

# CYNTHIA BREUSCH

## - Biography -

### **BORN:**

Born Brisbane, Australia

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Diploma of Visual Communication, Qld College of Art 1979

### **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS:**

Wagner Art Gallery 2010  
Neo Gallery, Brisbane 2008  
Art Galleries Schubert, Gold Coast 2006  
William Merrill Gallery, Laguna Beach, California; 2004  
Art Galleries Schubert, Gold Coast  
Valerie Cohen Gallery (Mary Place), Sydney 2002  
Valerie Cohen Gallery, Sydney; Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane 2000  
Valerie Cohen Gallery, Sydney; Cintra Galleries, Brisbane 1998  
Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney; Cintra Galleries, Brisbane 1996  
Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney; Melbourne Fine Art Gallery 1995  
Cintra Galleries, Brisbane; Melbourne Fine Art Gallery, Melbourne 1994  
Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney 1993  
Cintra Galleries, Brisbane; Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney 1992  
Despard Gallery, Hobart 1991  
Paddington Gallery, Brisbane 1980

### **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS:**

Summer Exhibition, Wagner Art Gallery, Sydney 2010  
William Merrill Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA 2009  
'Interactions: Contemporary Photography & Painting' (travelling 2007  
exhibition), Logan Art Gallery, Logan City Council, Qld  
William Merrill Gallery, Laguna Beach, California 2006  
'Small Treasures' William Merrill Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA 2004 2005  
Rockhampton Art Gallery, Purchase Exhibit  
4 x 4, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane 2002  
Australian Women Artists 1920 - 2000, Vanessa Wood Fine Art, Sydney  
Vast - Contemporary Australian Art', Max Lawson Gallery Sydney 2000  
Contemporary Australian Paintings, Nicola Townsend, Tokyo  
Focus', Women's Suffrage Centenary Exhibition, 1998  
Adelaide Central Gallery, Adelaide  
Gallery Two, Launceston 1993,1992  
Paddington Gallery, Brisbane 1979

### **PRIZES & AWARDS**

Finalist, Mosman Art Prize Exhibition, Sydney 2009  
Finalist, Eutick Memorial Still Life Award, Coffs Harbour 2007  
Winner, Figuarative Prize, Brisbane Rotary Exhibition 2006  
Finalist, Tattersall's Landscape Art Prize, Brisbane 1994 - 2006  
Finalist, Mosman Art Prize Exhibition, Sydney 2001  
Winner, Editor's Prize, Sunday Mail Art Prize, Brisbane 1998  
Finalist, Redland's Westpac Prize, Sydney 1998  
Finalist, Redland's Westpac Prize, Sydney 1996  
Finalist, L.J. Harvey Memorial Prize Exhibition for Drawing, 1983,1982  
Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane

**SELECTED PUBLIC & CORPORATE COLLECTIONS:**

BHP Billiton  
News Corp  
Ipswich City Council, Queensland  
Rockhampton Art Gallery, Queensland  
Tattersall's Club, Brisbane  
University of Queensland Press  
Sheraton Hotels, Brisbane, Fiji (Major Commissions)  
St. Albans, Gold Coast  
Suncorp Collection, Brisbane  
Tamar Collection, Launceston, Tasmania  
Private collections in Australia, NZ, Asia, USA, Germany, UK, France, United Emirates

**SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY**

Judy Anderson, Gold Coast Bulletin, June 17-18 2006: *A Lightness in the Moment*  
Painting as the cover of *Coast* Magazine CA, USA Issue 12, 2004  
Heidi Maier, Courier Mail, May 11, 2004: *Solitary Figures Convey Sense of Longing*  
Sue Smith, Courier Mail, June 4, 1998: *World of Her Own*  
Phil Brown, Brisbane News, May 1998: *The Big Picture*  
*Australian Vision*, Anthology of Australian Paintings & Poetry, Hodder Education 1997  
Kaylene Smith, The Brisbane Review, March 22, 1994: *Musical Theme Sets Artistic Feast*  
12 commissioned paintings for *Shadows of Utopia - A History of Australia* by Manfred Jurgensen, University of Central Qld Press, May 1994  
*Imago*, New Writing Vol. 6 / No. 3, Sept 1994 (Review of *'Shadows of Utopia'*)  
*Focus - 17 Australian Women Focus on the Progress of Women in Society Over the Past 100 Years*, published Adelaide Central Gallery, 1994  
*Queensland - Words & All: The First Decade* Numbers 1 & 2, Vol. X 1993, Outrider, Journal of Multicultural Literature, Phoenix Publications, Australia  
Elwyn Lynn, The Australian, *The Weekend Review*, May 22 - 23, 1993  
Elwyn Lynn, The Australian, *The Weekend Review*, Jan 18 - 19, 1992  
Australian Artist Magazine, feature article, Oct 1992

**REPRESENTED:**

Wagner Art Gallery, Paddington

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