

# **IMANTS TILLERS**

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### **BIOGRAPHY**

1976 1969 - 72	Cité Internationale des Arts Residency, Paris Owen Tooth Cottage Residency, Vence. Bachelor of Science Architecture (First Class Hons, University Medal), University of
	Sydney.
1977-83	Founding academic staff member, Sydney College of the Arts, University of Sydney
2001	Visiting Fellow, Fine Art Research Centre, Southampton Institute, UK Co-curator with
	Marketta Seppälä, Empathy: Beyond the Horizon, Pori Art Museum, Finland.
2001-09	Trustee of the Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
2005	Awarded a Doctor of Letters (Honoris Causa), University of New South Wales, Sydney
2010	Collaborated with Janis Balodis on Exile and Fatherland, 53rd Australian Latvian Arts
	Festival, Melbourne
2011	Appointed a Director of Immigration Place, Australia, Canberra,

## **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2023 2021	After De Chirico, ARC ONE Gallery, Melbourne As soon as tomorrow, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney
202.	Light & Darkness, Chau Chak Wing Museum, University of Sydney
	Fierce Paradise: Paintings from Blairgowrie, Bett Gallery, Hobart
2020	Terra Nullius, Milani Gallery, Brisbane
2019	The Path Itself, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney
2018	Joy Knows No Mercy, ARC ONE Gallery, Melbourne
	Journey to Nowhere, Latvian National Museum of Art, Riga
	From the Studio, The University Gallery, Newcastle, NSW  The Philosophy of Doubt, Biddoch Art Callery Mount Cambiar Victoria
	The Philosophy of Doubt, Riddoch Art Gallery, Mount Gambier, Victoria The Philosophy of Doubt, Hamilton Art Gallery, Victoria
2017	In Normal Times, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney
2017	Meeting Place - Michael Nelson Jagamara & Imants Tillers, Parliament House, Canberra
	The Philosophy of Doubt, Greenaway Galleries, Adelaide
2016	Metafisca Australe, ARC ONE Gallery, Melbourne
	The Poet's Surrender, Bett Gallery, Hobart
2015	Metafisca Australe, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney
2014	Big Storm Between Two Place: Michael Nelson Jagamara and Imants Tillers, Fire
	works Gallery, Brisbane
	Latvian Mandala, Australian Latvian Arts Festival, Latvian House, Sydney.
	Haunted Nation, Bett Gallery, Hobart
2017	The Philosopher's Walk, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide
2013 2012	The Fleeting Self, ARC ONE Gallery, Melbourne
2012	Tabula Rasa, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney The Loaded Ground: Michael Nelson Jagamara and Imants Tillers, Drill Hall Gallery,
	Australian National University Art Gallery, Canberra.
2011	Nature Speaks, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide.
2011	The Journey South, Bett Gallery, Hobart.
2010	The Blossoming World, Arc One Gallery.
	A Poem of the Land, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney.
	Dual Worlds: Dadang Christanto and Imants Tillers, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane.
2009	Leap of Faith, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide.
	Value Added Landscapes, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane.



Clouds on a distant horizon, Bett Gallery, Hobart. The Long Poem, Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery, University of Western Australia, Perth. 2008 Melancholy Landscape, Arc One Gallery. The Tears of Things, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney. Michael Nelson Jagamara: from the studio, experimentations and collaborations 1996-2008, Fireworks Gallery, Brisbane (collaborative work). 2007 In Two Minds, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide. 2006 Imants Tillers, Jan Manton Art, Brisbane. Hereafter, Chapman Gallery, Canberra. Imants Tillers: one world many visions, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra. 2005 Land Beyond Goodbye, Sherman Galleries, Sydney. 2004 Imants Tillers, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide. Transmissions: From here and there, Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne. Local Knowledge, Raglan Gallery and Cultural Centre, Cooma, NSW. 2003 Imants Tillers, Australian Art Resources, Melbourne. Recent Works, Sherman Galleries, Sydney. 2002 Chapman Gallery, Canberra. Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide. Not yet post-Aboriginal, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Sydney. Imants Tillers, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide. 2000 Imants Tillers, Sherman Galleries Hargrave, Sydney. 1999 Towards Infinity: Works by Imants Tillers, Museo de Arte Contemporaneo de Monterey, Mexico. Accompanying 47th Australian Latvian Arts Festival, Span Galleries, Melbourne. Home Visitation, Chapman Gallery, Canberra. Nature Speaks, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney. Not yet post-Aboriginal, SPAN Galleries, Melbourne. 1998 Imants Tillers 1997 Lowenstein Sharp Arts 21 Fellow, Museum of Modern Art at Heide, Melbourne. Prayer for Rain, Raglan Gallery and Cultural Centre, Cooma. 1997 Michael Milburn Gallery, Brisbane. Karen Lovegrove, Melbourne. The Enigma of Arrival, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney. 1996 Imants Tillers, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand. 1995 Diaspora in Context: Connections in a Fragmented World, Pori Art Museum, Pori, Finland; Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney; Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand; Waikato Museum and Art Gallery, Hamilton, New Zealand. via Paradiso, Karyn Lovegrove Gallery, Melbourne. 1994 Telepathic Music, Michael Milburn Gallery, Brisbane. Imants Tillers: Jump, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney, N.S.W. Diaspora, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane. 1993 Imants Tillers: Within the Cleft, Michael Milburn Gallery, Brisbane. Five Pollock Paintings, Peter McLeavey Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand. Diaspora: Imants Tillers, National Museum of Art, Riga. 1992 Imants Tillers, Karyn Lovegrove, Melbourne. A Life of Blank, Plimsoll Gallery, Hobart; Monash University Gallery, Melbourne; Orange Regional Gallery, New South Wales; Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Launceston. 1991 Journey: 33486, Deutscher Brunswick Street, Melbourne. Imants Tillers, Peter McLeavey Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand. Action Paintings, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney. 1990 The Shining Cuckoo, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney Imants Tillers: Recent Paintings, Peter McLeavey Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand The Bridge of Reversible Destiny, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney One Painting, Cleaving: Imants Tillers, Wollongong City Art Gallery, Wollongong Imants Tillers: Poem of Ecstasy, Deutscher Brunswick Street, Melbourne



