

JOHNATHON WORLD PEACE BUSH

Region: Milikapiti, Melville Island, Northern Territory AUS

Country: Paluwiyanga / Andranganoo (Goose Creek)

Language: Tiwi

Skin Group/Tribe: Takaringuiw (Scaly Mullet)

Dance: Tartuwali (Shark)

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2023 Everything That Came Before Makes The Present, Linden New Art, Melbourne VIC

2022 Sydney Contemporary, THIS IS NO FANTASY, Sydney NSW

2022 Melbourne Art Fair, Jilamara Arts, Melbourne VIC

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2024 Our Country, NGV x Country Road First Nations Art Commission, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne VIC

2023 The Armory Show, New York, THIS IS NO FANTASY, Javits Center, New York USA

ORBIT, Group Show, THIS IS NO FANTASY, Melbourne VIC

Sir John Sulman Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney NSW

King & Wood Mallesons First Nations Art Award, Finalist Exhibition, Griffith University Art Museum, QLD

Fisher's Ghost Art Award - Finalist, Campbelltown Arts Centre, NSW

Nillumbik Prize for Contemporary Art 2023 - Finalist, Montsalvat Barn Gallery, Melbourne VIC

2022 WHO ARE YOU: Australian Portraiture, National Portrait Gallery, ACT (touring)

15 Artists 2022 - Finalist, Redcliffe Art Gallery, Moreton Bay, QLD

Retribution: What Happens Next? Northern Centre for Contemporary Art, NT

Mosman Art Prize - Finalist, Mosman Art Gallery, NSW

2021 UN/LEARNING AUSTRALIA, Artspace, Sydney and Seoul Museum of Art (SeMA), South Korea

Tiwi Artists, Tiwi Papers, Tarnanthi at Art Gallery South Australia, Adelaide, SA

52 Artists, 52 Actions, Artspace, Sydney, NSW

Absolut Art Project, Brook Andrew Studio, online

Salon de Refuses, Salon Art Projects, Darwin, NT

Jilamara, Japingka Gallery, Fremantle, WA

Yirinkirripwoja, Tiwi Exhibition, Double Tree Hilton, Darwin, NT

2020 TIWI, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, VIC

Groundswell, NCCA, Darwin, NT

Yalininga Ngaripantingija Ngirramini, Aboriginal Signature Gallery, Brussels, Belgium

Jilamara: circles, dots, lines, Artspace, Sydney, NSW

Awurankini Jana Yimaninmarrampilya Ningani, Karluwu Ngini Ngawula Ngima, Darwin, NT

2019 Tarnanthi at Art Gallery South Australia, Adelaide, SA

Tiwi Jilamara, Queenscliff Gallery and Workshop, Queenscliff, VIC

Turnuwa amintiya kirijipuni, Short Street Gallery, Broome, WA

Pupini Jilamara Nginingwula (Our Beautiful Paintings), Double Tree Hilton, NT

2018 Tarnanthi at Art Gallery South Australia, Adelaide, SA

One Island One Side, Aboriginal Signature Estrangin Gallery, Belgium

Jilamara and Munupi Arts, Chapman & Bailey, Melbourne, VIC

Nginingawula Awirankini Waki (Our New Work), Double Tree Hilton, Darwin, NT

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dianne tanzer + nicola stein

- 2017 Ngini Parlingarri Amintiya Ningani (held in conjunction with Print Council of Australia),
Melbourne, VIC
Ngini Parlingarri Amintiya Ningani, Nomad Art Gallery, Darwin, NT
Yirringinkiri Pwoja, Double Tree Hilton, Darwin, NT
- 2016 Ngawila Jilamara, Double Tree Hilton, Darwin, NT

PRIZES + AWARDS

- 2023 NGV x Country Road First Nations Mentorship Commission with mentor Pedro Wonaeamirri
Finalist - Sir John Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales NSW
Finalist – King & Wood Mallesons First Nations Art Award QLD
Finalist – Fisher’s Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown NSW
Finalist - Nillumbik Prize for Contemporary Art, Melbourne VIC
- 2022 Finalist - 15 Artists, Redcliffe Art Gallery, Moreton Bay QLD
Finalist - Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, NSW

COLLECTIONS

Kluge-Ruhe Art Museum, Virginia, USA
Art Gallery of New South Wales
National Gallery of Victoria
Art Gallery of South Australia
Artbank Australia
Macquarie Group Collection
University of Melbourne

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2023 Debutantes, Art Collector, Jan – Mar 2023, 50 Things, p 142 - 145
- 2021 UN/LEARNING AUSTRALIA, exhibition publication, Artspace and SeMA, South Korea
- 2021 52 Artists, 52 Actions, Artspace: Sydney
- 2020 Ryan Judith (ed.), TIWI: Art s & Artists, exhibition publication, National Gallery of Victoria