

Robert Malherbe

BIOGRAPHY

1965 Born in Mauritius

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025 *Paintings*, Fox Jensen McCroy, Auckland

2024 *Better a private dream world*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Sydney Contemporary, James Makin Gallery, Sydney

2022 *Highfields*, Michael Reid Gallery, Sydney
Something must remain James Makin Gallery, Melbourne

2021 *Feeling is everything*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Raw instinct, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne

2020 *The Darlinghurst Suite*, Michael Reid Gallery, Berlin
The human landscape, Michael Reid Gallery, Sydney
Motherland, Caudan Arts Centre, port louis

2019 *Painted from life*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Robert Malherbe, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne

2017 *Recent paintings*, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne

2016 *In a brighter light*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Resist the spirit of the times, Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, NSW

2014 *New works*, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
What's there is there, Olsen Irwin Gallery, Sydney

2013 *Ménage*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane

2012 *Douzieme*, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne

2011 *Recent paintings*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
Genre, Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney

2010 *Recent works*, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne

2009 *New paintings*, Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney

2008 Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane

2007 Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney

2006 Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane

2005 Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney

2004 Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney

2003 Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney

2000 Global Gallery, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 *Salon des Refusés*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- 2025 *Summer*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- Velvet Headphones*, Organic Lobster, Sydney
- Bloom*, Fox Jensen McCroy, Auckland
- Salon des Refusés*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Painting life: Margaret Olley and works from the collection*, Tweed Regional Gallery, Murwillumbah NSW
- 2024 - 2025 *Summer*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- 2024 *A Dictionary for Painting: Margaret Olley, Robert Malherbe, Keith Burt*, Tweed Regional Gallery and Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW
- Summer*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- 2023 *Salon des Refusés*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Sydney Contemporary*, Fox Jensen McCroy, Auckland
- 2022 *Archibald Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Mutual Exchange – NGV Melbourne Design Week*, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne
- 2021 *Wynne Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2020 *Summer hang*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- Salon des Refuses*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Paddington Art Prize*, Menzies Art Brands, Sydney
- Navigating Cook*, Michael Reid Gallery, Sydney
- 2019 *Doug Moran National Portrait Prize*, Juniper Hall, Sydney
- Paddington Art Prize*, Menzies Art Brands, Sydney
- Salon des Refusés*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Len Fox Painting Award*, Castlemaine Art Museum, VIC
- Kilgour Art Prize*, Newcastle Art Gallery, NSW
- I Heart Paint*, Bega Valley Regional Gallery, NSW
- Wynne Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Sydney Contemporary*, James Makin Gallery, Sydney
- 2018 *Archibald Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Eutick Memorial Still Life Award*, Project Contemporary Art Space Wollongong, NSW
- Interiors*, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW
- Sydney Contemporary*, James Makin Gallery, Sydney
- 2017 *Jamberoo Mountain Road*, Shoalhaven Regional Gallery, NSW
- Archibald Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (cont)	2017	<p><i>Sulman Prize</i>, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney</p> <p><i>Artist Profile: Australasian Painters 2007 – 2017</i>, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW</p> <p><i>Dog Days</i>, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane</p> <p><i>Sydney Contemporary</i>, James Makin Gallery, Sydney</p>
	2016	<p><i>Wynne Prize</i>, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney</p> <p><i>Plein Air Art Prize</i>, New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney</p> <p><i>Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize</i>, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane</p> <p><i>Paddington Art Prize</i>, Woollahra, NSW</p>
	2015	<p><i>Plein Air Art Prize</i>, New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney</p> <p><i>Kogarah Art Prize</i>, Kogarah City Council, NSW</p> <p><i>Wynne Prize</i>, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney</p> <p><i>Hurford Hardwood Portrait Prize</i>, Lismore Regional Gallery, NSW</p> <p><i>Salon des Refusés</i>, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney</p> <p><i>Mosman Art Prize</i>, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney</p> <p><i>Naked and Nude</i>, <i>Manning Art Prize</i>, Manning Regional Gallery, NSW</p> <p><i>Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize</i>, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane</p>
2014	<p><i>Gathered in Spring</i>, Olsen Irwin Gallery, Sydney</p> <p><i>Hill End</i>, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane</p> <p><i>Mosman Art Prize</i>, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney</p> <p><i>Wynne Prize</i>, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney</p> <p><i>Calleen Art Prize</i>, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, NSW</p> <p><i>Paddington Art Prize</i>, Sydney</p>	
	2013	<p><i>Lloyd Rees Art Prize</i>, Colville Gallery, Tasmania</p> <p><i>Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize</i>, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane</p> <p><i>Naked and Nude</i>, <i>Manning Art Prize</i>, Manning Regional Gallery, NSW</p> <p><i>Wynne Prize</i>, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney</p>
	2012	<p><i>Wynne Prize</i>, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney</p> <p><i>Salon des Refusés</i>, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney</p> <p><i>Plein Air Painting Prize</i>, New South Wales Government House, Sydney</p> <p><i>Tattersall's Landscape Art Prize</i>, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane</p> <p><i>Paddington Art Prize</i>, Sydney</p> <p><i>Kedumba Drawing Award</i>, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW</p> <p><i>Redland Art Award</i>, Redland Art Gallery, QLD</p>
	2011	<p><i>Salon des Refusés</i>, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney</p> <p>James Makin Gallery, Melbourne</p>