1989 Tomorrow will be the same but not as this is, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney Imants Tillers: 19301 or as of October, National Art Gallery, Wellington; Govett-Brewster Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand. 1988 To the Fatherland, with Marianne Baillieu, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney Imants Tillers, Bess Cutler Gallery, New York Imants Tillers: works 1978–1988, Institute of Contemporary Arts, London; The Third Eye Centre, Glasgow; Orchard Gallery, Derry, Northern Ireland. 1987 Yuill/Crowley, Sydney. Galerie Susan Wyss, Zurich. Bess Cutler Gallery, New York. Australian Appropriations: The Recent Paintings of Imants Tillers, Vollum College Center Gallery, Reed College, Portland, Oregon, United States. 1986 Paintings for Venice: Australia at the 42nd Venice Biennale, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane; Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne; Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide. 42nd Venice Biennale: Imants Tillers, Corderie at the Arsenale, Venice. 1985 Bess Cutler Gallery, New York. Yuill/Crowley, Sydney. Bess Cutler Gallery, New York. 1984 Pandemonium, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney. Reconnaissance, Melbourne. 1983 White Aborigines, Matt's Gallery, London. Yuill/Crowley, Sydney. Honour + Glory, with John Nixon, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide. 1982 The Deluge, with John Nixon, Press 4, Melbourne. The Bridge, with John Nixon, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney. Composition with 3 equal and parallel rectangles (unit 1), with John Nixon, Yuill/ Crowley, Sydney. The Field, Art Projects, Melbourne A Painting which is a Souvenir (with John Nixon), QED, One Central Street, Sydney. Documenta 7, with John Nixon, Art Projects, Melbourne. The Church + the Cross, with John Nixon, n-space, Kassel, West Germany. The Church + the Cross, with John Nixon, V Space, Melbourne. One Painting: One Horizon, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane. Two Maps (A Local Mirage), Art Projects, Melbourne. 1981 The Triangle, The Door: One Room, One Painting (left/centre/right), Watters Gallery, Svdnev. Visible Suspension: One Room, Two Paintings, n-space, Sydney. 52 Displacements, n-space, Sydney. Q Space Annex, Brisbane. 1980 Worlds in Collision, Avago Gallery, Sydney. Q Space Annex, Brisbane. Survey 13: Imants Tillers, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne. Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane. Other Realities, Realities, Melbourne. 1979 52 Displacements (of Image, of Time, of Water, of Feeling: One Year's Work), Watters Gallery, Sydney. 1978 Have you ever been taken the same way, Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Melbourne. 1977 The Property of Being Found, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Conversations with the Bride, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Moments of Inertia, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Still Life 2, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Link Exhibition No. 1: Imants Tillers, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide.

