

SIONE MONŪ | CV

EDUCATION

Diploma of Visual Arts, TAFE New South Wales, Australia 2013

SELECTED SOLO & COLLABORATIVE EXHIBITIONS

- Where The Wild Roses Grow, Bergman Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand Untitled, Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand Toloa Tales (with Edith Amituanai), Christchurch Art Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand
- 2023 The Way We Were, Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand Stories, City Gallery Wellington, Wellington, New Zealand
- 2022 Matariki Fetu'u, Kaukau, Wellington, New Zealand Volver, Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand Kindred: A Leitī Chronicle (with Manu Vaeatangitau), Auckland Art Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2021 'Ao Kakala Ōtautahi, SCAPE Public Art Season 2021, Christchurch, New Zealand
 - Leitī, Perth Institute of Contemporary Arts, Perth, Australia Broken Embraces, The Lightship, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2020 Single bed/studio, Play_station, Wellington, New Zealand Kahoa Kakala, Objectspace, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2017 Kahoa Kakala, Fresh Gallery Ōtara, Auckland, New Zealand

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- Night of Pacific Art, Bergman Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand 2025 Aotearoa Art Fair, Bergman Gallery, Viaduct Events Centre, Auckland, New Zealand Radical Hope, Galleria Blanchaert via Calatafimi, Milano, Italy
- 2023 Queer Encounters, Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia The long waves of our ocean: New responses to Pacific poems, National Library Gallery, National Library Wellington, Wellington, New Zealand Tukufakaholo – Tongan Contemporary, Bergman Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand Pride and Prejudice... Part1, Bergman Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand Oasis/respite, Studio One Toi Tū, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2022 ĀTĀVĀ: Tātatau'ata Marking Symmetry in Images, St Paul St Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand Twisting, turning, winding: takatāpui + queer objects, Objectspace, Auckland, New Zealand Freedom in their nowness: Fanafana me'a ha'a Leitī, Māngere Art Centre, Auckland, New Zealand Material sense, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand Ocean Breeze, The Nomadic Art Gallery, Gent, Belgium Kindred: A Leitī Chronicle, Māngere Art Centre, Auckland, New Zealand Secrets, Garden Reflexxx presents, Pink Flamingo Cinema, Sydney, Australia Screwball, Verge Gallery, Sydney, Australia Declaration: A Pacific Feminist Agenda, Auckland Art Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand A park is not a forest, SCA Gallery, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia

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2021 The Inner Lives of Islands, Te Tuhi, Auckland, New Zealand Sovereign Pacific / Pacific Sovereigns, Artspace Aotearoa, Auckland, New Zealand 2020 Te Wheke: Pathways Across Oceania, Christchurch Art Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand Spheres: An Online Video Project, Christchurch Art Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand Speaking Surfaces, ST PAUL St Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand 2019 The Marketplace of Feelings, Corban Estate Arts Centre, Auckland, New Zealand Here Is Your Horizon, Cement Fondu, Sydney, Australia More than all the ocean between us, Artspace Sydney, Sydney, Australia 2018 Into My Arms, ACE Open, Adelaide, Australia 2017 The Cold Islanders, Waikato Museum, Waikato, New Zealand lei-pā, ST PAUL St Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand I like reality, it doesn't terrify me, Espace Solidor, Cagnes-sur-Mer, France Making Space (with FAFSWAG), CoCA Centre of Contemporary Art, Christchurch, New Zealand Of All Others, Firstdraft, Sydney, Australia Pōuliuli, West Space, Melbourne, Australia Statuesque Anarchy (with Witch Bitch), Enjoy Public Art Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand 2016 Social Matter, Blue Oyster Gallery, Dunedin, New Zealand Beauty is in the Street, Objectspace, Auckland, New Zealand G.G. Talk that talk, Fresh Gallery Otara, Auckland, New Zealand Feathers of the Sun, Studio One Toi Tū, Auckland, New Zealand 2015 PIMPI Winter Series, Big Willie Legacy Barber & Tattoo Studio, Auckland, New Zealand To the lovers of the true and the beautiful, TWENTY THIRTY SEVEN, Sydney, Australia

SELECTED ARTICLES

- 2021 Finding an Anchor in Digital Space: Sione Tuívailala Monū, Ming Ranginui + Connor Fitzgerald, Moya Lawson, Aotearoa Digital Arts Network
- 2020 May Fair: Texts by Cameron Ah Loo-Matamua and Essa May Ranapiri, Essa May Ranapiri, The Pantograph Punch
- 2018 Attuning to People, Places and Things: Neck Adornment and Contemporary Art, Victoria Wynne-Jones, The Pantograph Punch

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 Dreamy Era, Moya Lawson, The Artpaper
- The Queer Indigenous Artists Reclaiming a Fluid Sense of Gender, Ligaya Mishan, New York Times Style 2022 Magazine
- 2021 Island Queerness in the Diaspora: Sione Monū and Christopher Ulutupu in Conversation with Robbie Handcock, The Artpaper

COLLECTIONS

Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū University of Canterbury Pasifika Medical Association

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