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# SABBIA GALLERY

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## TED SECOMBE

Born in Australia 1957  
Member of the International Academy of Ceramics

### EDUCATION

Downlands College - Queensland, Australia  
Graduated with CBLT Associate Diploma in Medical Technology  
Bachelor of Science (Biochemistry)

### BACKGROUND

Commenced Potting 1979, Self-Taught

### International Exhibitions

SOLO – 2019 Shridharani Gallery, Delhi. India  
GROUP – 2019 Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok. Thailand  
SOLO - 2015 One East Asia, Singapore  
GROUP - 2014 New Delhi, India  
GROUP - 2004 Arts Exclusive Gallery, Simsbury, Connecticut, USA  
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SOLO - 2003 Ascension, Warkworth, New Zealand  
GROUP- 2001 St. Joseph Galerie-Leeuwarden, Holland. Galleries Mebius-Noordhorn, Holland  
SOLO - 1992 & 1994 Sendai, Morioka and Sapporo - Japan  
SOLO - 1991 Sendai and Morioka - Japan

### Solo exhibitions (selected)

2023 Alchemist, Sabbia Gallery, Sydney  
2021 Walking a Simple Path, Sabbia Gallery, Sydney  
2019 Ted Secombe Gallery – “40 works for 40 years” Dixons Creek, Victoria  
2018 Skepsi at Malvern Arts Society, Malvern, Victoria  
2017 Sabbia Gallery, Paddington NSW  
2016 Skepsi at Manningham Gallery, Doncaster, Victoria  
“Teapots and Miniatures” -Ted Secombe Studio – Dixons Creek, Victoria  
2014 Sabbia Gallery, Paddington NSW  
Ted Secombe Studio - Dixons Creek, Victoria  
2013 Ted Secombe Studio - Dixons Creek, Victoria  
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2004 25th Anniversary, at Ted Secombe Studio, Yarra Glen, Victoria  
2003 Cloudehill Gardens – Mount Dandenong, Victoria  
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Golden Canvas - Sydney, NSW  
1997 Daring Gallery - Melbourne, Victoria  
1995 Freeman Gallery - Hobart, Tasmania  
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1994 Valley Gallery - Yarra Valley, Victoria

### Group exhibitions

2020 L'uomo - Masters of Ceramics, Sabbia Gallery, Sydney  
2019 YAVA – 'Vessels' incorporated with the Margaret Lawrence Collection  
2018 Sabbia Gallery, Sydney, Australia  
2017 Sabbia Gallery, Sydney, Australia  
"Convergence" Sunshine Coast, QLD  
Manningham Victorian Ceramic Art Award - Vic.  
Clunes Ceramic Art Award – Vic.  
Skepsi Gallery at Monsalvat – Eltham, Vic.  
2016 Sabbia Gallery, Abundance Masters, Paddington, NSW  
Manningham Victorian Ceramic Art Award - Vic.  
Skepsi Gallery at Monsalvat – Eltham, Vic.  
2015 Sabbia Gallery, Autograph, Paddington NSW,  
Manningham Victorian Ceramic Art Award - Vic.  
Stepping-up, Canberra. ACT.  
Hop for Hope at Yarra Valley Chocolaterie for Alannah Madeline Foundation, Yarra Glen. Vic  
2014 Skepsi Gallery at Monsalvat - Eltham, Vic.  
Skepsi pop- up Gallery at Whitehorse Town Hall - Box Hill. Vic.  
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2004 Skepsi Gallery Imperial Porcelain – Carlton, Melbourne  
2003 Skepsi Gallery Imperial Porcelain launch – Carlton, Melbourne  
1999 Objects Gallery "A Generous Vessel"- Sydney, Australia  
1999 & 2000 International Flower Show - Melbourne, Australia.  
Artisan Gallery - Launceston, Tasmania  
1996 Bamfurlong Gallery - Hahndorf, South Australia.  
Fusions Gallery - Brisbane, Queensland  
1995 Manly Art Gallery & Museum - Potters Society of Australia  
1994 Golden Canvas  
1991 Bond University - Gold Coast, Queensland. Sojourners Gallery - Melbourne.  
1991 Hallworth House - Yarrowonga, Victoria.  
1990 Queensland Potters Association - Brisbane, Queensland