1975

1974



#### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

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2023	Set of Keys, ARC ONE Gallery, Melbourne	
2020	Making Art Public: 50 Years of Kaldor Public Art Projects, Art Gallery of New South	
2010	Wales, Sydney	
2019	Sydney Contemporary, ARC ONE Gallery, Carriageworks, Sydney Art Basel Hong Kong, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Hong Kong	
2018	Grid, Waiheke Community Art Gallery, New Zealand	
2010	The Like Button, Roslyn Oxley9, Sydney	
	20/20: Celebrating 20 years with 20 new portrait commissions, National Portrait	
	Gallery, Canberra, Australia	
2017	Sydney Contemporary, ARC ONE Gallery, Carriageworks, Sydney	
	Artist Profile: Australasian Painters 2007-2017, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW	
	Poets and Painters — Celebrating the Big Punchbowl, Moonah Arts Centre, Tasmania	
	Hadley's Art Prize, Galleries at Hadley's Orient Hotel, Hobart, Tasmania, Enlighten Festival, Projection onto New Parliament House, Canberra	
	Landmarks, Tamworth Regional Gallery, NSW	
	Today Tomorrow Yesterday, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney	
2016	The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	
	Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	
	Fleurieu Art Prize, Samstag Museum of Art, 4 June — 26 July	
	Black, White & Restive, Newcastle Art Gallery, Newcastle	
	Signs and symbols to live by, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney Panorama: Part One, TarraWarra Museum of Art, Victoria.	
	Taba Naba - Australia, Oceania, Arts by People of the Sea, Musee Oceanographique	
	de Monaco, Monaco.	
2015	The Triump of Modernism in the Art of Australia, curated by Edmund Capon,	
	Hazelhurst Regional Gallery and Arts Centre, Sydney.	
	Seen from elsewhere, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tamaki, New Zealand	
	Lightning Strikes at Merrick's Exhibition with Michael Nelson, Jagamara, Merricks	
	General Wine Store Sydney Contemporary, ARC ONE Gallery, Carriageworks, Sydney	
2014	Dreamings: Austrlian Aboriginal Art meets De Chirico (a room of seven works from	
	1984 - 2014 adjoining a room of 21 works by Giorigio de Chirico), The Museo Carlo	
	Bilotti, Rome	
	The Gold Aaward (winner), Rockhampton Art Gallery, Rockhampton.	
	The Skullbone Experiment: A Paradigm of Art and Nature, Tasmanian Land	
	Conservancy, Launceston, Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Inveresk; UNSW	
	Galleries, College of Fine Art Gallery, curated by Philip Wolfhagen and Catherine Wolfhagen, Sydney.	
	Pop to popism, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney	
	Sublime Point: The Landscape in Painting, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery & Arts Centre,	
	New South Wales	
2014	Dreamings: Australian Aboriginal Art Meets De Chirico, Museo Carlo Bilotti, Rome.	
2013	Collective Identity(IeS): This is That Time, Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery, N.S.W.	
	Mixtape 1980's, National Gallery of Victoria.	
2012	Australia, Royal Academy of Arts, London Spectrum, The Melbourne Recital Centre, Melbourne.	
2012	KIAF, Seoul, Korea.	
	Paul Greenaway Gallery, Adelaide.	
	Preview Exhibition and Honours Award Exhibitions, Bett Gallery, Hobart.	
2010	How Nature Speaks, Arc One Gallery, Melbourne.	
2009	KIAF, Seoul, Korea.	
2008	50X50, Arc One Gallery Summer Show, Melbourne.	

New Horizons, the collection of the Ishibashi Foundation, Bridgestone Museum of Art,



Tokyo, Japan.

Melbourne, Art Fair 08.

2007 Summer '07 '08, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney, N.S.W.

Poets Paint Words, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, N.S.W.

Prelude 2008, Arc One Gallery, Melbourne.

2006 Prism: Contemporary Australian Art, Bridgestone Museum of Art, Tokyo, Japan.

2006 Clemenger Contemporary Art Award, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Zones of Contact: 15th Biennale of Sydney, Museum of Contemporary Art,

Sydney.

2005 A Sense of Place, Tarrawarra Museum of Art, Yarra Valley, Melbourne.

Pitch Your Own Tent: Art Projects / Store 5 / First Floor, Monash University Museum

of Art. Melbourne.

Unscripted: Language in Contemporary Australian Art, Art Gallery of New South

Wales, Sydney.

Shoosh! A History of the Campfire Group, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane.

A Partial View: Australian Art in the UWA Art Collection, Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery,

Perth.

Arts de la Table, ANU Drill Hall Gallery, Canberra.

2004 One Of: Festivus 04, Sherman Galleries, Sydney.

ANU Art Collection: Acquisitions from the Last Ten Years, ANU Drill Hall Gallery,

Canberra.

Sharjah Project: Artcard, Sharjah Art Museum, United Arab Emirates.

Shanghai Art Fair, Australian Art Resources, Melbourne.

The Joseph Brown Collection, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne

Imants Tillers, John Nixon and Louise Forthun, Conny Dietzschold Gallery, Sydney

Landscape in Me: Windows on Australian Art, Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern

Territory, Darwin.

2003 Bushfire, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Fieldwork, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Synergies: A Fusion Event, Australian National University, Drill Hall Gallery, Canberra.

Austral-Asia Zero Three, Sherman Galleries, Sydney. Empathy: Beyond the Horizon, Artspace, Sydney.

Intergrafia: World Award Winners Gallery, International Print Triennale, Krakow.

MCA Unpacked II, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

First Beijing International Art Biennale, Beijing, China (awarded Prize for Excellence).

2002 Kunst Nach Kunst (Art After Art), Neues Museum Weserburg, Bremen, Germany.

The Big River Show, Wagga Wagga Regional Art Gallery, NSW.

Lines II, Fire-Works Gallery, Brisbane.

Deeper Places, Casula Powerhouse, Sydney.

Mindscapes, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, NSW.

Discomfort, Fire-Works Gallery, Brisbane.

2001 MCA Unpacked, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

Empatia (Empathy: Beyond the Horizon), Pori Art Museum, Pori, Finland.

