

Lucy Culliton

BIOGRAPHY	1966	Born in Sydney
EDUCATION	1996	Diploma of Painting, National Art School, Sydney
SOLO EXHIBITIONS	2025 - 2026	<i>Close to home</i> , SECCA, Bega NSW <i>The show</i> , Maitland Regional Gallery, Maitland NSW
	2025	<i>Ekka</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	2024	<i>The Easter Show</i> , King Street Gallery, Sydney
	2023	<i>Home grown</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
	2022	<i>Cambalong Creek</i> , King Street Gallery on William, Sydney
	2020	<i>Stay warm, be cool</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane <i>Bibbenluke Spring</i> , Beaver Galleries, Canberra
	2019	<i>Bibbenluke Botanicals</i> , King Street Gallery on William, Sydney
	2018	<i>Melbourne Art Fair</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Melbourne <i>Caution Wet Paint</i> , New England Regional Art Museum (NERAM), NSW
	2017	<i>Bibbenluke Menagerie</i> , Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane <i>Residents of Bibbenluke Lodge</i> , King Street Gallery on William, Sydney <i>Our Animals</i> , Tamworth Regional Gallery, Tamworth NSW
	2016	<i>Our Animals</i> , Beaver Galleries, Canberra
	2014	<i>Eye of the Beholder: The Art of Lucy Culliton</i> , Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney <i>Weeds of the Monaro & Others</i> , The Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2012	<i>Bibbenluke Flowers</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2011	<i>Home</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2008	<i>Stuff</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2007	<i>The Show (domestic science)</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2005	<i>Tuscon Paintings</i> , The Palm House, Botanic Gardens, Sydney
	2004	<i>Cactus</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2002	<i>Hartley landscapes</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2000	<i>Food Paintings</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	1999	<i>Farm Paintings</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney <i>Paintings</i> , Level Gallery, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 *Sulman Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Where do I belong (forthcoming), Logan Art Gallery, Logan QLD
- 2025 -
2026 *A Nest in the Hills: The Symbiosis of Women and Birds in Contemporary Australian Art*, Mudgee Arts Precinct, Mudgee NSW
Garden Variety, Manly Art Gallery & Museum, Sydney
- 2025 *Wynne Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Collecting the Future: 50 years of the Griffith University Art Collection, Griffith University Art Museum, Brisbane
- 2024 -
2025 *Summer*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- 2024 *Still life*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Shirley Hannan Portrait Award, SECCA, Bega NSW
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- 2023 *Wynne Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2022 *Teapots and Hounds – Lucy Culliton + Kiata Mason*, Manning Regional Art Gallery, NSW
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2021 *Group show*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Outback Regional Gallery Collection Exhibition, Waltzing Matilda Art Centre, Winton QLD
- 2020 *Archibald Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2018 *Shirley Hannan National Portrait Award*, Bega Valley Regional Gallery, Bega NSW
- 2017 *Archibald Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Artist Profile: Australasian Painters 2007 – 2017, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2016 *Jan Murphy Gallery, Spring 1883 Art Fair*, Melbourne
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
The Popular Pet Show, National Portrait Gallery, Canberra
- 2013 *Three Australian Landscapes*, The Hughes Gallery, Sydney
Life's a beach, The Hughes Gallery,
Paper Trail, The Hughes Gallery,

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (CONT)	2013	<i>Wynne Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2012	<i>Fresh from the Studio</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2011	<i>Archibald Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2010	<i>Sulman Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2009	<i>Wynne Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney <i>Three Australian Landscapes</i> , The Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2008	<i>On the Heysen Trail</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney <i>Wynne Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney <i>Salon de Refuses</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
	2007	<i>Cuisine and Country</i> , Orange Regional Gallery, Orange NSW <i>Archibald Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney <i>Sulman Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2006	<i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney <i>Nowa Nowa Nudes Art Show</i> , Nowa Nowa Hall, Sydney <i>Dubbo Lexus Mortimore Art Prize</i> , Dubbo Indoors Gallery, Dubbo NSW
	2005	<i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
	2004	<i>Kedumba Drawing Prize</i> , NSW
	2003	<i>Dobell Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney <i>Archibald Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2002	<i>Australian Women Artists 1920-2000</i> , Vanessa Wood Fine Art, Sydney <i>Gallery Artists</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	2001	<i>Sulman Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney <i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney <i>Mosman Art Prize</i> , Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney <i>Redlands Art Prize</i> , Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
	2000	<i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney <i>Mosman Art Prize</i> , Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney <i>Australian Landscapes</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney <i>Thinking Aloud...a drawing show</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
	1999	<i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney <i>Group show</i> , Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney <i>Conrad Jupiters Art Prize</i> , Gold Coast Art Centre, Gold Coast QLD
	1998	<i>Gallery Fundraiser</i> , Herringbone Gallery, Sydney <i>Dog Show</i> , First Gallery, Sydney <i>Crickart</i> , Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (CONT)	1997	<i>Diptych</i> , Level Gallery, Sydney
		<i>Crickart</i> , Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney
		<i>Lucy Culliton & Lorna Gear</i> , Level Gallery, Sydney
		<i>Crickart</i> , Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney
		<i>Triptych</i> , Level Gallery, Sydney
AWARDS & RESIDENCIES	2026	Winner, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2024	Finalist, Shirley Hannan Portrait Award, SECCA, Bega NSW
		Winner (People's Choice), Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
	2023	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2022	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2021	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2020	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2018	Finalist, Shirley Hannan National Portrait Award, Bega Valley Regional Gallery, Bega NSW
	2017	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2016	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2013	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2011	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2010	Finalist, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2009	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
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2007	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	
	Finalist, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	
2006	Winner, Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney	
	Winner, Dubbo Lexus Mortimore Art Prize, Dubbo Indoors Gallery, Dubbo NSW	
	Winner, Nowa Nowa Nudes Art Show, Nowa Nowa Hall, Sydney	
2005	Finalist, Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney	
2004	Winner, Kedumba Drawing Prize, Kedumba NSW	
2003	Finalist, Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	
	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	

