

Simon Collins - C.V.

Born: AUSTRALIA, 1969, Resides: Sydney

REPRESENTATION

Iain Dawson Gallery, Sydney

Anthea Polson Art, QLD

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2010 - Going Places – Split Solo with Amanda van Gils, Anthea Polson Art, Qld (forthcoming)

2009 - Bright Road Object - [Iain Dawson Gallery](#), Sydney

2008 - Simon Collins - [Renault New Generation](#) - Art Sydney 08 - [Iain Dawson Gallery](#), Sydney

2008 - Ride On... - Frances Keevil Gallery, Sydney

2006 - Avian - CANVAS GALLERY SURRY HILLS, Sydney

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2009/10 - Stan & Maureen Duke Gold Coast City Art Gallery Prize, Qld

2009 - 40x40, Anthea Polson Art, Qld

2009 - Summer, Iain Dawson Gallery, Sydney

2009 - Prometheus Visual Arts Award, Qld

2009 - Mental Health Week fundraiser for WAYS and UAS, Frances Keevil Gallery, Sydney

2009 - [Humane Society Extinction Denied Fundraising Art Exhibition](#), Sydney

2009 - Waverley Art Prize - [Waverley Woollahra Arts Centre](#), Sydney

2008 - [All the Beauty You Will Ever Need](#) - [Iain Dawson Gallery](#), Sydney

2008 - Mosman Art Prize - [Mosman Art Gallery](#), Sydney

2008 - Waverley Art Prize - [Waverley Woollahra Arts Centre](#), Sydney

2008 - [Doug Moran National Portrait Prize](#), Sydney

2008 - [Off The Wall](#), ArtMelbourne08

2008 - Food Water Shelter Art - Sydney College of the Arts Gallery, Sydney (charity show)

2008 - Oatley 101 Art Society - April invited artist, Oatley 101 GALLERY, Sydney

2007 - CAR - Art Sydney 07, (Frances Keevil Gallery Stand) Sydney

2007 - [Mosman Art Prize](#) - Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney

2007 - [Churchie National Emerging Art Exhibition](#), Brisbane

2007 - End of Year Gallery Artists Mixed Hang - [Frances Keevil Gallery](#), Sydney

2007 - Breathing Space - [Jenny Port Gallery](#), Melbourne

2007 - [Willoughby Art Prize](#) - Chatswood, Sydney

2007 - [Waverley Art Prize](#) - [Waverley Woollahra Arts Centre](#), Sydney

2007 - [Art Interview 2007 International Award Exhibition](#) - [GALLERY TWENTY-FOUR](#), Berlin

2007 - [kConFab](#) Breast Cheque Art Show - Menzies Art Brands of Galleries, Melbourne (charity auction)

2007 - [Humane Society 2007 Extinction Denied Fundraising Art Exhibition](#) - Arthouse Hotel, Sydney

2007 - [2007 Lifestart Winter Ball](#), lifestart.org.au, Sydney (charity auction)
2007 - [Thirroul Seaside & Arts Festival](#), Thirroul, Wollongong
2007 - Art of Sydney Awards - Maritime Museum Darling Harbour, Sydney
2007 - Linden Postcard Show - [LINDEN GALLERY](#), Melbourne
2007 - Oatley 101 Art Society - May invited artist, Oatley 101 GALLERY, Sydney
2006 - Waverley Art Prize - [Waverley Woollahra Arts Centre](#), Sydney
2006 - The Body Show - [BRUNSWICK STREET GALLERY](#), Melbourne
2006 - Xmas Auction 2006 - [BRUNSWICK STREET GALLERY](#), Melbourne
2006 - Summer Samples - [INTRUDE GALLERY](#), Melbourne
2006 - Furry Friends - CANVAS GALLERY Surry Hills, Sydney
2006 - Linden Postcard Show - [LINDEN GALLERY](#), Melbourne
1990 - Graduate Metal - City Art Institute Gallery (now COFA UNSW)
1989 - Daphne Zero's Picnic (SCA - Uni of Sydney graduates show) - Pier 13 Pyrmont, Sydney

AWARDS / SHORTLISTED

2009/10 - Stan & Maureen Duke Gold Coast City Art Gallery Prize - Qld, finalist selection
2009 - Waverley Art Prize - Sydney, finalist selection
2009 - Prometheus Visual Arts Award - Qld, finalist selection
2008 - [Renault New Generation](#) - Art Sydney 08, selection
2008 - [Mosman Art Prize](#), finalist selection
2008 - [Waverley Art Prize](#), Highly Commended in Oil Prize
2008 - [Doug Moran National Portrait Prize](#), finalist selection
2008 - [Off The Wall](#), ArtMelbourne08, selection
2007 - [Mosman Art Prize](#), finalist selection
2007 - [Willoughby Art Prize](#), finalist, 2 works selected
2007 - [Waverley Art Prize](#), finalist, 2 works selected, Highly Commended in Oil Prize
2007 - [Churchie National Emerging Art Award Exhibition](#), 3 works in finalist selection
2007 - [Thirroul Seaside & Arts Festival](#) - 3 works selected
2007 - Art of Sydney Awards - Maritime Museum Darling Harbour, Sydney - 2 works selected
2006 - [Waverley Art Prize](#), finalist selection
2006 - Honourable Mention/official recognition of merit - [Art Interview](#) 5th International Competition

STUDIES

Bachelor of Visual Arts - Sydney College of the Arts (University of Sydney)

COLLECTIONS

Private Collections - Hong Kong, U.K., Germany, Italy, USA, Australia

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[Doug Moran National Portrait Prize Catalogue](#) - April/May 2008

Louise Paramour - [Off The Wall, Art Melbourne08 Catalogue](#) - April 2008

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Radio Interview - [Arts Thursday](#) - Eastside Radio 89.7fm - 12/10/2006

Article & 4 images - [Flights of Delight](#) - The LEADER, DOMAIN, Your Home - 10/10/06

Arts Pages Column & Image - [Exhibition Takes Flight](#) - The LEADER, Arts - 12/10/2006

MEMBERSHIPS

National Association for the Visual Arts - NAVA

Oatley 101 Society of Artists

EARLY COMMISSIONS / WORK EXPERIENCE

1992 - Blitz Babiez - On The Line - CD Album / Poster / T-Shirt artwork.

1991 - [The Trilobites - The Lost Generation](#) - LP Album Visual Concept

1989 - Various Private Commissions (contemporary jewellery)

1989 - Collaboration with [Jon Hawley](#) Artist / design. Clock, watch, prototypes / limited production.

1989 - Commissioned to produce contemporary jewellery for fashion range.

1983 - Work as graphic artist / (Action Badges, Sydney)

1983 - Work as graphic artist / (Capre Art Studio, Sydney)