Southern Exposure: Centenary of Federation, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery and Arts

Centre, Gymea, Sydney.

Art Chicago 2001, Chicago, Illinois.

ARCO 01, Greenaway Art Gallery, Madrid.

A Studio in Paris: Australian Artists at the Cité Internationale des Arts 1967-2000, S.H.

Ervin Gallery, Sydney.

Colin McCahon: A Time for Messages, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Osaka Triennale 2001: 10th International Contemporary Art Competition,

Contemporary Art Space, Osaka, Japan (awarded Silver Prize).

Bennett, Nain, Parr, Tillers, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney.

7th NICAF: International Contemporary Art Festival 2001 Tokyo, Tokyo International

Forum, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 28 March - 1 April.

A Selection of Important Twentieth Century Australian and New Zealand Paintings,



Martin Browne Fine Art, Potts Point, 20 March - 22 April.

Group Exhibition, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney 28 February - 17 March.

2000 Art and Furniture, Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne.

Spitting and Biting: Ten Contemporary Artists and the Print, Monash University

Gallery, Melbourne, 19 September - 28 October.

Artists in Focus - Iconography: Traditions and Influence, Holmes à Court Gallery, Perth. Restricting the Palette: Colour and Land, Canberra School of Art Gallery, Canberra. Australian Latvian Artists' Society, Latvian House, Strathfield, Sydney, Summer Exhibition.

From Appreciation to Appropriation: Indigenous Influences and Images in Australian Visual Art, Flinders Art Museum, Adelaide.

The Rose Crossing: Contemporary Art in Australia, Sherman Galleries Touring Exhibition, Brisbane City Gallery, Brisbane; Hong Kong Arts Centre, Hong Kong; Singapore Art Museum, Singapore.

Cinderella's Gems: Art and the Intellectual Mission. 20th Century Australian Art selected from University Collections in New South Wales, Macquarie University, Sydney, touring to regional galleries, Noosa, Toowoomba, Orange, Mosman, Bathurst, Lismore, Tamworth, La Trobe, Mildura, Horsham.

1999 Visy Board Art Prize, Richmond Grove Winery, Tanunda, South Australia.

Parr, Sachs, Tillers, Young, Orange Regional Gallery, Orange.

Snowy! Power of a Nation: 50 years of the Snowy Mountains Scheme, Powerhouse Museum, Sydney.

WORD, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

Home and Away: Contemporary Australian and New Zealand Art from the Chartwell Collection, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tamaki, Auckland.

Art 1999 Chicago: at Navy Pier, Festival Hall, Navy Pier, Chicago.

Cinco continentes y una ciudad, Museo de la Ciudad de Mexico, Mexico City

Ways of Being, Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney, touring to regional galleries in New South Wales and Gold Coast City Art Gallery through 1999

South Wales and Gold Coast City Art Gallery through 1995

Remanence: Melbourne Festival 1998, Former Melbourne Magistrates' Court and City Watch House, Melbourne.

Expanse: Aboriginalities, Spatialities and the Politics of Ecstasy, University of South Australia Art Museum, Adelaide.

On the ashes of the stars ... STÉPHANE MALLARMÉ a celebration, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne.

Proscenium, Artspace, Auckland, New Zealand

Landscape, Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga

1997 In Place (Out of Time): Contemporary Art in Australia, Museum of Modern Art, Oxford, U.K.

The Real Thing, Museum of Modern Art at Heide, Melbourne.

Coded, Waikato Museum and Art Gallery, Hamilton, New Zealand.

Visy Board Art Prize, Barossa Vintage Festival, South Australia (awarded First Prize).

Power, Corruption and Lies, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane.

The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney; Victorian Arts Centre, Melbourne (exhibited portrait of Murray Bail).

A Thing of Beauty Is, Museum of Contemporary Art, London.

Tokyo International Art Festival, Tokyo International Forum, Tokyo.

Mike Parr, Imants Tillers, John Young, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney.

Anon, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney.

Objects and Ideas: Reinventing Minimalism, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney. Spirit and Place: Art in Australia 1861–1996, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

Viewing an Era: Monash University Collection, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne. Greg Weight Artists' Portraits, Manly Art Gallery and Museum, New South Wales. 12th Biennial Prints Acquisitive Exhibition, Mornington Peninsula Gallery, Victoria;

Karyn Lovegrove Gallery, Melbourne.

Imants Tillers, Tracey Moffatt, Dale Frank, Geoff Lowe, Karyn Lovegrove Gallery,

1998

1999



#### Melbourne.

Osaka Painting Triennale, Osaka Mydome, Osaka.

Rosalie Gascoigne, Robert MacPherson, Jacky Redgate, Rover Thomas, Imants Tillers:

Some works from their present and their past, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra.

Perceptions and Perspective, Next Wave Festival, National Gallery of Victoria,

Melbourne.

The World Over/Under Capricorn: Art in the Age of Globalisation, City Gallery,

Wellington, New Zealand: Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam.

