

# HOBIE PORTER

*Born 1976, Sydney, Australia*

## EDUCATION

- 2002 Graduate Diploma of Education, Southern Cross University, Lismore, NSW  
1999 Contemporary Arts (Honours), Southern Cross University, Lismore, NSW  
1998 Bachelor of Arts (Visual Arts), Southern Cross University, Lismore and Pratt Institute, New York, USA

## AWARDS, GRANTS & RESIDENCIES

- 2025 King's School Art Prize, The King's School, Sydney, NSW, Winner, The Boy's Prize  
2018 Artist Residency, Bundaberg Regional Art Gallery, Bundaberg, QLD  
2011 Countryscapes Art Prize, Bathurst, NSW, Highly Commended  
2006 Brett Whiteley Travelling Art Scholarship, Brett Whiteley Studio, Sydney, NSW, Finalist  
Border Art Prize, Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW, Second Place  
Conrad Jupiters Art Award, Gold Coast City Arts Centre, Gold Coast, QLD  
1997 Australia Day South Arm Citizen of the Year for Youth Award, Australia Council  
1996 Community Printmakers Murwillumbah Student Encouragement Award, Murwillumbah, NSW  
Southern Cross University Vice Chancellor's Travel Grant, Student Exchange to Pratt Institute, New York, USA  
1994 Henry Lawson Tertiary Study Scholarship

## SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 'Mountain Shadow', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
'Mountain Shadow', Art Post Uki Gallery, Uki, NSW  
2019 'Sydney: A Saltwater Perspective', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2018 'Hobie Porter, The Last Decade', Bundaberg Regional Art Gallery, Bundaberg, QLD  
'Unnatural History : The Tower Hill Project', Lismore Regional Gallery, Lismore, NSW  
2016 'Unnatural History : The Tower Hill Project', Warrnambool Art Gallery, Warrnambool, VIC and Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2014 'Nature's Redesign', Mossgreen Gallery, Melbourne, VIC  
'Burnshine', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2012 'Continuum', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW 2011 'Full Circle', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
'Pressing Currents', Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW  
2009 'Dry Rain', Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW and Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2008 'Suspension', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2007 'Exodus', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2006 'Hobie Porter - New Work', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2005 'Urgent Calm', Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 'Summer House', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2024 '30 Years of Arthouse Gallery', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2023 'Present Tense', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
'Paper and Clay', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2022 'Wanderlust', Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, VIC  
2020 'Summer', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2019 'Love', Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW  
'Reflections of a Fading Sky', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2018 'Three Decades', Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW  
'Summer Salon', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2017 'The North Head Project', Manly Art Gallery & Museum, Sydney, NSW  
'Works on Paper', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2015 'Assemble | Disassemble: Earth. Wind. Fire. Water. Heart.', Caboolture Regional Gallery, Sunshine Coast, QLD  
'Unfolding Splendour', Arthouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW

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2014	'Mossgreen Group Show', Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne, VIC
2012	'Arthouse Gallery Group Show', Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne, VIC
2011	'The New Arcadia', Lismore Regional Art Gallery, Lismore, NSW
2010	'Rivers of Life', Northern Rivers Community Gallery, Ballina, NSW
2009	'Exquisite: Small Landscapes', Gold Coast City Art Gallery, Surfers Paradise, QLD
2008	'Wish You Were Here', Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW
2007	'Arthouse Gallery Group Show', Sydney Art Fair, Sydney, NSW
2006	'Relationships Australia', Lismore Regional Gallery, Lismore, NSW

## SELECTED COLLECTIONS

Manly Art Gallery & Museum, NSW  
Bundaberg Regional Art Gallery, QLD  
Warrnambool Art Gallery, VIC  
Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Art Centre, NSW  
Park Road Group, Brisbane, QLD  
Tweed Shire Council, NSW

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E.Walsh, 'Sydney: A Saltwater Perspective', Catalogue Essay, 2019  
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R.Pullin, 'Unnatural History : The Tower Hill Project', Catalogue Essay, 2015  
S.Huda, 'Nature's Redesign', Catalogue Essay, 2014  
'Hobie Porter Process', Artist Profile, Issue 28, 2014  
S.Grishin, 'Horizon: A Contemporary Perspective on the Australian Landscape & Environment', Catalogue Essay, 2014  
R.Brewster, 'Australian Artist, a True Nature Lover', Australian Auction Review, 2014  
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