



CONTEMPORARY

AGNETA EKHOLM | CV

EDUCATION

- 1984-85 College of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Creative Development certificate
1988-89 Västra Nylands College, Finland, Art Certificate
1991-94 Yrkeshögskolan Novia, Finland, Bachelor of Visual Arts
1994-96 Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, (R.M.I.T.), Bachelor of Arts in Fine Art Honours (Painting)

AWARDS

- 2020 2020 Ravenswood Art Prize - Finalist
2020 47th Muswellbrook Art Prize - finalist
2018 Finalist, Ravenswood Art Prize, Sydney, NSW, Australia
2017 Winner, Denfair 2017 Art Awards Best in Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Australia
2016 Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
2015 Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
2014 Finalist, Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
2013 Finalist, Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
The Wilson Visual Arts Award, Lismore, NSW, Australia
Fleurieu Art Prize, SA, Australia
2012 Finalist, Mount Eyre Art Prize 2012, Rex Livingston Art Dealer, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Finalist, Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
Finalist, Redland Art Award, Cleveland, Queensland, Australia
Finalist, Fischer's Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown Arts Centre, NSW, Australia
2010 Finalist, Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
2009 Finalist, Prometheus Visual Arts Award, Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia
Finalist, Mount Eyre Art Prize 2009, Rex Livingston Art Dealer, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Finalist, DLAP 2009, Bundoora Homestead Art Centre, Melbourne
2003 Arts Victoria Grant, Victoria, Australia
2002 Embassy of Finland Grant, Australia
1999 Pat Corrigan Artist Grant, Australia
1993 Svenska Kulturfonden, Swedish cultural foundation, Finland
1992 Scholarship, Swedish Art School of Nykarleby, Finland

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 Where the Light Gets In, .M Contemporary, Sydney, Australia
2022 Holding Space, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria Australia
2020 Solo at .M Contemporary, Sydney, NSW, Australia
2019 Levitate, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
2018 Recent Paintings, M Contemporary, Sydney, NSW, Australia
2017 Figment, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
2015 Unfold, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
2013 Elements, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
2011 Arthouse Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand
Nordens Hus (Nordic House), Reykjavik, Iceland
2009 Recent Work, Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China
Trace, Gallery 101, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
2008 Orbit, Gallery O, Perth, WA, Australia
Orbit, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
2006 arcana, Gallery 101, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
arcana 2, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand



2004 Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
Embassy of Finland, Canberra, Australia

2003 Reflections, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand

2000 Hotel Sofitel, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

1999 Iridescence, West Space, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Soho Galleries, Sydney, , NSW, Australia
The Yellow House Gallery, Castlemaine, Victoria, Australia

1998 Gallery High 445, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Chiara Goya Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

1996 Impulsions, First Site (R.M.I.T. Union gallery), Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2021 Sydney Contemporary Art Fair, .M Contemporary, Sydney, NSW

2021 8th Anniversary Group Show, .M Contemporary, Sydney, NSW

2020 Of Colour and Light Biennial, Westend Art Space, Melbourne.

2019 30 x 30, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne

2019 Sydney Contemporary Art Fair, .M Contemporary Group Show, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Sydney Contemporary Art Fair, 'Fluidity,' Flinders Lane Gallery, Victoria, Australia
Art Central Hong Kong, .M Contemporary, Hong Kong, China
The Politics of Dreams, .M Contemporary, Sydney, NSW, Australia
30th Anniversary Curated Group Exhibition, '30 x 30,' Flinders Lane Gallery Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

2018 Sydney Contemporary, M Contemporary, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Subterrain, FLG at Collins Place Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

2017 Denfair, Melbourne Trade Fair, represented by Flinders Lane Gallery, Victoria, Australia
The Winter Collection: Three Painters. Gallery Thirty Three, Wanaka, New Zealand

2016 Denfair, Melbourne Trade Fair, represented by Flinders Lane Gallery, Victoria, Australia
Fuse, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Of Colour and Light, Yarra Sculpture Gallery ,Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Painting and Platter, Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China

2015 Gallery Thirty Three, Wanaka, New Zealand
Aptos Cruz Galleries, SA, Australia

2014 The Portrait Show, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Energy Continuum, Gallery Thirty Three, Wanaka, New Zealand
Melbourne Art Fair, Royal Exhibition Building, represented by Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
25th Anniversary Exhibition, Flinders lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

2013 Gallery Thirty Three, Wanaka, New Zealand
Dawn & Dusk, Olsen Irwin Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Australia
East Meets West, Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China

2012 Laisee Koru -10 Years of Art in Hong Kong, Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China
The Studio Show II, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Au Courant, Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Time/Space, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Mount Eyre Vineyards Art Prize, Rex- Livingston Art Dealer, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
Fischer's Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown Arts Centre, NSW, Australia
Redland Art Award, Cleveland, Queensland, Australia