Colonial Post Colonial, Museum of Modern Art at Heide, Melbourne.

The John Kaldor Collection, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

Systems End: Contemporary Art in Australia, Oxy Gallery, Osaka; Hakone

Open-Air Museum Tokyo; Dong-Ah Gallery, Seoul; Kaohsiung Museum of Fine Arts,

Taiwan (with separate catalogue), November 1996.

Exhibition of works on paper, Milburn Gallery, Brisbane

Atkins, Blackman, Borgelt, Firth-Smith, Jones, Lanceley, Mitelman, Parr, Partos,

Storrier, Tillers, Guan Wei, Wolfhagen, Sherman Galleries Hargrave, Sydney.

Text & Art, Logan Art Gallery, Logan City, Queensland.

Smorgon Collection of Contemporary Art, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

Australian Art 1940-1990. From the Collection of the National Gallery of Australia, The

Museum of Fine Arts, Gifu, Japan.

Baltic Presence, Latvian Centre, Strathfield, Sydney.

The French Embrace, Alliance Française, Sydney.

Australian Art: Colonial to Contemporary, Deutscher Fine Art, Melbourne.

In Tandem, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney.

Patrick Pound, Jacky Redgate, Imants Tillers, Milburn Gallery, Brisbane.

Seoul 600 International Art Festival, National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul.

Humanism and Technology: The Human Figure in Industrial Society, National Art

Museum, Seoul.

Virtual Reality, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, 10 December.

Antipodean Currents: Ten Contemporary Artists from Australia, John F. Kennedy

Center for Performing Arts, Washington, DC; Guggenheim Museum SoHo, New York.

25 Years of Performance Art in Australia, Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney; Institute of

Modern Art, Brisbane; Perth Institute of Contemporary Arts; Experimental Art

Foundation, Adelaide; Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne.

Power Works - from the MCA Collection, Museum of New Zealand, Wellington;

Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth; Waikato Museum of Art & History,

Hamilton; Dunedin Public Art Gallery, Dunedin.

Photosynthesis, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Sydney.

Sweet Damper and Gossip: Colonial Sightings from the Goulburn and North East,

Monash, University Gallery, Melbourne; Benalla Art Gallery, Benalla.

Osaka Print Triennale, Mydome, Osaka.

Valsts, Soros Centre for Contemporary Arts, Riga, Latvia.

Logan Art Award, Community Arts Centre, Kingston, Queensland.

Fourth Australian Contemporary Art Fair, Royal Exhibition Building, Melbourne.

Prime Television Painting Prize, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, Newcastle.

The King's School Art Prize, The King's School, Sydney.

Un/Peeled Art, Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Ballarat.

Faces of Hope: Amnesty International Art, Art Gallery of New South Wales; 10 August auction 5 August.

Virtuosi (limited edition print portfolio), Sherman Galleries Hargrave, Sydney.

Identities: Art from Australia, Taiwan Museum of Art, Taipei, Taiwan; Wollongong City Art Gallery, Wollongong.

Collective Space: Works from the Monash University Collection, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne.

Looking at Seeing and Reading, Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney; 1 - 31 July Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane; 31 March - 30 April, 1994, Monash University Gallery,

1995

1994



Melbourne, 19 May - 25 June, 1994.

Osaka Painting Triennale '93, Osaka, Japan (awarded Grand Prize).

Arts Extraordinaire - The Cigar Box auction: for Accessible Arts, The ABC Centre,

Ultimo, Sydney, 1 - 10 November

Dale Frank, Brent Harris, Mathys Gerber, Robyn Stacey, Imants Tillers, Karyn Lovegrove, Melbourne.

Commitments, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane; Artspace, Sydney.

The Eye, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Shaman Summer in Finland, Aineen Taidemuseo, Tornio.

Imants Tillers, John Young, Dale Frank, Sherman Galleries Goodhope, Sydney.

March, Michael Milburn Gallery, Brisbane.

Sight Regained, Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney.

Installation and Objecthood, Martin Browne Fine Art, Sydney; Michael Milburn,

Brisbane, 2 April; Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville, June.

1992 Works on Paper, Michael Milburn Galleries, Brisbane.

Sight Regained: Collaboration between Artists and Architects, Westpac Gallery, Melbourne.

Inherited Absolute: Artists with Children, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne.

20th Century Australian and New Zealand Painting, Martin Browne Fine Art at Mc Donald Street Galleries, Sydney.

Domino 1: Collaborations between Artists, The University of Melbourne Museum of Art, Melbourne.

The Selective Eye, Peter McCleavey Gallery, Wellington.

The Living Mandala, Access Gallery, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne. Imants Tillers, Colin McCahon, Charles Tole, Peter McCleavey Gallery, Wellington Distraction, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

Light Sensitive, Artspace, Sydney.

1991 Cologne Art Fair, Cologne.

Opening Transformations, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

41st Latvian Cultural Festival Art Exhibition, RSAS Gallery, Kintore, Adelaide.

Contemporary Art Archive Exhibition, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney.

