

Contemporary Fine Art

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MATT COYLE

1971 Grew up in Canberra, lives and works in Hobart

Solo Exhibitions

2020 *Transmission Line* Contemporary Art Tasmania
2016 *Take me back to sleep*, Anna Pappas Gallery
Worry Doll, Re-Launch, Bett Gallery, Hobart
2015 *The Good Room*, Michael Reid Gallery, Sydney
Endling Bett Gallery, Hobart
2014 *Warm Blooded Playthings* Anna Pappas Gallery, Melbourne
2013 *Hive Penny* Contemporary, Hobart
2012 *From Earth* Anna Pappas Gallery, Melbourne
You and Me Day, James Dorahy Project Space, Sydney
2011 *Worry Doll* Ink & Pixel: Post year 10 Librarian Conference, Launceston
2010 *The Shades: New Drawings and Prints* Anna Pappas Gallery, Melbourne
The Shades 1 – 8, Prints and New Drawings Criterion Gallery, Hobart
2009 *The Silent Drama* Damien Minton Gallery, Sydney
Worry Doll @ Willow Court, Ten Days on the Island
2008 *Night Stills* Uber Gallery, Melbourne
2007 *Worry Doll* Criterion Gallery, Hobart
Worry Doll Damien Minton Gallery, Redfern, Sydney

Selected Group Exhibitions

2021 *Writers and Artists*, Bett Gallery, Hobart
2020-21 *Real Worlds*, Dobell Australian Drawing Biennial, Art Gallery of NSW
2019 *Dirty Paper*, Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery, Tasmania
2018 *Melbourne Art Fair*, Anna Pappas Gallery
2016 *Art-Athina*, Athens, Anna Pappas Gallery
2014 *Melbourne Art Fair*, Anna Pappas Gallery
2013 *Wonderworks* The Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong
2012 Melbourne Art Fair, Anna Pappas Gallery
2012 *Hello Dollies* Penrith Regional Gallery and The Lewers Bequest
2012 *Things That Go Bump in the Night* Walker St Gallery
2011 Korea International Art Fair, KIAF/11, with Anna Pappas Gallery
2010 *Melbourne Art Fair*, Anna Pappas Gallery

2010	<i>Scrutiny</i> Sanderson Contemporary Art, Auckland
2010	<i>Group Action 5</i> Criterion Gallery, Hobart
2009	<i>Horror, Come Darkness</i> Macquarie University Art Gallery
2009	<i>NEXT</i> - The Invitational Exhibition of Emerging Art, Chicago
2009	<i>Group Action 4</i> Criterion Gallery, Hobart
2008	<i>Ecchymosis</i> Criterion Gallery, Hobart
2008	<i>Recent Acquisitions – Australian, International and Asian and Pacific Collections</i> Gallery of Modern Art, Queensland Art Gallery
2008	Hong Kong International Art Fair (with Uber Gallery)
2007	<i>I Am Afraid</i> Uber Gallery, Melbourne
2007	<i>Fine</i> Sanderson Contemporary Art, Auckland

Awards and Grants

2020	Finalist National Works on Paper, Mornington Peninsula
2017	Finalist Sunshine Coast Art Prize
2016	Finalist National Works on Paper, Mornington Peninsula Finalist Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing
2015	Finalist City of Hobart Art Prize - Highly Commended
2012	Finalist Jacaranda Acquisitive Drawing Award Arts Tasmania Grant for Individuals
2011	Finalist Hutchins Art Prize Finalist Sunshine Coast Art Prize
2010	Finalist Dobell Prize for Drawing Finalist Paul Guest Art Prize
2009	Finalist Hutchins Art Prize Finalist City of Hobart Art Prize
2008	Finalist Stan & Maureen Duke Gold Coast Art Prize Finalist Sunshine Coast Art Prize Shortlisted Ripe: Art & Australia/ ANZ Private Bank Contemporary Art Award
2008	Shortlisted London International Creative Competition
2007	Rue Morgue Magazine (Canada) Best Graphic Novel/Comic Artist 2007 (for Worry Doll)
2006	Arts Tasmania Grant for Individuals

Collections

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Art and Australia
Queensland Art Gallery/ Gallery of Modern Art
Maitland Regional Gallery

Publications

2016 *Worry Doll*, Dover Publications
2007 *Worry Doll*, Mam Tor Publications
1996 *Registry of Death*, Kitchen Sink Press

Selected Bibliography

Empty Magazine, featured artist, February, 2013
GQ Style, Artist series commission, September, 2011
Vogue Living Feature article, July/August, 2011
Making Art Connections: Visual Arts Years 7 and 8, 1st Edition
Imprint Winter 2010 Melbourne Art Fair 2010
Art & Australia Vol 47/3 Artist Pages *The Shades* 2010
What's On this Quarter, Australian Art Collector, April, 2010
Open Gallery, Sydney Morning Herald, October 2009
Sunday Arts, ABC TV Arist Profile 12th July 2009
Art & Australia Vol 47/2 Artist Pages *The Shades* 2009
Art & Australia Vol 47/1 Artist Pages *The Shades* 2009
Art & Australia Vol 46/4 Artist Pages *The Shades* 2009
Art Monthly, Ten Days on the Island review June 2009
Artlines, Queensland Art Gallery magazine, Issue 3 2008
Radio National Artworks, interview, October 2007
Reviewed Rue Morgue Magazine (Canada) September 2007
Cover, Art Monthly, Issue 198, April 2007
Reviewed in the Weekend Australian, 3 March, 2007
Interviewed on Stateline, ABC TV, Hobart, 2 March 2007
Interviewed in The Mercury, 24 February 2007
Interviewed by Clara Iaccarino, Sydney Morning Herald, 16 Feb 2007
Reviewed by Sebastian Smees, Telegraph (UK), 8 January 2007