

## Lucy Culliton

Lives and works in Bibbenluke, NSW.

**Born** 1966 Sydney, NSW

### Education

1996 Diploma in Painting, National Art School, Sydney

### Solo exhibitions

- 2025 *The Show* Maitland Regional Art Gallery, Maitland NSW  
*On Paper Together*, Lucy Culliton and Elisabeth Cummings, King Street Gallery on William, Sydney
- 2024 *The Easter Show*, King Street Gallery on William
- 2023 *Backdrop*, Beaver Galleries, Canberra  
*Home Grown*, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane
- 2022 *Cambalong Creek* King Street Gallery on William
- 2020 *Stay warm, be cool* Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
*Bibbenluke Spring*, Beaver Galleries
- 2019 *Bibbenluke botanicals* King Street Gallery on William
- 2018 *Caution wet paint* New England Regional Art Gallery (NERAM), NSW; Shoalhaven Regional Art Gallery, NSW
- 2017 *Residents of Bibbenluke Lodge* King Street Gallery on William  
*Bibbenluke menagerie*, Jan Murphy Gallery  
*Our Animals* Lucy and Anna Culliton, Tamworth Regional Art Gallery, NSW
- 2016 *Our Animals* Beaver Galleries, Canberra
- 2014 *Weeds of the Monaro & Others* Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney  
*Eye of the Beholder: The Art of Lucy Culliton* Mosman Art Gallery
- 2012 *Bibbenluke Flowers* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2011 *Home* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2009 *Bibbenluke* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2008 *Stuff* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2007 *The Show (domestic science)* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2005 *Tuscon paintings* The Palm House, Botanic Gardens, Sydney
- 2004 *Cactus* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2002 *Hartley Landscapes* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 2000 *Food Paintings* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 1999 *Farm Paintings* Ray Hughes Gallery
- 1998 *Paintings* Level Gallery, Sydney

### Group exhibitions [Selected]

- 2024 *Portia Geach At 60*, S.H Ervin Gallery, Sydney  
*The Shirley Hannan Portrait Award*, South-East Centre for Contemporary Art [SECCA] NSW  
*A Painters Painter*, Mosman Art Gallery
- 2023 *The painted river project: Blue Mountains Rare Upland Swamps*, Western Sydney University, Parramatta, NSW  
*The Wynne Prize* AGNSW
- 2022 *The Wynne Prize* AGNSW

*The painted river project* BAM, MOREE, NSW  
*Freaks of Nature* Ambush Gallery, Sydney  
2021 *The Archibald Prize and Sulman Prize*, AGNSW  
2020-21 *Eat Art* Hawkesbury Regional Gallery, Windsor, NSW  
*The Archibald Prize* AGNSW, Sydney  
*Group show* Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane.  
*The Wynne Prize* AGNSW, Sydney  
2019 *Inside/Outside* King Street Gallery on William Sydney  
2018 *National Art: Part One* National Art School, Sydney  
*The Art of Friendship* Gallery Lane Cove, Sydney, NSW  
*The Mosman Art Prize* Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney  
2017-2018 *Archibald Prize* Art Gallery of New South Wales (AGNSW); Geelong Gallery, Vic; Murray Art Museum Albury, NSW; Grafton Regional Art Gallery, NSW; Bega Valley Regional Gallery, NSW; Hawkesbury Regional Art Gallery, NSW; Western Plains Cultural Centre, NSW  
2017 *Wynne Prize* AGNSW  
*Archibald Prize* AGNSW  
*Self Portraits* King Street Gallery on William, Sydney  
*Artist Profile: Australasian Painters* Orange Regional Gallery, NSW  
2016 *Archibald Prize* AGNSW  
*Wynne Prize* AGNSW  
2016-2017 *Archibald Prize* AGNSW; Art Gallery of Ballarat, VIC; Wagga Wagga Art Gallery, NSW; Cowra Regional Art Gallery, NSW; Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, NSW; Newcastle Art Gallery, NSW; Goulburn Regional Art Gallery, NSW, Glasshouse, NSW.  
2016 *Archibald Prize* AGNSW  
*Sulman Prize* AGNSW  
*Wynne Prize* AGNSW  
*Popular Pet Show* National Portrait Gallery, Canberra  
*Paper Trail* The Hughes Gallery, Sydney  
*Six Artists Seven Days* Mary Place Gallery, Sydney  
2014 *Efflorescent* Goulburn Regional Art Gallery, NSW  
*Lucy Land* Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney  
*So much more than a big sheep* Goulburn Regional Art Gallery, NSW  
2013 *Three Australian Landscapes* The Hughes Gallery, Sydney  
*Life's a Beach* The Hughes Gallery  
*Paper Trail* The Hughes Gallery  
2012 *Fresh from the Studio '12* Ray Hughes Gallery  
*En Plein air Winds of Change* Weereewa Festival  
2011 *Archibald Prize* AGNSW, Sydney  
*Australia Day 2011 – Group Celebration*, Tim Olsen Gallery  
2010 *Sulman Prize* AGNSW  
*On the Island, Meeting and Parting* Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, Hazelhurst Regional Art Gallery; King Street Gallery on William  
2009 *Wynne Prize* AGNSW  
*Sulman Prize* AGNSW  
*Three Australian Landscapes* Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney  
2008 *On the Heyesen Trail* S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney  
*Wynne Prize* AGNSW  
*Salon des Refusés* S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney  
2007 *Cuisine and Country Touring Exhibition*, Orange Regional Gallery  
*Archibald Prize* AGNSW  
*Sulman Prize* AGNSW  
2006 *Portia Geach Memorial Award* S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney  
2005 *Portia Geach Memorial Award* S.H. Ervin Gallery  
2004 *Kedumba Drawing Prize* Blue Mountains NSW  
2003 *Dobell Prize* AGNSW  
*Archibald Prize* AGNSW  
2002 *Australian Women Artists 1920-2000* Vanessa Wood Fine Art, Mosman  
Gallery Artists Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney  
*Drawn Together* Bathurst Regional Gallery