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (cont)	2011	<i>Plein Air Painting Prize</i> , New South Wales Government House, Sydney
	2010	<i>Archibald Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales Sydney
		<i>Wynne Prize</i> , Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		<i>Plein Air Painting Prize</i> , New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney
		<i>Stations Of The Cross</i> , Uniting Church, Sydney
	2009	<i>Plein Air Painting Prize</i> , New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney
	2008	Tim Olsen Gallery Annex, Sydney
		<i>57TH Blake Prize</i> , National Art School Gallery, Sydney
	2007	Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
		Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney
	2006	<i>Art on the Rocks</i> , Sydney
	2004	<i>Salon des Refusés</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
	2003	<i>Salon des Refusés</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
	2003	Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney
	2002	ArtHouse Gallery,
1999	Chelsea Art Show, London	
AWARDS & RESIDENCIES	2022	Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2021	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2020	Finalist, Paddington Art Prize, Menzies Art Brands, Sydney
	2019	Finalist, Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, Juniper Hall, Sydney
		Finalist, Paddington Art Prize, Menzies Art Brands, Sydney
		Finalist, Salon des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
		Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Kilgour Art Prize, Newcastle Art Gallery, NSW
	2018	Finalist, Len Fox Painting Award, Castlemaine Art Museum, VIC
		Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2017	Finalist, Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane
		Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	2016	Finalist, Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
		Winner, Plein Air Art Prize, New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney
2015	Finalist, Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane	
	Finalist, Paddington Art Prize, Woollahra, NSW	
2015	Winner, Naked and Nude, Manning Art Prize, Manning Regional Gallery, NSW	

AWARDS & RESIDENCIES
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- 2015 Finalist, Plein Air Art Prize, New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney
Finalist, Kogarah Art Prize, Kogarah City Council, NSW
Finalist, Salon des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Finalist, Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Finalist, Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane
Finalist, Hurford Hardwood Portrait Prize, Lismore Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2014 Finalist, Calleen Art Prize, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, NSW
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Finalist, Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
Finalist, Paddington Art Prize, Sydney
- 2013 Consolation Prize, Naked and Nude, Manning Art Prize,
Manning Regional Gallery, NSW
Finalist, Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane
Finalist, Lloyd Rees Art Prize, Colville Gallery, Hobart
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2012 Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Finalist, Salon des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Finalist, Plein Air Painting Prize, New South Wales Government House, Sydney
Finalist, Tattersall's Landscape Art Prize, Tattersall's Club, Brisbane
Finalist, Paddington Art Prize, Sydney
Finalist, Kedumba Drawing Award, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW
Finalist, Redland Art Award, Redland Art Gallery, QLD
- 2011 Finalist, Salon des Refuses, S H Erwin Gallery, Sydney
Finalist, Plein Air Painting Prize, New South Wales Government House, Sydney
- 2010 Finalist, Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales Sydney
Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Finalist, Plein Air Painting Prize, New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney
- 2009 Finalist, Plein Air Painting Prize, New South Wales Parliament House, Sydney
- 2008 Finalist, 57TH Blake Prize, National Art School Gallery, Sydney
- 2004 Finalist, Salon des Refuses, S H Erwin Gallery, Sydney
- 2003 Finalist, Salon des Refuses, S H Erwin Gallery, Sydney

PUBLICATIONS

- 2025 Paul McGillick, *The Nude in Australian Art*, Yarra & Hunter Arts Press
Kym Elphinstone, *Collecting: Living with Art*, Thames & Hudson

PUBLICATIONS (cont)	2024	Collette Dinnigan, <i>Bellissima - An Australian-Italian Affair</i> , Simon & Schuster
	2021	Amber Creswell-Bell, <i>Still Life</i> , Thames & Hudson
	2018	Amber Creswell-Bell, <i>A Painted Landscape</i> , Thames & Hudson
	2017	Jessica Layt and Jennie Curtin, <i>Locals in art finals</i> , Blue Mountains Gazette, 24 July
	2016	Emily Ritchie, <i>Robert Malherbe: discovery leads artist to parliamentary VICtory</i> , The Australian, 13 October
		Judith Pugh, <i>Robert Malherbe</i> , Artist Profile, November
		Belinda Seeney, <i>Out in the open</i> , U on Sunday, 3 July
		Natalie Walton, <i>Artist Robert Malherbe</i> , Daily Imprint, 2 May
	2016	Katrina Arent, <i>Out/About: Robert Malherbe 'Resist the Spirit of the times'</i> , In/Out by Arent & Pyke, 29 April
	2015	Ali Gripper, <i>Better Reading's Cheryl Akle inspired by art, especially her Robert Malherbe work</i> , Sydney Morning Herald, 27 June
		Shane Desiatnik, <i>Blackheath artist Robert Malherbe a finalist in Plein Air Painting Prize</i> , Blue Mountains Gazette, 16 June
	2014	Emily Cones-Browne, <i>Artists support Mental Health Week</i> , Art Collector, October
		A.J. Edwards, <i>Robert Malherbe</i> , Art Almanac, 29 May
	2011	John McDonald, <i>Colour schemes</i> , Sydney Morning Herald, 22-23 October
	2010	Christopher Allen, <i>Heads will roll at Archibald Prize</i> , The Australian, 18 March

COLLECTIONS

Australian Club, Sydney
Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, NSW
Geelong Grammar School, VIC
Manning Regional Gallery, NSW
NSW Parliament House, NSW
Redland Art Gallery, QLD
Tweed Regional Gallery & Margaret Olley Centre, NSW
Private collections throughout Australia