Contemporary Landscapes, Institute of the Arts, Deakin University, Geelong.

Off the Wall/In the Air: A Seventies Selection, Monash University, Melbourne.

Aberdare Art Prize, Ipswich City Council Regional Gallery, Ipswich, July (winner).

Preview Exhibition, Bess Cutler Gallery, Santa Monica.

Porkkana Collection, The Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki.

Selected Contemporary Australian Art, Deutscher Brunswick Street, Melbourne.

Artists of the Gallery, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

Tokyo International Art Show, Tokyo.

1990 Latvian Artists Side by Side, Australia Council, Canberra.

Art from Australia: Eight Contemporary Views, Gedung Seni Rupa Nasional, Jakarta; National Art Gallery, Bangkok; Metropolitan Museum of Manila; National Art Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, April 1991 National Gallery, Singapore.

Osaka Painting Triennale '90, Mydome Osaka, Osaka

Inland: A Spatial Heritage, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne. Conventional Practice: Still Life & The Model, from the Twenties to Tillers, Robyn Brady Pty Ltd at D.C. Art, Woollahra, Sydney.

À rebours, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

Shifting Parameters: Australian Artists Who Employ Photographic Images and Techniques in Their Prints, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane.

Fake, Galerie Nikolaus Sonne, Berlin.

Artists for Greenpeace, Linden Gallery, St Kilda, Melbourne.

Art with Text, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne.

Latvian Art, National Art Gallery, Riga.

L'été Australien à Montpellier, Musée Fabre, Montpellier.

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Australian Contemporary Art Fair, Royal Exhibition Buildings, Melbourne, 21-24 June. Fluctua, Art Dock, Noumea, New Caledonia, 8 June - 8 July.

The Complex Picture: Australian Painting in the 1980s, College Gallery, South Australian College of Advanced Education, Adelaide, 22 February - 18 March.

Balance 1990: Views, Visions, Influences, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane.

Artists of the Gallery, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

Institute of Contemporary Arts, Sotheby's Benefit Auction, Nigel Greenwood Gallery, Marlene Eleni, Nicola Jacobs, Victoria Miro, London.

Strange Harmony of Contrasts, Roslyn Oxley9, Sydney; Canberra School of Art Gallery, Canberra 22 March -14 April.

Information, Terrain Gallery, San Francisco.

1989 The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Yuill/Crowley, Sydney, 4 - 22 November.

Porkkana Collection, The Old Student House, Helsinki; Titanik Galeria, Turku; The Art Museum of Hyvinkaa; The Art Museum of Mikkeli; The Art Museum of Kuopio. Freestyle: Australian Art 1960s to Now, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Artists' Flowers, Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Ballarat.

ICI Contemporary Art Collection, Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Ballarat, (touring). Modern Muses: Classical Mythology in Australian Art, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney. Captive Nations Council of N.S.W. 25th Anniversary. Commonwealth Savings Bank Head Office, Martin Place, Sydney.

Installation #2: The Skin Area, 200 Gertrude Street, Melbourne.

American Pi(e), Bess Cutler Gallery, New York.

Edge to Edge: Australian Contemporary Art to Japan, National Museum of Art, Osaka; Hara Museum of Contemporary Art, Tokyo Nagoya City Art Museum, Nagoya; Hokkaido Museum of Modern Art, Sapporo.

Images of Religion in Australian Art, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne. The Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney; Westpac Gallery,

Melbourne.

After McCahon: Some Configurations in Recent Art, Auckland City Art Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand.

Australian Art Post 1960, Deutscher Gertrude Street, Melbourne.

Pro Museum of Contemporary Art Collection in Finland, Vanhan Galleries, Helsinki. Italo Scanga, Imants Tillers, Robin Winters, Dorothy Goldeen Gallery, Los Angeles. Federation Pavilion, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

A Changing Relationship: Aboriginal Themes in Australian Art 1938-1988, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney.

Redux: Michael Bidlo, Sherrie Levine, Doug Huebler, Phillip Taaffe, Richard Pettibone, Imants Tillers, Maloney Gallery, Los Angeles.

Australian Biennale: From the Southern Cross, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, 19 May 1988, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Stories of Australian Art, Commonwealth Institute, London.

Advance Australian Painting, Auckland City Art Gallery, Auckland; National Art Gallery, Wellington.

Creating Australia: 200 Years of Art 1788–1988, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane; Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth; Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney; Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery, Hobart; National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne;

Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide).

The Australian Bicentennial Perspecta, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney; Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth; Frankfurter Kunstverein, Frankfurt; Wurttembergische Kunstverein, Stuttgart, March - April 1989.

The Loti and Victor Smorgan Collection of Contemporary Australian Art, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne.

Heroics: A Critical View, Walter Philips Gallery, The Banff Centre, School of Fine Arts, Banff, Alberta, Canada.

1988



Hybrid Products, S.L. Simpson Gallery, Toronto.

What is this Thing called Science?, University Gallery, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne.

In Print vol. 1 Artists' Books, Power Gallery of Contemporary Art, The University of Sydney, Sydney.

