

# Adam Pyett

BIOGRAPHY	1973	Born in Melbourne, Victoria
EDUCATION	1994	Bachelor of Fine Art (Painting), Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne
SOLO EXHIBITIONS	2025	<i>Recent paintings</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	2024	<i>New Paintings</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	2023	<i>Recent paintings</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	2022	<i>New Paintings</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	2021	<i>New Paintings</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	2020	<i>Recent paintings</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	2019	<i>New Paintings</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	2018	<i>Recent Works</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	2017	<i>Adam Pyett – Still life painting</i> , Geelong Gallery, Victoria <i>New paintings</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	2015	<i>From Another Room</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	2013	<i>Small Change</i> , Neospace, Melbourne
	2011	<i>Darkness and Light Alike</i> , Block Projects, Melbourne
	2009	<i>Night Divides the Day</i> , Block Projects, Melbourne
	2008	<i>Not Fade Away</i> , Seventh Gallery, Melbourne
	2007	<i>In Bloom</i> , Alluvial Gallery, Bendigo <i>The Shades</i> , Seventh Gallery, Melbourne
	2006	<i>Through a Glass</i> , Darkly, Seventh Gallery, Melbourne
	2005	<i>Still Life</i> , Seventh Gallery, Melbourne
	2004	<i>Recent Paintings</i> , Spencer Gallery, Melbourne
	1999	<i>Recent Paintings</i> , Smyrnios Gallery, Melbourne
GROUP EXHIBITIONS	2026	<i>Bayside Painting Prize</i> (forthcoming), Bayside Gallery, Melbourne
	2025	<i>Painting life: Margaret Olley and works from the collection</i> , Tweed Regional Gallery, Murwillumbah NSW
	2023	<i>Australiana: Designing a Nation</i> , Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria
	2022	<i>Len Fox Painting Prize</i> , Castlemaine Art Museum, Victoria
	2021	<i>Group show</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (CONT)	2020	<i>Margaret's House</i> , Tweed Regional Gallery, Murwillumbah NSW John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Victoria	
	2018	John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Victoria <i>Imagine</i> , Gippsland Art Gallery, Victoria	
	2017	<i>Romancing the skull</i> , Art Gallery of Ballarat, Victoria Sophie Gannon Gallery, Sydney Contemporary, Sydney	
	2016	<i>Visiting Painting</i> , Horsham Regional Art Gallery, Victoria	
	2015	<i>Painting. More Painting</i> , Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne <i>Fair Go</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne <i>Geelong Contemporary Art Prize</i> , Geelong Gallery, Victoria	
	2014	<i>Geelong Contemporary Art Prize</i> , Geelong Gallery, Victoria Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne <i>Still Life</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne <i>Black Beauty</i> , Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne <i>Rockem Sockem</i> , St Heliers Street Gallery, Melbourne	
	2012	<i>Waterhouse Natural Science Art Prize</i> , South Australian Museum, Adelaide <i>R &amp; M McGivern Prize</i> , Maroondah Art Gallery, Melbourne	
	2011	<i>The Rest is Silence</i> , Death Be Kind, Melbourne	
	2010	<i>Fletcher Jones Art Prize</i> , Geelong Gallery, Victoria <i>The Naked Face, Self-Portraits</i> , National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne	
	2009	<i>Heads</i> , Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney	
	2008	<i>Group Show</i> , Block Projects, Melbourne <i>Look! New Perspectives on the Contemporary Collection</i> , National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne <i>The Ecologies Project</i> , Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne <i>Rimbaud/Rambo</i> , Neon Parc, Melbourne <i>Fletcher Jones Art Prize</i> , Geelong Gallery, Victoria	
	2007	<i>Elsewhere</i> , Nellie Castan Gallery, Melbourne <i>Materiality</i> , Monash University Art Gallery, Melbourne	
	2006	<i>Fletcher Jones Art Prize</i> , Geelong Gallery, Victoria	
	AWARDS & RESIDENCIES	2026	Finalist, Bayside Painting Prize, Bayside Gallery, Melbourne
		2022	Finalist, Len Fox Painting Prize, Castlemaine Art Museum, Victoria
		2020	Finalist, John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Victoria
		2018	Finalist, John Leslie Art Prize, Gippsland Art Gallery, Victoria
2016		Finalist, Geelong Contemporary Art Prize, Geelong Gallery, Victoria	

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	2012	Second Prize, Waterhouse Natural Science Art Prize, South Australian Museum, Adelaide  Finalist, R & M McGivern Prize, Maroondah Art Gallery, Melbourne
	1998	Winner, Victorian Tapestry Workshop Small Tapestries Prize, Victorian Tapestry Workshop, Melbourne
PUBLICATIONS	2025	Stéphanie Portal, <i>Pratique des Arts Magazine</i> , France
	2018	Bridget Macleod, <i>Adam Pyett, Artist Profile</i> , June/August
	2017	Lisa Sullivan, <i>Exhibition Catalogue for Adam Pyett – Still life painting</i> , Geelong Gallery
		Lauren Muscat, <i>Still life painting</i> ; Adam Pyett's solo survey exhibition, <i>Forté Magazine</i> , 17 June
	2015	Natalie Walton, <i>Artist Adam Pyett</i> , <i>Daily Imprint</i> , 25 September
	2011	Dan Rule, <i>The Age</i>
	2009	Simon Plant, <i>Herald Sun</i>
	2008	Frances Johnson, <i>The Age</i>
		Geraldine Barlow & Kyla McFarlane, <i>The Ecologies Project</i> , Melbourne, Monash University Museum of Art
	2007	Din Heagney (ed.), <i>Making Space: Artist-run initiatives in Victoria</i> , VIA-N
		Frances Johnson, <i>The Age</i>
		Beth Watson, <i>The Bendigo Advertiser</i>
	2005	Megan Backhouse, <i>The Age</i>
Penny Webb, <i>The Age</i>		
2000	Sue Walker (ed.), <i>Modern Australian Tapestries from the Victorian Tapestry Workshop</i> , Melbourne, Victorian Tapestry Workshop	
COLLECTIONS		Artbank
		Art Gallery of Ballarat, VIC
		Bendigo Art Gallery, VIC
		Flinders Collection, Melbourne
		Geelong Art Gallery, VIC
		Joyce Nissan Collection, Melbourne
		Macquarie Bank Collection, Sydney
		McClelland Gallery and Sculpture Park, VIC
		Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne
		National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne

COLLECTIONS (CONT)

Tweed Regional Gallery, NSW

Private collections nationally and internationally