### Collections

Artbank - Sydney, Australia  
ANZ Bank - Melbourne, Australia  
Auckland Museum - New Zealand  
Australian Meat Workers Union Collection  
Ballarat Art Gallery - Victoria, Australia  
Bendigo Art Gallery - Victoria, Australia  
Castlemaine Art Gallery, Victoria, Australia  
Ceramic Study Group - Sydney, NSW, Australia  
Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok. Thailand  
Colgate University - New York, U.S.A.  
Crown Casino Collection - Melbourne, Australia  
Daiko Corporation - Japan  
Fujisaki Collection - Japan  
Gandell Collection - Melbourne, Australia  
Gold Coast City Art Gallery - Queensland, Australia  
Hamilton Art Gallery - Hamilton, Victoria, Australia  
High Court of Australia  
Kamins Collection of Contemporary Art - U.S.A.  
Ken Don Museum. Victoria. Australia  
MANABI Park Tajimi - Japan  
Manly Art Gallery and Museum - N.S.W. Australia  
Manningham Art Gallery - Doncaster, Victoria, Australia  
Melbourne Meat Workers Union Collection, Victoria, Australia  
Muswellbrook Art Gallery - N.S.W. Australia  
National Gallery of Australia - Canberra, Australia  
National Gallery of Victoria – Melbourne, Australia  
Powerhouse Museum - Sydney, Australia  
QANTAS Collection  
Queensland Art Gallery - Australia  
Queensland Civic Gallery - Australia  
Queensland House - London UK  
Queensland Potters Gallery Collection - Australia  
Queensland State Collection  
Shore Collection - Sydney, Australia  
Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery - Hobart, Australia  
Tairawhiti Museum - New Zealand  
Toowoomba Art Gallery – Queensland, Australia  
Warrnambool Art Gallery - Victoria, Australia  
Western Australian Art Gallery – Australia  
Whitehorse Collection - Melbourne, Australia

### Commissions

2016 Great Ocean Road Chocolaterie  
2012 Yarra Valley Chocolaterie

2011	Etihad Towers, Abu Dhabi, Epping Plaza, Victoria
2010	Lend Lease Gandel Group, Chadstone
2003, 04	Crown Towers - Melbourne (Art Package)
2000	Westin Plaza Hotel - Singapore (Art package) Gandel Group - Chadstone Shopping Centre, Melbourne, Aus.
1999	Regent Hotel - Sydney, Australia (Room package 150 pieces) Island Pacific Hotel - Hong Kong - (Art package)
1998	Ramada Hotel - Hong Kong (Art package) Shangri-la Hotel - Shanghai China (Art package) Marriot Hotel - Gold Hill Plaza - Brisbane Australia (Room Package 210 pieces) Royal North Shore Private Hospital (Art package) Bond Street Apartments - Sydney. N.S.W. (Art Package) Crown Towers - Melbourne Perth Private Hospital - (Art Package)
1997	Ritz Carlton Millennia - Singapore (Art package) Crown Towers - Melbourne, Australia (Art and Room package 380 pieces) Sheraton Towers - Kuala Lumpur (Art and Room package 402 pieces)
1996	Ritz Carlton Millennia - Singapore (Art 30 Lobby works and Room package 600 vases) Conrad Hilton - Singapore (Art package) Crown Towers - Melbourne, Australia
1994	Laguna Quays Resort - Queensland (Art and room package)

#### **MAJOR AWARDS**

1995	Benalla Mining Co. Pty. Ltd. - Runner-up
1980 -87	Winner of numerous regional ceramic awards
1984, 85, 86	Gold Coast Ceramic Award - Highly Commended
1986	Queensland State Ceramic Award
1986	Fletcher Brown Built Merit Award - New Zealand
1985, 86	North Queensland Ceramic Award
1982, 83, 85	Caltex Warana Brisbane Winner

#### **TEACHING**

2019	Sanskriti New Delhi, India Chualongkorn University, Bangkok. Thailand
2018	Demonstrator, Spring Fever, Sunshine Coast, Queensland, Australia Masterclass, Fremantle Potters Western Australia
2017	Presenter at Suncoast Clay workers, Sunshine Coast, Queensland Australia
2016	Masterclass, Manningham Art Gallery, Doncaster, Victoria, Australia
2015	Masterclass - Tampa Florida USA. Clay Fever - Presenter, Sunshine Coast, Qld, Australia
2014	Ceramic Arts Association of Western Australia. Master Classes Northcote, Melbourne Australia
2013	Powerhouse Museum - Ceramic Study Group, Sydney, Australia
2002	Sunshine Coast Potters Group and Wide Bay and Burnett Potters Assn – Sunshine Coast, Queensland.
2001	Warwick - Gladstone - Cairns
2000	North Queensland Potters Assn - Townsville & Charters Towers
1999	Tasmanian Potter's Society - Devonport, Australia
1998	Macquarie University - Sydney, Australia
1996	Newcastle Potters Studio - N.S.W. Geelong Potters Association - Victoria Holmesglen College of TAFE - Victoria. Box Hill College of TAFE - Victoria
1995	Artist in residence, SHORE - Sydney, N.S.W. Lectures to Universities and Colleges
1994	Lectures to Universities and Colleges. Professional workshops conducted
1993	Lectures to master's degree Students - Monash University, Vic.

#### **Professional workshops for Ceramic Groups**

1986-87	Lectures to Art Gallery Patrons on Ceramic Appreciation
1982-87	Lectures and Tutorials to Urban and Country Pottery Assns
1982-83	Lecturer Ceramics - Gold Coast College of TAFE
1981	President - Gold Coast Potters Assn.