Field to Figuration: Australian Art 1960-1986, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Contemporary Australian Art, Museum of Modern Art, Saitama, Japan.

Painters and Sculptors: Diversity in Australian Art, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane.

Art and the West, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

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1986 Five Years On: A Selection of Aquisitions 1981–1986, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Group Show, Stavaridis Gallery, Boston.

When Attitudes Become Form, Bess Cutler Gallery, New York (with Richard

Artschwager, Jennifer Bolande, Steven Parrino, Allen Ruppersburg, Philip Taaffe, Julia Wachtel and others).

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Holman Hall Art Gallery, Trenton State College, New Jersey.

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1985 Seeing is Believing: Travelling Art Exhibition 1985, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Still Life, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Little Works by Big Thinkers, Bess Cutler Gallery, New York.

Group Show, Svetlana Achatz, Munich.

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Visual Tension, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne; Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane.

Production: Re-Production, Gallery 345, New York.

1984 New Work, Bess Cutler Gallery, New York.

Architectura Picta, Ewing and George Paton Gallery, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne.

Synthetic Art, Harm Bouckaert Gallery, New York.

Drawing Sex, Yuill/Crowley, Sydney.

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An Australian Accent: Three Artists from Australia, P.S.1, New York; Art Gallery of

Western Australia, Perth; Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Form> Image> Sign: Survey of Contemporary Art, No. 3, Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth.

1983 Animal Imagery, Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Ballarat.

Tribute to Mervyn Horton, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

George Baldessin: Sculpture and Etchings: A Memorial Exhibition, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Artists' Books, Artspace, Sydney.

Mattara Purchase Prize, Newcastle Art Gallery, Newcastle.

The Ciminiera, n-space, Sydney.

VOX POP: Into the Eighties, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne



Recent Australian Painting: A Survey 1970–1983, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide.

The Life of Energies, Artspace, Sydney.

Minimalism x Six, Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane.

Tall Poppies: An Exhibition of Five Pictures, University Gallery, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne.

Masterpieces: Out of the Seventies, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne.

Project 40: Australian Artists at Venice and Kassel, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

1982 3 Offset Attitudes, Sydney City Library, Sydney.

Art in the Age of Mechanical Reproduction, Ewing and George Paton Gallery, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne.

The Temple of the Winds, n-space at The Temple of the Winds, Royal Botanic Gardens, Melbourne.

Documenta 7, Kassel, West Germany.

Popism, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Eureka! Artists from Australia, Serpentine Gallery, London; Institute of Contemporary Arts, London.

1981 The Beacon, n-space at Cremorne Point, Sydney.

Three Rejected Entries: Wynne, Sulman and Archibald Prizes, Art Projects, Melbourne. John McCaughey Memorial Prize (winning entry), National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

Australian Perspecta 1981: A Biennial Survey of Contemporary Australian Art, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

1980 Australian Art in Prints, Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Launceston.

Avago 1980, Experimental Art Foundation, Adelaide.

1979 3rd Biennale of Sydney: European Dialogue, Art Gallery of New South Wales,

The Work and its Context, Australian Embassy, Paris.

1978 Roadshow Exhibition 1: Works on Paper, Regional Development Program, touring

regional galleries in New South Wales.

Artists' Books: Book Works, Ewing and George Paton Gallery, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne; Experimental Art Foundation, Adelaide; Institute of Modern Art, Brisbane; Franklin Furnace, New York.

Sets, Series, Sequences, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Watters at Pinacotheca, Pinacotheca, Melbourne.

Post-Object Art in Australia and New Zealand, Experimental Art Foundation,

Adelaide.

1977

1976

1975 Conversations with the Bride, South American tour of Australian works in Bienal de

São Paulo.

13th Bienal de São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil.

Phillip Morris Arts Grant, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

1974 The Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Ten Years, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Artists for Whitlam, Hogarth Galleries, Sydney.

Boxes, Ewing and George Paton Gallery, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne.

Gifts from Patrick White, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

1973 Recent Australian Art, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney.

Sculpturescape '73 (Fifth Mildura Sculpture Triennial), Mildura Arts Centre, Mildura.

Object and Idea: New Work by Australian Artists, National Gallery of Victoria.

1972 The Joe Bonomo Show: A Show of Strength, Watters Gallery, Sydney.

Contemporary Art Society Annual Art Exhibition, The Blaxland Gallery, Sydney (joint

winner, Hunter Douglas Prize).

Young Contemporaries Exhibition, Central Street Gallery, Sydney.

1971 Young Contemporaries Exhibition, The Blaxland Gallery, Sydney.

Open Wide, Contemporary Art Society, Central Street Gallery, Sydney.



