

# Judith Wright | Curriculum Vitae

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## **Education and Professional Appointments**

- 2002 Master of Fine Arts, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
- 1999-2002 Board of Trustees, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
- 1996-97 *Lecturer*, College of Art, Griffith University, Brisbane
- 1990-98 Tutor, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
- 1966-70 Dancer, The Australian Ballet

## Solo Exhibitions

2023	'Reminiscence', Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2021	'Judith Wright', Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2021	Covid/Carnivale, Jan Manton Gallery, Brisbane
2019	Sightlines, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2018	In the Garden of Good and Evil, Queensland Art Gallery   Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane
	Fragments from the Garden of Good and Evil, FOXJENSEN, Sydney
	Fragments from the Garden of Good and Evil, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2017	Lines of Confluence, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2016	Significant Others, Jensen Gallery, Sydney
2015	<i>Tree of Life,</i> Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2014	Judith Wright: Desire, QUT Art Museum, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
	Desire, Fox/Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand
2013	Destination: Through a Glass Darkly, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	Destination, Fox/Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand; Jensen Gallery, Sydney
2011	Propositions, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
2010	Desire, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane
2009	Conversations, Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand
	Desire, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2008	A Continuing Fable, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
	Judith Wright: Conversations, The University of Queensland, Brisbane; Drill Hall Gallery, The Australian
	National University, Canberra
	Judith Wright: Breath and Other Considerations, Artspace, Mackay
	The Gift, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane
2007	Between, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
	Judith Wright: Breath and Other Considerations, Artspace, Mackay Qld
2006	In Praise of Darkness: Conversations with the Father, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane; GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
2005	Relative Conversations, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane
	Judith Wright: Selected Video Works, 1997–2004, Performance Space, Sydney
2004	One Dances, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
	One Dances, Creative Industries Precincts, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
2002	Blind of Sight, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
	Blind of Sight (Now), Gardens Theatre, QUT Precinct, Brisbane
	10 – 5pm Tues – Fri, 11 – 4pr

	Blind of Sight, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane
1999	Projections for Eliza, University Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane
	Fluid, Annandale Galleries, Sydney
1998	Breathe, Milburn Gallery, Brisbane
1997	Skin of Memory, University Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane
	Rhythm of Memory, Magazine Space, Griffith Artworks, Griffith University, Brisbane
1996	Blind Hands, Annandale Gallery, Sydney
	Silent Measure, Australian Centre for Photography, Sydney
	Two Hands, Milburn Gallery, Brisbane
1995	Image of Absence, Milburn Gallery, Brisbane
	Second stage, Seventeen Mile Rocks, Brisbane
	Silent Measure, 184 Brunswick Street, Fitzroy, Melbourne
1994	Breath of Silence, Gallery Finarte, Nagoya, Japan
	Breath of Silence, Gallery Lunami, Tokyo, Japan
1993	Silence echoes in the Hollow of the Hand, Gallery Lunami, Tokyo, Japan
	Shadow of Silence, Annandale Galleries, Sydney
	Judith Wright, Milburn Gallery, Brisbane
1992	Palm of the Hand, Annandale Galleries, Sydney
1991	Uncovered Language, Artspace, Sydney
1990	Judith Wright: Books and Drawings, Milburn and Arte, Brisbane
1989	Judith Wright, 312 Lennox Street, Melbourne
	Judith Wright, Milburn and Arte, Brisbane
1987	Judith Wright, Milburn and Arte, Brisbane

#### **Group Exhibitions**

2023	Meet the Artists, State Library of Queensland.
2023	MCA Collection: Eight Artists, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney
2021	The National 2021: New Australian Art, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney
	Know My Name: Australian Women Artists 1900 to Now, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
2020	Monster Theatres, Adelaide Biennial of Australian Art, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
2019	Second Sight: Witchcraft, Ritual, Power, UQ Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane
	The Lover Circles His Own Heart: MCA Collection, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney
	Come Close, University of Sunshine Coast Art Gallery, Qld
2018	Other People Think, Auckland Art Gallery, New Zealand
2016	A World View, Queensland Art Gallery   Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane
2015	Lurid Beauty: Australian Surrealism and its Echoes, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
2013	Ten Years of Things, UQ Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane
2012	All our Relations, 18th Biennale of Sydney, Museum of Contemporary Art and Cockatoo Island, NSW
	Contemporary Australia: Women, Queensland Art Gallery   Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane
	Volume One: The MCA Collection, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney
	The Architecture of Colour, Jensen Gallery, Sydney
	Daya/Kindness, Australia–India Cultural Exchange, Visual Arts Gallery, Habitat Centre, Delhi, India; RMIT Gallery, Melbourne
2011	Physical Video, Queensland Art Gallery   Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane
	Black Box/White Cube, Arts Centre, Melbourne
	Drawn to Abstraction, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane
2010	Love, Loss and Intimacy, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
	A Generosity of Spirit, QUT Art Museum, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
	Painting (as one), Australian Experimental Art Foundation, Adelaide
	Contemporary Encounters, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
2008	Silver-lined: Contemporary Artists and the Performing Arts Collection, Arts Centre, Melbourne
	10 – 5pm Tues – Fri. 11 – 4pn