2011 En Masse, Arthouse Gallery, New Zealand
Art Fair Copenhagen'11, Represented by Ama Galleria, Helsinki, Finland
Art Fair Helsinki'11, Represented by Ama galleria, Helsinki, Finland
Pop Up II, Arthouse Gallery, New Zealand
Laisee/Koru -10 Years of Art in Hong Kong, Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China

2010 Calleen Art Award, Cowra Regional Art Gallery, Cowra, NSW, Australia
Autumn Collection, James Makin Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Fine Art Asia 2010, Hong Kong International Art and Antiques Fair, represented by Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China

2009 Australian Contemporary Art 2009, represented by Koru Contemporary Art,
The Rotunda exchange square. Hong Kong, China
Prometheus Visual Arts Award, Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia
A month of Sundays, Sunday & Rex, London, UK

- Mount Eyre Vineyards Art Prize, Rex- Livingston Art Dealer, Sydney
DLAP 2009, Bundoora Homestead Art Centre, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- 2008 Singapore Art Fair, Singapore, represented by Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China
- 2007 Koru Spring Show, Koru Contemporary Art, Hong Kong, China
Auckland Art Fair, represented by Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
Whitespace Christmas exhibition, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2006 The Affordable Art Show, Gallery 101, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Group Show, Dagmar Art Consultants, Melbourne
Group Show, Dagmar Art Consultants, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- 2005 Three abstract painters, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
Essoign Club, courtesy of Gallery 101, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Auckland Art Fair, represented by Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
Whitespace Christmas exhibition, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2004 Melbourne Art Fair, Royal Exhibition Building, represented by Gallery 101, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Harmony and Counterpoint, Gallery 101, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Whitespace Christmas exhibition, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2003 Sceggs Art Show, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Whitespace Christmas exhibition, Whitespace, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2002 South - Sur: Group collaboration with artists in Bogota, Colombia
Canberra Contemporary Art Space, Canberra, ACT, Australia
Melbourne Art Fair, Royal Exhibition Building Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- 2001 Morgan & Banks, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Ansett Golden Wing Lounge - Sydney Airport, NSW, Australia
Glass Exposed, Goya Galleries, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Sceggs Art Show, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Pushing Paint, a two person exhibition, Glass Street Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Goya Galleries, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, Victoria, Australia
- 2000 The Exquisite Corpse, Bendigo Art Gallery, (touring Victoria 2001), Victoria, Australia
Hi/Lo Exotico, Espacio Alterno, Bogota, Colombia
14 GO: Emerging artists make their mark, Bendigo Art Gallery, Victoria, Australia
- 1999 The Post-Postcard Show, Linden Gallery, St. Kilda, NSW, Australia
Hi/Lo Exotico, Centro Alzate Avendano, Bogota, Colombia
Quadrivium, Sydney, NSW, Australia
Coalesce, Dianne Tanzer Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Goya Galleries, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- 1998 Hi/Lo Exotico: Group collaboration with artists in Bogota, Colombia
Stop 22 Gallery, St Kilda, NSW, Australia
- 1996 George Paton Gallery, University of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Erskine House, Lorne, Victoria, Australia
R.M.I.T. Honours Graduate exhibition, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- 1995 Seinajoen Taidehalli, Finland
Context, Perception, Readings, R.M.I.T. city campus Graduate Painting exhibition, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
- 1994 Gallery Victor, Nykarleby, Finland
- 1993 Swedish Art School of Nykarleby, Spring exhibition, Umeå, Sweden
- 1992 Swedish Art School of Nykarleby, Spring exhibition, Umeå, Sweden
- 1989 Karis, Finland

PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS

- 2021 Richard Morecroft exhibition interview, https://youtu.be/c8W7e_d3CSc
- 2019 Sydney Contemporary, Special Edition, Courtney Kidd, Art Collector, p. 72.
- 2019 Levitate, Christopher Heathcote, Catalogue Essay, Flinders Lane Gallery
The Winter Collection: Three Painters, Laura Elliot, Otago Daily Times 15/6
Twist and turn, Susan Muldowney, Mezzanine Vol 11
- 2017 Figment, Christopher Heathcote, Catalogue Essay, Flinders Lane Gallery
- 2016 Top 6 Summer 2016 Shows on Hong Kong's Cultural South Side, Claire Bouchara, Blouinartinfo HK, 18/7
- 2015 Artist Profile on Agneta Ekholm, Daily imprint, www.dailyimprint.net, 14 April
Unfold, Andrew Gaynor, Catalogue Essay, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne
Bright Designs, Joan Clayton. The Courier, 21/10
- 2014 Taiteilijaksi Pajalahdentieltä Melbourneen, Anni Kotkamaa, Lauttasaari, 19/12

