

## LAURA E. KENNEDY | CV

#### **EDUCATION**

2007-2008 Bachelor of Visual Arts (Printmedia), University of Sydney, Sydney College of the Arts, Rozelle NSW

2005 1st year of study completed: Bachelor of Fine Arts, National Art School, Darlinghurst NSW

2013 Cert III Arts Administration, TAFE NSW (Completed Online)

## **AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES**

2018	Winner, The Henry Jones Art Prize, Henry Jones Art Hotel, Hobart, TAS
	Finalist, The Churchie: National Emerging Artist Prize, QUT Art Museum, Brisbane, QLD
2017	Finalist, STILL: National Still Life Award, Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, Coffs Harbour, NSW
	Finalist, Brisbane Art Prize, Judith Wright Centre of Contemporary Arts, QLD
2016	Finalist, Lethbridge 10000, Lethbridge Gallery, Brisbane
	Finalist, Marrie Elis OAM Prize for Drawing, Jugglers Art Space, Brisbane
	Finalist, Myself Prize, Jugglers Art Space, Brisbane
2015	Finalist,City of Hobart Art Prize, Tasmainan Museum and Art Gallery
2014	Finalist, Rick Amor Drawing Prze, Art gallery of Ballarat
	Finalist, Bay of Fires Art Prize, Tidal Waters, St Helens

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2018	High Artmaking with Primary School Supplies, .M Contemporary, Woollahra
2015	P.U.P - Pretty Ugly Project, Penny Contemporary, Hobart
2013	Fowl + Flamingo, Penny Contemporary, Hobart

#### **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2019	Sydney Contemporary, .M Contemporary, Carriageworks, Sydney
	Summer Group Exhibition, Lyons Wier Gallery, New York City NY USA
2017	Lover's Eye, Modern Eden, San Francisco, USA
	The End of the World, .M Contemporary, Woollahra, NSW
2016	Wanderlust IV Invitational, Modern Eden, San Francisco, USA
	Polygon Project, Sidespace Gallery, Salamanca Arts Centre
2015	Wanderlust III Invitational, Modern Eden, San Francisco, USA
	Xmas Exhibition, .M Contemporary, Woollahra, NSW
	Singapore AAF, Retrospect Galleries, Singapore
	Into the Wild Invitational, Auguste Clown, Fitzroy, Victoria
	Mythology of My Land, .M Contemporary, Woollahra, NSW
	Editions #1, Penny Contemporary, Hobart
2014	ENGAGE, Selected Emerging Australian Artists, .M Contemporary, Woollahra, NSW
2013	Annual Member's Exhibition, Contemporary Art Tasmania, Nth Hobart
	Glenorchy Open, Moonah Arts Centre, Moonah

# **COLLABORATIVE EXHIBITIONS**

2008	'In Modern Memory', Latrobe University Visual Arts Centre, Bendigo
2006	'In Modern Memory', with Michele Burder and Amanda Johnson, Blindside Gallery, Melbourne
1998	Carolyn Dew, Dena Kahan & Susan Hewitt, Talk Artist's Initiative, Melbourne



#### **COLLECTIONS**

Bundanon Trust
Ian Potter Museum of Art, University of Melbourne
Lyceum Club, Melbourne
Museum of Victoria
Town Hall Gallery, Boroondara, Melbourne
Private collections in Australia and abroad

#### **SELECTED MEDIA/ESSAYS**

Alison Inglis, Dena Kahan's The Glass Garden: artifice, paradox, enigma, catalogue Essay, Art Gallery of Ballarat, Oct. 2015 Sarah Sweet, Dena Kahan – The Glass Garden, Art Almanac, August 2015

Megan Backhouse, The Age, 20 October 2012

Megan Backhouse, The Age, 21 June, 2008

Jo Printz, Breakfast with Jonathan Ridnell, ABC Local Radio, Central Victoria, 14 May 2007

James Taylor, The Bendigo Advertiser, 17 May 2007

Terri-Anne Kingsley, 14 May, 2007, ABC Website

Stephen Haley, A reflection, on glass, catalogue essay, 2006

Amanda Smith, The Deep End, Radio National, 6 September, 2006

Penny Webb, The Age, 15 September, 2006

Amanda Johnson, New Paintings, catalogue essay, 2002