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- 2001 Finalist, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Finalist, Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Finalist, Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- Finalist, Redlands Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- 2000 Finalist, Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Winner, Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- 1999 Winner, Conrad Jupiters Art Prize, Gold Coast Art Centre,
- Highly commended, Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney

PUBLICATIONS

- 2025 Lizzy Galloway, *A Nest in the Hills: The Symbiosis of Women and Birds in Contemporary Australian Art* [ex cat.], Mudgee Arts Precinct
- Phil Brown, *Ekka art: All the fun of the fair*, InDaily (online), 6 August
- 2022 Nigel Featherstone, *The idea of breathing: on being an artist in regional Australia*, The Guardian Australia (online), 10 April
- 2021 Amber Creswell Bell, *Still Life*, Thames & Hudson
- 2019 Caroline Baum, *Lucy Culliton: the celebrated artist who paints to feed her animals*, Sydney Morning Herald, 30 August
- 2018 Amber Creswell Bell, *A Painted Landscape*, Thames & Hudson
- Lucy Culliton selected as a finalist in the Shirley Hannan National Portrait Award*, Bombala Times, 23 October
- Helen McKenzie, *What Now?: Lucy Culliton*, *Art Collector* (Melbourne Art Fair 2018 Special Edition), August
- Elle Murrell, *The Must-See Exhibits at Melbourne Art Fair 2018*, The Design Files, 16 July
- 2017 Ashley Crawford, *Lucy Culliton: Bibbenluke Menagerie*, *Art Collector*, October/December
- Fiona Purdon, *Everyday heroes*, Brisbane News, 4 October
- John McDonald, *Archibald Prize 2017 at the Art Gallery of NSW: farewell to men in suits*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 26 July
- Elizabeth Fortescue, *Archibald folk hero Steve Peters has returned for a final brush with fame*, The Daily Telegraph, 8 July
- Briony Downes, *From Little Things Big Things Grow*, Art Guide Australia, 13 April
- 2016 Dr. Sarah Engledow, *The Popular Pet Show* [ex cat.], National Portrait Gallery
- John McDonald, *Archibald Prize review: self portraits of artists crowd out stars*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 16 July
- Christopher Allen, *Archibald Prize: oversized visions blur complexities of form*, The Australian, 8 July
- 2015 Elizabeth Fortescue, *Artist Lucy Culliton finds love for objects in her art*, The Daily Telegraph, 6 August

PUBLICATIONS (CONT)

- 2014 Katrina Cashman, John Cheeseman & John McDonald, Exhibition Catalogue for Eye of the Beholder: The Art of Lucy Culliton, Mosman Art Gallery
- John McDonald, *Lucy Culliton's Eye of the Beholder survey of her work urges recollection of the long familiar*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 24 October
- Art and Australia, *The Art of Lucy Culliton*, 20 September
- Owen Craven, *Lucy Culliton*, Artist Profile, 25 July
- 2013 Kate Crawford, *Lucy Culliton to judge Mosman Art Prize*, Mosman Daily
- Nikki Barrowclough, *A blooming career*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 14 April
- 2011 Elizabeth Fortescue, *Culliton's sky full of natural diamonds*, The Daily Telegraph, 18 April
- John McDonald, *Portraits on parade*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 16 April
- 2009 Louise Schwartzkoff, *Bibbenluke*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 31 November
- 2008 Elizabeth Fortescue, *The good oil on art*, The Daily Telegraph, 28 August
- Sebastian Smee, *Disoriented in the Great Outdoors*, The Australian, 28 March
- 2007 Sebastian Smee, *Coloured by their emotions*, The Australian, 24 May
- John McDonald, *A ribbon for artistic pedigree*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 21 April
- 2004 Matt Buchanan, *A singular obsession*, The Sydney Morning Herald, 4 October
- Elizabeth Fortescue, *Culliton clearly makes her point*, The Daily Telegraph
- 2000 Betsy Brennan, Vogue Living, December/January issue
- Kate Crawford, *A piece of cake says Lucy*, Mosman Daily, 3 August
- 1999 Marie Claire Lifestyle, *We love Lucy*, August/September issue

COLLECTIONS

- Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Australian Parliament House, Canberra
- Gold Coast Art Gallery, QLD
- Griffith University Art Collection, Brisbane
- Macquarie Bank
- Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- NERAM Collection, NSW
- The University of Queensland Art Collection, Brisbane
- Private collections, nationally and internationally