- 2013 Elements, Phe Luxford, Catalogue Essay, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne
Space, Phe Luxford, Catalogue Essay, Flinders Lane Gallery, Melbourne
- 2012 Space exhibition, Phe Luxford, The Melbourne review, August
Art/The here and now. Financial Review 5/7
Batten, John, 'Laisee :10 years of Koru Contemporary Art' Hong Kong, China, 2012
- 2009 Notes, Art Monthly, September issue
'Agneta Ekholm at Koru Contemporary Art', 2009
Marguerite Brown, Asian Art News pp.110-112, March/April
- 2008 Abstract fascination, Claire Halliday, Insite Homes Antiques Art, autumn issue
Orbit, Marguerite Brown, Catalogue Essay, Gallery O, Perth. Whitespace, Auckland New Zealand
The galleries: Hooked by lustre of our heritage. T.J. McNamara, The New Zealand Herald, 5/7
- 2006 101 Collins Quarterly, Melbourne
arcana, Christopher Heathcote, Catalogue Essay, Gallery 101, Melbourne
art news.co.nz New Zealand, September
nzlive.com New Zealand culture online, September
- 2005 101 Collins Quarterly, Melbourne
- 2004 Harmony & Counterpoint, Art Monthly Australia, November
Harmony & Counterpoint, Emma Gill, Catalogue, Gallery 101, Melbourne
Abstract Patterns, Megan Backhouse, The Age 30/10
Scandinavian snow and Bondi beach, Derek Cheng, The New Zealand Herald 3/11
Imagination takes wing, T. J. McNamara, The New Zealand Herald, 3/11
- 2003 CityScene, Auckland City, 23/3
Worldview, SBS radio interview
- 2002 Galleries And Eclectic Furniture, The Melbourne Times, 22/5
Melbourne Art Fair 2002 Catalogue
- 2001 Consulting the key to a super purchase, The Age, 18/6
Glass Exposed, critic's choice by Jeff Makin, Herald-Sun, 18/6
- 2000 The Arts Show, presented by Jill Singer, ABC-TV, 22/5
- 1999 Rhythm of color, Trish Satori Bendigo Advertiser, 27/11
Exhibition at Yellow House Gallery, Castlemaine Mail, 3/12
Rhythm of color, Trish Satori Bendigo Advertiser, 27/11
Exhibition at Yellow House Gallery, Castlemaine Mail, 3/12
- 1998 Melbourne Fringe Visual Arts catalogue
Melbourne Fringe Visual Arts catalogue,
- 1996 R.M.I.T. Department of Fine Art Graduate catalogue
R.M.I.T. Department of Fine Art (Painting), Graduate & Honours postcard publication
- 1995 R.M.I.T. Department of Fine Art Graduate catalogue
- 1994 Article/review on Gallery Victor exhibition, Vasa Bladet, 19/1
Article/review on Gallery Victor exhibition, Keski Pohjanmaa, 20/1
- 1993 Swedish Art School of Nykarleby, 1993 Year Report

COLLECTIONS

The Ritz Carlton Yacht Collection, The Netherlands
Essendon Fields Airport, Australia
Novotel South Wharf, Melbourne
Artbank
Embassy of Finland, Australia
Mandarin Oriental Hotel, Guangzhou, China
Val Morgan Collection
Google, San Fransisco,USA
Hyatt Tysons Corner,Virginia,USA
Washington Court Hotel, Washington DC,USA
Orix, Australia
JW Marriott Hotel, Miami, FL, USA
S. Keable & Co. Pty. Ltd
Sony Music Corporation
Scarpi Collection
Brandt Revisionspartnerselskab, Denmark
Heidrick & Struggles

Elio Sarpi Collection
George Freeman Collection
Wyatt Alexander & Koistinen
Sioma Wajchman Collection
LK Mur & Platt Ab, Sweden
Goya Collection
Alan Wilson Collection
Manson Group, Auckland, New Zealand
Art Associates, Auckland, New Zealand
Marriott Hotel, Beijing, China
Rydges Hotel Group
The Cosmopolitan, Las Vegas, USA
The Parisian, Macau, China
Private Collections in Australia, New Zealand, Asia, Scandinavia,
United States and Canada
Manson Group, Auckland, New Zealand
Art Associates, Auckland, New Zealand
Marriott Hotel, Beijing, China
Rydges Hotel Group
The Cosmopolitan, Las Vegas, USA
The Parisian, Macau, China
Private Collections in Australia, New Zealand, Asia, Scandinavia,
United States and Canada