
SABBIA GALLERY

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BRENDEEN SCOTT FRENCH

Born Toowoomba, Australia 1969

EDUCATION

2003 BA (Vis) Honours, Canberra School of Art ANU
1998-1999 Associate of Design – Glass Studio, Jamfactory Contemporary Craft and Design
1997 Bachelor of Visual Arts – Glass, Sydney College of the Arts

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2023 In Sequences, Sabbia Gallery – Redfern, Sydney
2021 Temporal Looping, Sabbia Gallery – Redfern, Sydney
2019 Sounding Rebellion - Australian Contemporary AUS
2018 Received Landscapes - Sabbia Gallery AUS
2017 Western Ridge - Beaver Galleries AUS
2015 Colour Remains Sabbia Gallery AUS
2012 Futures Pass Remains - Beaver Galleries Canberra AUS
2011 Open Negative – Sabbia Gallery Sydney AUS
2010 Future's Pass and other short stories - JamFactory Contemporary Craft and Design Adelaide AUS
2007 Artefact of the Accident – Predator Canberra Glassworks Canberra ACT AUS
2007 Artefact of the Accident - JamFactory Contemporary Craft and Design Adelaide AUS

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023 Kings School Art Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Kings School, Sydney
GOLD: 50 Years 50 JamFactory Alumni, JamFactory, Adelaide
2021 The Study, Sabbia Gallery, Redfern, Sydney
2020 Salute XV, Sabbia Gallery, Redfern, Sydney
2019 Klaus Moje Glass Award 2019 Canberra AUS
Avanti – Sabbia moves to Redfern, Sydney
Hot Shop - Masters of Glass - Sabbia Gallery AUS
2018 Sydney Contemporary - Sabbia Gallery AUS
Fuse Glass Prize Finalist - Jamfactory Contemporary Craft and Design AUS
Genius Loci - Canberra Glassworks AUS
Sketch – Masters of Glass - Sabbia Gallery AUS
2017 Tom Malone Prize Finalist - Art Gallery of Western Australia AUS
2016 SOFA Chicago - Kirra Galleries
Fuse Glass Prize Finalist - Jamfactory Contemporary Craft and Design AUS
2015 SOFA Chicago Kirra Galleries
2013 Links - Australian Glass and the Pacific Northwest, Museum of Glass Tacoma Washington USA
Designing Craft Crafting Design 40 Years of Jamfactory National Tour AUS
Australian Glass Now- Traver Gallery Seattle Washington USA
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Perspectives Interior Exterior Kirra Galleries Melbourne AUS
Designing Craft Crafting Design 40 Years of Jamfactory National Tour AUS
Ten Squared - Canberra Glassworks AUS
Landscape - Masters of Glass Sabbia Gallery AUS

2012 Waterhouse Art Prize - South Australian Museum Adelaide AUS
 Beyond Tradition-Contemporary Glass in a Museum Environment- Northlands Creative Glass UK
 Directors Choice Kirra Gallery Melbourne AUS
 Transparency Jamfactory Contemporary Craft and Design Adelaide AUS

2011 SOFA Chicago Beaver Galleries USA
 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist – AUS
 Master Glass BMGART Adelaide AUS

2010 SOFA Chicago Beaver Galleries USA
 The Sum of Parts Sabbia Gallery Sydney AUS
 Imago Gallery Palm Desert California USA
 Blue, Object gallery, Sydney

2009 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist – AUS
 Collect09 – Glass Artists Gallery - Saatchi Gallery – London UK
 Look Forward – William Traver Gallery Tacoma Washington USA
 WhiteHot - Asialink touring show – Gallery of Art and Design Silpakom - University Bangkok Thailand -
 Vietnam Museum of Fine Arts Hanoi - Kaohsjung Museum of Fine Arts Taiwan

2008 In Essence – The Stephen Procter Legacy Sabbia Gallery Sydney AUS
 Hunks of Glass, Canberra, ACT
 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist AUS

2007 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist AUS

2002 RFC Glass Prize Customs House Sydney AUS

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2020 Residency, Canberra Glassworks, ACT

2019 ArtGroup Creative Fellowship Canberra Glassworks
 Klaus Moje Glass Award Finalist 2019 Canberra AUS
 ArtsSA Independent Makers and Presenters – Professional Development Assistance

2018 Artist in Residence Canberra Glassworks
 Fuse Glass Prize Finalist - Jamfactory Contemporary Craft and Design AUS

2017 ArtsSA Independent Makers and Presenters – Professional Development Assistance
 Tom Malone Prize Finalist - Art Gallery of Western Australia AUS

2016 Fuse Glass Prize Finalist - Jamfactory Contemporary Craft and Design AUS

2014 Artist in Residence Tacoma Museum of Glass Tacoma USA

2013 ArtsSA Independent Makers and Presenters – Professional Development Assistance

2012 Waterhouse Art Prize - South Australian Museum Adelaide AUS

2011 ArtsSA independent Makers and Presenters – Professional Development Assistance
 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist – AUS

2009 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist – AUS

2008 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist AUS

2007 Ranamok Glass Prize Finalist AUS
 The Stephen Procter Fellowship
 Canberra Glassworks - Artist in Residence
 Northlands Creative Glass – Artist in Residence – Scotland
 Australian National University – Artist in Residence Glass Workshop

2002 RFC Glass Prize Customs House Sydney AUS

2001 Lino Tagliapietra International Scholarship – Pilchuck Glass School Seattle
 The Ian Potter Cultural Trust Award

2000 Emerging Artist Project Development Grant ArtsSA

COLLECTIONS

National Glass Collection Wagga Wagga AUS
 Tacoma Museum of Glass USA
 Dana Farber Cancer Institute Boston MA USA
 Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA, USA
 Bullseye Glass Collection, Portland, OR, USA
 Kaplan Ostergaard Glass Centre, Palm Springs, CA, USA
 Andy Plummer Collection AUS