

King Street Gallery

on William

10am – 6pm Tuesday – Saturday

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Ross Laurie

Born 1961 Walcha, NSW

Studies

1986 Painting: Victorian College Prahan, Melbourne
1985 Newcastle Polytechnic, UK (Now Northumbria University, London)
1984 Foundation Course, St Martins School of Arts, London
1983 Mitchell College, Bathurst, NSW
1982 Visual Art, Sydney College of the Arts

Solo exhibitions

2020 *Dry at Walcha* King Street Gallery on William, Sydney
2018 *New Paintings and Works on Paper* King Street Gallery on William
2016 *New Paintings and Works on Paper* King Street Gallery on William
2014 *New Painting* King Street Gallery on William
2011 *Paintings and Works on Paper*, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne
Paintings, Damien Minton Gallery, Sydney
2010 *Paintings and Works on Paper*, Damien Minton Gallery
2009 Damien Minton Gallery
Moree Plains Regional Gallery
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Wrestles with Landscape, New England Regional Art Museum
2002 Damien Minton Gallery, Newcastle
1999 Coventry Gallery, Sydney
1998 Old School Gallery, Walcha
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1993 William Mora Galleries, Melbourne
1992 New England Art Museum

- 1991 Tamworth City Gallery
William Mora Galleries, Melbourne
Ben Grady Gallery, Canberra
- 1990 Linden Gallery, Melbourne
- 1988 Girgis and Klym Gallery, Melbourne
- 1981 Tamworth City Gallery

Selected group exhibitions

- 2019 *Inside/Outside* King Street Gallery on William, Sydney, NSW
Abstract 19' King Street Gallery on William
- 2018 *Salient* Australia Club Melbourne, Melbourne, Vic
Salon des Refusés S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, NSW
- 2018/2019 *Salient – the Western Front centennial commemoration* New England Regional Art Museum, (NERAM), NSW; Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, NSW; Anzac Memorial Art Gallery, Sydney, NSW; Muswellbrook Regional Arts Centre, NSW; Tweed Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2017 *Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 2016 *FINALIST, The Wynne Prize Exhibition* Art Gallery New South Wales (AGNSW)
Salon des Refusés S.H. Ervin Gallery, Mornington Peninsula Regional Art Gallery, Vic
Paint my Place Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2015 *WINNER, Paddington Art Prize*
The Piano has been Drinking [Not Me], Maitland Regional Art Gallery, NSW
Salon des Refusés S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 2014 *Drawing out: Dobell Prize for Drawing* Art Gallery NSW
- 2013 *Walcha: City of Art* Walcha Gallery of Art, NSW
Last but not Least King Street Gallery on William
NSW Parliament Plein Air Painting Prize Parliament House, Sydney, NSW
Packsaddle NERAM, Armidale, NSW
Salon des Refusés S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 2012-14 *In Two Art* S.H. Ervin Gallery, travelling
- 2012 *Not the Way Home: 13 Artists Paint the Desert* S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney, and touring nationally
Melbourne Art Fair with Damien Minton Gallery and Artist Profile stands
Salon des Refusés S.H. Ervin Gallery
Big Picture Show King Street on William Gallery
Landscape Show Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Five Bells Damien Minton Gallery
Dobell Prize for Drawing AGNSW
- 2011 *Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery
Works on Paper Award Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gymea
- 2010 *Dobell Prize for Drawing* AGNSW
Melbourne Art Fair 2010
- 2009 Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gymea, Works on Paper Award
New England Views NERAM, Armidale, NSW

- Defiance Gallery Sydney, 'Same Place, Many Views'
Salon des Refusés S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 2008 *Melbourne Art Fair* Damien Minton Gallery
Paddington Art Prize (winner of the COFA Print Award)
- 2008 *North South East West* Damien Minton Gallery
- 2007 *Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 2006 *Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery
Regional Encounters Tamworth City Gallery
Walcha – City of Art, Gallery Karlovy Vary, Ostrov, Czech Republic
Same Place Different Views Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2005 *The Year in Art* S.H. Ervin Gallery
(Going) Out There Ivan Dougherty Gallery, COFA, UNSW
Country Energy Art Prize, Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery and NSW Parliament House
- 2004 *England Picture* NERAM, Armidale, NSW
Hazelhurst Work on Paper Award Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gympie
- 2003 *Surface Memories* Tamworth City Gallery
Country Energy Art Prize, NERAM, Armidale, NSW
Walcha – City of Art, New Contemporaries Gallery, Sydney
- 2000 *Melbourne Art Fair* Bryan Hooper Gallery, Sydney
- 1999 *Coventry Diary* Coventry Gallery, Sydney
- 1998 *Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 1995 *Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery
- 1991 *Syme Dodson* Gallery, Sydney
- 1989 *Drawings* William Mora Galleries, Melbourne
- 1988 *New Art Melbourne* Ivan Dougherty, Sydney
Gallery Artists Girgis and Klym Gallery, Melbourne
Moet and Chandon Touring Exhibition
- 1987 *Moet and Chandon* Touring Exhibition
- 1982 *New England Artists* Tamworth City Gallery

Commissions

- 2004 Walcha Central School, Walcha
- 2001 Walcha Preschool Inc, Walcha
- 1998 Public Space Walcha Shire Council, Walcha

Awards

- 2015 Winner, Paddington Art Prize
- 2010 Winner, Kings School Art Prize
- 2008 Paddington Art Prize (COFA Print Award)
- 1999 Winner, Norvill Prize for Landscape Painting, Murrurundi

Residencies

- 2016 Moonee Beach Residency, Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery
2017 The Western Front, France Belgium

Collections

Artbank
Australia National Gallery
Art Gallery of New South Wales (AGNSW)
Benalla Regional Gallery
Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, NSW
Gaden Ridgeway
Lavery Collection, Sydney
La Trobe University, Melbourne
Macquarie Bank
Maitland Regional Gallery
Newcastle Regional Art Gallery
New England Regional Art Gallery
Muswellbrook Regional Arts Centre
NRMA, Sydney
State Bank VIC
Tamworth City Art Gallery

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- 2010 'Ross Laurie & David McBride: recent work' Exhibition Catalogue, Tamworth Regional Gallery
- 2005 McDonald, J 'Current Affairs' Sydney Morning Herald, 4 June
- 1996 New England Picture Catalogue, NERAM Surfaces Memories Exhibition Catalogue
- 1993 Heathcote, C 'Paintings that peer behind the shadows of reality' The Age, 19 May
- 1988 New Melbourne Catalogue
- 1987 Moet and Chandon Exhibition Catalogue Essay