2001	<i>Sulman Prize</i> AGNSW <i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> S.H. Ervin Gallery <i>Mosman Art Prize</i> Mosman Regional Art Gallery <i>Redlands Art Prize</i> Mosman Regional Art Gallery
2000	<i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> S.H. Ervin Gallery <i>Australian Landscape</i> Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney <i>Thinking Aloud...A drawing show</i> Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
1999	<i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney <i>Group Show</i> Ray Hughes Gallery, Sydney
1998	<i>Gallery Fund Raiser</i> Herringbone Gallery, Sydney <i>Dog Show</i> First Gallery, Sydney <i>Crickart</i> Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney <i>Body of work</i> First Gallery, Sydney <i>Alcart</i> Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney <i>Crickart (travelling)</i> The Don Bradman Museum, Bowral
1997	<i>Diptych</i> Level Gallery, Sydney <i>Crickart</i> Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney <i>Lucy Culliton</i> , Lorna Gear Level Gallery, Sydney <i>Alcart</i> Bat and Ball Hotel, Sydney <i>Triptych</i> Level Gallery, Sydney

### Awards & Prizes

2024	<i>Artist in residence</i> , Royal Easter Show, Sydney <i>Shirley Hannan Portrait Prize</i> , SECCA, Bega
2023	<i>Artist in residence</i> , Royal Easter Show, Sydney
2022	<i>Artist in residence</i> , Royal Easter Show, Sydney
2020	<i>Waltzing Matilda Centre</i> , Artist in Residence, Winton, QLD
2006	<i>The Dubbo Lexis Mortima Prize</i> Nowa Nowa Nudes Art Show <i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
2004	<i>Kedumba Drawing Prize</i> First Prize ( <i>Acquisitive</i> )
2000	<i>Mosman Art Prize</i> First Prize ( <i>Acquisitive</i> )
1999	Conrad Jupiters Art Prize, Gold Coast Centre ( <i>Acquisitive</i> ) Highly Commended, <i>Portia Geach Memorial Award</i> , S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney

### Collections

Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney  
 Australian Club, Sydney  
 Australian Parliament House, Canberra  
 Gold Coast Arts Centre, Qld  
 Griffith University Art Museum, Qld  
 Macquarie Bank  
 Mosman Art Gallery, NSW  
 National Gallery of Australia, Canberra  
 New England Regional Art Museum  
 Queensland University Art Museum, Brisbane  
 Tamworth Regional Gallery, NSW  
 Waltzing Matilda Centre/Outback Regional Gallery, Qld

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