1970 Contemporary Art Society Annual Exhibition, The Blaxland Gallery, Sydney.

1969 Wrapped Coast, one million square feet, Little Bay, Sydney.

#### **AWARDS**

2020 2018 2017	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney Award of Honour, Kulturas Fonda, the World Association of Free Latvians Finalist, Hadley's Art Prize
2016	Finalist, Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New south Wales Finalist, Archibald Prize for portraiture, Art Gallery of New South Wales
2014	First Prize, The Gold Award, Rockhampton Art Gallery, Rockhampton
2014	Winner Gold Award Rockhampton Art Gallery, Queensland
2013	Winner, Wynne Prize for landscape painting, Art Gallery of New South Wales Finalist of the Archibald Prize for portraiture, Art Gallery of New South Wales
2012	Winner, Wynne Prize for landscape painting, Art Gallery of New South Wales
2012	Appointed a Director of Immigration Place, Australia, Canberra.
2005	Doctor of Letters (Honoris Causa), University of New South Wales, Sydney.
2003	Prize for Excellence, First Beijing International Art Biennale, China.
2001	Silver Prize, Osaka Triennial 2001, Osaka, Japan.
1999	First Prize, 1999 Visy Board Art Prize, Barossa, South Australia.
1997	Lowenstein Sharp Arts 21 Fellowship, Melbourne.
1996	Bronze Prize, Osaka Painting Triennial, Osaka Triennial, Osaka.
	SCEGGS Redlands Inaugural Prize, Sydney.
1994	Sakai City Prize, Osaka Print Triennial, Osaka Triennial, Osaka.
	First Prize, Prime Television Painting Prize, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, NSW.
1993	Grand Prize, Osaka Painting Triennial, Osaka Triennial, Osaka.
1991	First Prize, Aberdare Art Prize, Ipswich City Council Regional Gallery, Ipswich.
1981	First Prize, John McCaughey Memorial Prize, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne.

### **COMMISSIONS**

2015

	Memorial in 2014 to commemorate the centeneary of the Gallipoli campaign.
2013	Hymn to Sydney, commissioned by Dexus CPA Trust Pty Ltd and Cbus property, 5
	Martin Place, Sydney.
2001 - 2002	The Attractor and Eight Women, Overflow Park, Sydney Olympic Park, NSW
	(collaboration with Alec Tzannes).
1999 - 2000	Terrain I and Terrain II, Westin Hotel, Melbourne
1991	Founding Donors Commission, entrance lobby, Museum of Contemporary Art,
1985 - 1987	The Dome of the Federation Pavillion, Centennial Park, Sydney (collaboration with

Avenue of Remembrance, tapestry commissioned by The Australian War

## **COLLECTIONS**

Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tmaki, New Zealand Australian Embassy, Paris The Australian War Memorial, Canberra Ballarat Fine Art Gallery, Victoria

Alec Tzannes).



Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria

Bridgestone Museum of Art, Tokyo

Canberra Museum and Gallery

The Chartwell Collection, Hamilton, New Zealand

Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetu, Christchurch, New Zealand

Floridablanca Collection, Madrid

Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne

High Court of Australia Collection, Canberra

Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki

Lila and Gilbert Silverman Collection, Detroit

The Loti and Victor Smorgon Collection, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney

Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York

Monash University Collection, Melbourne

Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Monterray (MARCO), Mexico

Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory, Darwin

Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney

Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa, Wellington

National Gallery of Australia, Canberra

National Gallery of Victoira, Melbourne

National Museum of Art, Riga

Newcastle Region Art Gallery, New South Wales

Orange Regional Gallery, New South Wales

Parliament House Art Collection, Canberra

Pori Art Museum, Finland

Prudential Insurance Company Collection, New York

Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery, Launceston

Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane

Sakai City Collection, Osaka, Japan

Sorello/Missina Collection

TarraWarra Museum of Art, Healesville, Victoria

Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery, Hobart

Tate Gallery, London

University of Technology Art Collection, Sydney

University of Western Australia Collection, Perth

Wagga Wagga Regional Art Gallrey, New South Wales

Westpac Bank Collection, New York

Westpac Coorporation Art Collection

Wollongong City Gallery, New South Wales

Numerous corporate and private collections in Australia and internationally

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2009	The Long Poem, exh. cat. Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery, University of Western Australia, Perth
2006	Deborah Hart, Imants Tillers: one world many visions, Canberra: National Gallery of Australia, 2006.
2002	Graham Coulter-Smith, The postmodern art of Imants Tillers: appropriation 'en abyme' 1971 - 2001, London: Fine Art Research Centre, Southampton Institute and Paul Holberton Publishing, 2002.

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House, 1998.

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70.

2018 Katrina Chapman, 'Journey to Nowhere, The surprising world of Imants Tillers', Eyeline No 89, Brisbane, pp 66 - 72.

lan McLean, 'Imants Tillers Journey to Nowhere', ArtLink, 13 August 2018.

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exhibition in Riga', ABC Arts News, 11 August 2018.

Linda Morris, 'No Longer Invisble - Bringing Australian Art to the TATE Modern', Sydney Morning Herald, 3 April 2018, Simon Wright, 'A Meeting of Minds,' Artlines, issue 2 2018, pp. 52 - 53.

Ingrid Periz, 'On The World Stage,' Ingrid Periz, Art Collector, issue 83 Jan-Mar 2018, pp 84 - 85.

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