

LUKE THURGATE | CV

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- Bachelor of Fine Art, University of Newcastle 2006
- 2014 Certificate IV, Training and Assessment, Tighes Hill TAFE, Newcastle
- 2021 Master of Fine Art, National Art School, Sydney

SOLO AND COLLABORATIVE EXHIBITIONS

- There be Monsters, . M Contemporary, Darlinghurst, Australia Drawing: The Mask and the Catacomb by Luke Thurgate and Lisa Jones, .M Contemporary, Darlinghurst, Australia
- 2018 The Burra Archive, Burra Regional Art Gallery, Australia
- 2016 Face Off, Floating Goose Studios, Adelaide Efface (with Chelsea Lehmann), Strange Neighbour Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
- 2015 Removal, Hub Central, University of Adelaide, Australia
- 2014 Cover Up, Fontanelle Gallery, Adelaide, Australia
- 2010 How to Draw the Luke Thurgate Way, Firstdraft, Sydney, Australia
- 2008 Little Death, John Miller Gallery, Newcastle, Australia
- 2005 Yellow Socks Brigade (with Lucas Grogan), Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle, Australia
- 2004 High School Major Work (with Kristian Glynn), Rocket Art, Newcastle, Australia We love Symmetry II (with Kristian Glynn), Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle, Australia
- 2003 We love Symmetry (with Kristian Glynn), John Paynter Gallery, Newcastle, Australia

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- Pride and Prejudice... Part 1, Bergman Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand Adore You (Queer Contemporary), National Art School, Sydney, Australia WorldPride 2023 - Pride Amplified, .M Contemporary, Darlinghurst, Australia
- 2022 Sydney Contemporary, .M Contemporary, Carriageworks, Sydney, Australia
- 2021 Eight Anniversary Group Show, .M Contemporary, Darlinghurst, Australia Oh Shit, Backwoods Gallery, Melbourne, Australia Care, National Art School Drawing Gallery, Sydney, Australia Contingence, Scratch Art Space, Marrickville, Australia
- 2020 Decameron, Stairwell Gallery, National Art School, Sydney, Australia
- 2019 Lupercalia, Adelaide Central Gallery, Australia
- 2018 The Drawing Exchange 2018, Adelaide Central Gallery & National Art School, Australia
- 2017 The Drawing Exchange, Adelaide Central School of Art & National Art School, Australia
- 2016 Drawing Conversations, Rayner Hoff Project Space, National Art School, Australia Painting Twice, praxis ARTSPACE, Adelaide, Australia Vitrine, Hub Central, University of Adelaide, Australia
- 2015 Portraits and Identity, Adelaide Airport, Australia Signature, The University Gallery, University of Newcastle, Australia

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| | Adorn, Adelaide Central Gallery, Adelaide, Australia |
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| 2014 | Drawing Month, Adelaide Central School of Art, Adelaide, Australia |
| | Transformation, The University Gallery, University of Newcastle, Australia |
| | Gematria, Adelaide Central Gallery, Adelaide, Australia |
| 2013 | Salon de mechanic, Mechanical Gallery, Adelaide, Australia |
| 2010 | Labelled Queer, Maitland Regional Art Gallery, Maitland, Australia |
| 2009 | Steel City Boys, MOP Project Space, Sydney, Australia |
| 2008 | Black and White, The University Gallery, University of Newcastle, Australia |
| | SafARI, MOP Project Space, Sydney, Australia |
| 2007 | Open Foundation, Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle, Australia |
| 2006 | 18 Takes, Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle, Australia |
| 2004 | Art 100, Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle, Australia |
| 2003 | Toys and Games of 87, John Paynter Gallery, Newcastle, Australia |
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GRANTS, AWARDS AND PRIZES

| 2020 | Jacaranda Drawing Prize, finalist, Grafton Regional Gallery |
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| | Tom Bass Prize for Figurative Sculpture, finalist, Juniper Hall, Sydney |
| 2019 | The Dobell Drawing Prize, finalist, National Art School, Sydney |
| 2017 | Whyalla Art Prize, finalist, Middleback Art Centre, Whyalla |
| 2016 | Independent Makers & Presenters - Professional Development Grant, Arts South Australia |
| 2015 | Prospect Portrait Prize, Prospect Gallery, Adelaide |
| 2010 | Redlands Westpac Art Prize, finalist, Mosman Gallery, Sydney |
| 2007 | Brian & Rohma Cummins Award, finalist, The University Gallery, University of Newcastle |

RESIDENCIES

| 2018 | The Burra Archive, Burra Regional Art Gallery |
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| 2017 | Seymour College, Adelaide Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists, Adelaide |
| 2015 | Artlab Australia, Adelaide |
| 2006 | Drawing on the Walls, Wallsend Regional Library, Newcastle |
| 2005 | Rocket Art, Newcastle |

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

| 2020 | Long Story Short - Lucas Grogan, Catalogue Essay (Writer), Maitland Regional Art Gallery |
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| 2017 | Art Monthly Australasia, October Edition |
| 2016 | Robert Hannaford, Drawing Resource, Art Gallery of South Australia |

COLLECTIONS

Maitland Regional Art Gallery **Macquarie University** University of South Australia **Catherine Croll Collection Alex Seton Collection**

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