2007	Portal, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
	ARC: Art Design and Craft Biennial, QUT Art Museum, Queensland University of Technology, Qld
	Wilson HTM National Art Prize Finalist Exhibition, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne; GRANTPIRRIE,
	Sydney; Jan Manton Art, Brisbane
2006	Queensland Live: Contemporary Art on Tour, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane (touring exhibition)
	Where Angels Tread, Contemporary Art Centre of South Australia, Adelaide
	Screenings: International and Australian New Media, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
	HarriesIDA China – 06, Beijing Film Academy Gallery, Beijing
	Clemenger Contemporary Art Award, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, The Tallis Foundation
	National Works on Paper, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington, Vic
	The Year in Art, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
2005	Slow Rushes: Takes on the Documentary Sensibility in Moving Images from around
	Asia and the Pacific, Artspace, Auckland, New Zealand; Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania
	Your Sky, Gigantic Art Space, New York, USA
2004	White Light, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
	The Look of Faith, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
2003	The Way Things Are, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
	One SQUAREMILE: Brisbane Boundaries, Museum of Brisbane, Qld
	Home with No Walls, Open Circle and Sahmat, Mumbai, India
	The Harries National Digital Art Award, QUT creative industries precinct, Brisbane; Today Art Museum,
	Beijing Film Academy, Beijing, China
2002	Inferno: Elision contemporary music with John Rodgers, Brisbane Powerhouse, Brisbane
	Meridian: Currents in Australian Art, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney
2001	Paper works: Australian artists exploring drawing and the printed image, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
	Phenomena: New Painting in Australia 1, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney; Ian Potter Museum of
	Art, University of Melbourne, Melbourne
	Sonorous Bodies: Elision contemporary music with Liza Lim, Hebbel Theatre Berlin, Berlin, Germany
2000	Tachikawa International Art Festival, Tokyo, Japan
	Another Landscape, Institute of Modern Art Brisbane; Monash University Gallery, Melbourne
	Spitting and Biting, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne
	Five Queensland Artists, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
	Lightness of Being, with Pinaree Sanpitak, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
1999	Agency: Living Here Now, Australian Perspecta, Australian Centre for Photography, Sydney
1999	Sonorous Bodies: Elision contemporary music with Liza Lim, Third Asia Pacific Triennial, Brisbane City Hall,
	Brisbane
	Another Landscape: Life/History/Language with Max Mueller Bhavan, German Cultural Centre, Bombay,
	India
	Another Landscape: Life/History/Language with Kaoru Hirabayashi and Nalini
	Malani, Kawaguchi Museum of Contemporary Art, Saitama, Japan; Gallery Lunami, Tokyo, Japan; Galleria
	Finarte, Nagoya, Japan
	How Long, Nanyang Technical Institute, Singapore
	Output, Institute of Modern Art, Empire Building, Brisbane
1998	The Acid Test, RMIT University, Melbourne
	Another Landscape: Life/ History/ Language with Kaoru Hirabayashi and Nalini Malani, Kawaguchi Museum
	of Contemporary Art, Saitama; Gallery Lunami, Tokyo; Galleria Finarte, Nagoya; and touring to Gallery
	Chemould, Bombay and Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane
1997	Fire and Life with Jayashree Chakravarty, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane (touring)
	Silent Rhythm, Sherman Galleries, Sydney
	Clearage, University Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane
	A Gift for India, SAHMAT, New Delhi, India (touring)
	Space and Gravity, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane

	Temple of Earth Memories: Between Art & Nature, Australian Perspecta, S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney
1996	re collection – The Griffith University Art Collection, 25 years, Brisbane City Gallery, Brisbane
	Australia: Familiar and Strange, Seoul Arts Centre, Seoul, Korea
	Flagging the Republic, Sherman Galleries, Sydney (touring)
	Reference Points 1V, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
	Fire and Life with Jayashree Chakravarty, Gallery 88, Calcutta, India
1995	Arco, Contemporary Art Fair, Madrid, Spain
	Accent on Australia: Five Contemporary Artists in Denmark, Gallerie Babette, Denmark
	Seven-ness collaboration with Dominico de Clario, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane
	Nagoya Contemporary Art Fair, Nagoya
1994	Temporality, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
	An Exotic Otherness: Crossing Brisbane Lines, Contemporary Art Services Tasmania, Hobart
1993	The Nature of Space, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane
1992	Unfamiliar Territory, Adelaide Biennial of Australian Art, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
	Recent Acquisitions, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
1989	Australian Perspecta, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
	Reference Points: A New Perspective, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane
1988	A Complimentary Caste: A Homage to Women Artists in Queensland Past and Present, The Centre Gallery, Gold Coast, Qld

1985 *Queensland Works, 1950 – 1985,* University Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane

### Performance

1998	Trace, w/ Kaoru Hirabayashi, Kawaguchi Museum of Contemporary Art, Saitama
1997	Body as Site, erasure of work of Nalini Malini with Vanessa Mafe, Second Asia Pacific Triennial of
	Contemporary Art, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane

#### Awards and Residencies

2010	Fellowship, Australia Council for the Arts
2006	Project Grant, Arts Queensland, Queensland Government
2003	Greene Street New York studio residency, Australia Council for the Arts
1998	Professional Development Grant, Arts Office, Queensland Government
1997	Fire and Life Residency, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane
	Presentation Grant, Arts Office, Queensland Government
1996	Fire and Life Artists Exchange Project, Calcutta, India
	Project Grant, Visual Arts and Craft Board, Australia Council for the Arts
1994	Project Grant, Visual Arts and Craft Board, Australia Council for the Arts
1993	Fellowship, Arts Queensland

## Collections

GOMA, Brisbane Art Gallery of South Australia University of Sunshine Coast Art Gallery Artbank, Sydney Artspace Mackay Art Centre, Melbourne Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney Auckland Art Gallery Brisbane City Gallery Canberra School of Art Gold Coast City Gallery Griffith University, Brisbane Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne Kawaguchi Museum of Contemporary Art, Saitama Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney National Gallery of Australia, Canberra National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne Parliament House Collection, Canberra Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery Launceston University of Southern Queensland, Toowoomba University Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane University of Sydney U.T.S. Gallery, Sydney