

Wendy Arnold

Wendy Arnold was born in New Zealand. She arrived in Perth in 1971. Pursuing a career in art she studied for 3 years at the West Australian Institute of Technology, majoring in painting and printmaking. Extensive travel overseas finally brought her back to Sydney to do a postgraduate at Alexander Mackie (now named College of Fine Arts).

In 1981 Wendy co-created the prestigious fashion Label "Studibaker" with partners Janelle and David Miles. They were remembered for their flamboyant designs and luscious prints. Wendy left in 1995 to pursue her art.

Still existing today the buisness was recently sold, but operates under the same name, enduring 28 years. Currently some of Studibaker's eveningwear can be viewed at the Power House Museum Twelve years ago Wendy co created 1+2 Artist Studios, with Rogerio Banc Ramos, perhaps the largest art studio still existing in NSW, with 52 artists aboard. Two years ago they opened a sister studio with 36 artists space, as a foil to the previous perhaps being redeveloped for luxury flats.

She has exhibited continuously for the last 13 years, with her last four exhibitions at Rushcutters Bay Gallery selling out. There is a cult following growing for her work and word of an impending exhibition creates a theatre of its own.

Wendy's artworks have featured in several publications, including Vogue Living, New Zealand House and Garden, CIAO Magazine, Premier Sydney Homes, as well as several newspapers around the country.

EXHIBITIONS

2014	Solo Exhibition at Gallery One, Queensland
2012	Solo Exhibition at Gallery One, Queensland
2011	Manyung Gallery, Mount Eliza
2009	Solo exhibition at Gadfly Gallery, Perth
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2006	Solo Exhibition at Paul Gullotti Gallery, Perth
2005	Solo exhibition at Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney
2005	Collectors Stall at Sydney Art 05

2005	Genes for Genes Day. Painted Jennifer Lopez jeans. \$8000 at auction
2005	Melbourne Affordable Art Show
2004	Solo exhibition at Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney
2004	Shanghai Art Fair
2004	Sydney Affordable Art Show. Fox Studios. Sydney
2004	Solo exhibition at Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney.
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2001	Joint exhibition at Galerie Say, Paris, France
2001	Solo exhibition at Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney
2000	Solo exhibition at Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney
2000	Mixed exhibition at 1+2 Artist Studios, Sydney
2000	Solo exhibition at Soho Gallery, Leichhardt, Sydney

AWARDS

2008	John Glover Prize for	Landscape, Finalist

2005 Mosman Art Prize, Finalist2004 Mosman Art Prize, Finalist

COLLECTIONS INCLUDE

BHP Billiton, ING, Stockland Hotel Group, Telstra, Gutterage Hasken & Davies, QBE Mercantile Mutual, SAS INS, Woolpack Hotel, Avillion Hotel, NAB, Fox Studios, Royal Motor Yacht Club, Ascot International, Private collections across Australia, Paris, Shanghai, London, Singapore Barcelona, New Zealand, America and Dubai.

