



SALA

Gallery M Open Contemporary Art Prize 2018

Selected finalists' artwork in various media, with over \$5,000 in prizes

This is the third year of the Gallery M Open Contemporary Art Prize, providing an exciting opportunity for South Australian artists to exhibit their work. The art prize exhibition is an initiative of Gallery M and Jarrah J. Holmes of Century 21 Bayside Brighton, and is open to all artists aged over 18 years living and working in South Australia. The exhibition is a SALA Festival event.



painting by Michelle Ellis

This year's exhibition was collaboratively judged by three independent arts professionals, who had the difficult task of choosing the finalists from almost 150 entries. The thirty two selected artworks are innovative works in a range of media.



mixed media by Peter Surguy

Entry to the exhibition was via a pre-selection process, with the judging panel selecting artworks from digital images submitted.



glass, metal, clay by Stephen Skillitzi

Final judging is in Gallery M prior to the exhibition launch, and the prizes will be presented to the winning artists on the opening night Friday 10 August.

Through generous donations the Gallery M Open Contemporary Prize is offering non-acquisitive prizes to the value of over \$5,000.



oil on board by David O'Connor

Gallery M thanks our sponsors for providing prize money and additional funds for administration costs, and acknowledge the valuable in kind support given by Centreprint, Patritti Wines & the Marion Cultural Centre.

- **Major Prize: \$3,000**
donated by Jarrah J. Holmes,
Century 21 Bayside Brighton
- **\$1,000*** Ian Willding Emerging
Artist Prize
- **\$500** Warradale Hotel Prize
- **\$500 (voucher)**
Splashout Art Studios Award
- **\$200 (voucher)**
Premier Art Supplies Award

**This prize is in the memory of Ian Willding, (1954-2016), funded by donations from his many friends and colleagues.*

OFFICIAL LAUNCH
7pm, Friday 10 August
by
His Worship the Mayor of Marion
Kris Hanna
followed by presentation
of prizes

As well as paintings and drawings, there is photography, textiles, sculpture, mixed media, woven tapestry and digital artwork.

A glossy professionally printed booklet, featuring all the finalists' artwork will be available to purchase.

SPECIAL EVENING VIEWING 5-8pm
Friday 17 August
Can't get to Gallery M weekdays?
Take this opportunity to view the exhibition in a relaxed and informal social atmosphere.
Live music in the Cafe from 5.30pm.



textile by Kaaren Temme

Selected finalists:

- Jason Aslin
- Bianca Burian
- Jon Carl
- Michelle Driver
- Steven Duncan
- Michelle Ellis
- John Hamilton
- Rosie Hamilton
- Patrick Heath
- Kathryn Hill
- Ronda Hollis
- Kevin Hudson
- Valerie Jordan
- Jann Makepeace
- John Martin
- Helen Nieuwendijk
- Ron Orchard
- David O'Conner
- Tim O'Shea
- Yousouf Peerbaye
- Maureen Prichard
- Alan Ramachandran
- Fatemeh Shahriari
- Stephen Skillitzi
- Dave Smith
- Julie Strawinski
- Peter Surguy
- Kaaren Temme
- Anne Thompson
- Lucy Timbrell



Sunday 5 August

Close of 'Larger Than Life' exhibition

10 August - 2 September

WHOLE GALLERY

- ▶ 'Gallery M Open Contemporary Art Prize' Artworks in various media by selected South Australian contemporary artists
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SALA

7 - 30 September

THREE EXHIBITIONS

- ▶ 'Plus One' Artwork in various media by members of the **Red House Group Inc**, plus a selected junior artist with whom the member has a connection. (HALF GALLERY)
- ▶ 'Les Fleurs du Printemps' paintings by **Nicole Jusserand** (QUARTER GALLERY)
- ▶ 'Limited Edition' relief prints by **Kate Foster, Ros McDougall & Hazel Harris** (QUARTER GALLERY)

5 - 28 October

TWO HALF GALLERY EXHIBITIONS

- ▶ 'Spirit of Place' an exhibition of textiles, printmaking & artists books by the Yanagi Group: **Mem Graham, Andie Marten, Isobel McGarry & Wendy Wright**
- ▶ 'Contrasts' artwork in various media by **Maré Puksand & Svetlana Elliott**

Gallery M welcomes exhibition proposals for 2020
Forms can be downloaded from www.gallery.com.au

talking shop



handmade mosaics created by **Mina Pickett**

(left)
lazy susan - fruit design
(40cm diameter)

\$175

(right)
trivets
(18cm diameter)

\$39 each



MIDWINTER MOSAICS



(left)
'Reflections'
(26cmW x 26cmH)
\$140

handmade glass mosaic wall-hangings by **Sue Read**



(below)
'Jetty'
(33cmW x 21cmH)
\$145

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of value!

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