SA
Finalist Maritime Art Prize VIC
- 2008 Finalist Corangmarah Art Prize VIC
Finalist Fleurieu Biennale Vistas Prize SA
- 2007 Finalist Waterhouse Natural History Art Prize SA
Finalist Whyalla Art Prize SA
- 2006 Finalist Doug Moran National Portrait Prize NSW
Finalist Fleurieu Biennale Art Prize for Water SA
Finalist Waterhouse Natural History Art Prize SA
Finalist Adelaide Fringe poster Competition
- 2005 Finalist Spirit of the Outback Art Prize QLD
Finalist Heysen Prize for Landscape SA
Winner Adelaide Cathedral Art Prize observation of Human Behaviour SA
- 2004 Finalist Doug Moran National Portrait Prize NSW
Finalist Fleurieu Biennial Art Prize for Australian Landscape SA
Finalist Waterhouse Natural History Art Prize SA
Finalist Grey Mast Art Prize SA
Highly commended Cromwell Art Prize NSW

Surreal installations:

Since 2005, Andrew has created over a two dozen surreal Installations on Australian beaches via collaborations with Hills Hoists, The United Nations organisation of Australia, The West Australian and Adelaide Symphony orchestras, LWD Company, Holstein Australia, the WA state Gallery, Anglicare, FMC Foundation & Wirra Wirra Vineyards with volunteers including Malcolm Turnbull, Colin Barnett, Alexander Downer, Lady Hardy, Sir Eric & Lady Neal, Amanda Vanstone etc...

Recent career update:

Award for inspired contribution to the United Nations Association Australia

Judge of the 2016 Walkerville Art Prize

Included in a Portuguese book of surrealist art entitled "International Surrealism Now"

Collaborated with Holstein Australia to put a herd of dairy cows in the sea in Geelong Victoria, The event received international media coverage. Andrew was featured on American TV program USA Today, where he was described as "Australia's Salvador Dali"

Recent exhibitions in London UK, Lisbon Portugal & Brussels Belgium

Commissioned by the United Nations Association of Australia To create a painting to be used on official UN envelopes to celebrate the UN's 70th Birthday

Has written and produced his first short film entitled "Escape of the Corporate Battery Hen"

Brolga Publishing published & distributed internationally Andrew's first book entitled

'Muesum of my Mind' A collection of Andrew's photo, paintings & quotes