

CURRICULUM VITAE SUMMARY

Helen Bodycomb

born Adelaide, South Australia, 1964

EDUCATION

- 2015 - 1996 Candidate - PhD in Visual Art (3 year PhD Scholarship recipient), La Trobe University, Bendigo
Masters Degree in Visual Art (Painting), University of South Australia (Distance Education) deferred (unfinished) 1997
- 1993-94 Graduate Diploma in Fine Art (Painting), Monash University-Gippsland
- 1988-90 Bachelor of Arts Degree (Fine Art – Painting), Victoria College, Prahran, Vic

PUBLIC ART PROJECTS, MAJOR COMMISSIONS, SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *In Conversation* exhibition, Phyllis Palmer Gallery, La Trobe University, Bendigo, Vic
- 2018 *Transitions* exhibition, ACT Craft & Design Gallery, Canberra, ACT
- 2017 *Tasmanian Perspectives in Mosaic*, Mawson Pavilion, Hobart, Tasmania
- 2016 *The Material and The Immaterial*, solo exhibition, Phyllis Palmer Gallery, La Trobe University
- 2015 Lily Hester Memorial, St Therese's Primary School, Essendon Vic
- 2014 - 2015 *RKM (Roadkill Mausoleum)* multi-media installation, 2015 Castlemaine State Festival, Vic
- 2013 *Futurescape*, sculptural mosaic commission, ArtPlay, City of Melbourne, Vic
- 2013 *Detritus*, Solo Exhibition, Castlemaine State Festival, Castlemaine, Vic
- 2011 *Blancmange* Solo Exhibition, Castlemaine State Festival, Castlemaine, Vic
- 2010 *The Shyness of Trees*, (collaborative) Hotel Penaga, Georgetown, Penang, Malaysia
- 2009 Northcote Wayfinding Project, bronze inlay commission, City of Darebin, Vic
- 2009-10 Victorian State Memorial to Forgotten Australians, Vic State Gov, Southgate, Vic
- 2007-08 *Once upon a slime*, sculptural mosaic commission ArtPlay Mosaic Seat, City of Melbourne, Vic
- 2007 *Gone but not forgotten*, Post Office Place Mosaic Pavement Inlay, City of Moreland, Vic
- 2006 *Anchor*, mosaic commission Park Apartments feature wall mosaic, Port Melbourne, Vic
- 2005 *Forest Trail*, ephemeral and permanent mosaic installation, City of Brimbank, Vic
- 2005 Integrated Art Elements, Westgarth Kindergarten, Westgarth, Vic
- 2004-05 21 sq m commissioned wall mosaic, Fawkner Cemetery, Fawkner, Vic
- 2004 *The Unswept Floor, The Harvest*, mosaic commission, City of Boroondara, Vic
- 2003 Wesley College Environmental Interpretation Mosaic Sundial, glass mosaic, Chum Creek, Vic
- 2003 Doggies to Highpoint Community Mosaic Project, Missions Australia, Footscray, Vic
- 2002 *margins, memories and markers – Port Stories*, glass mosaic inlay with stone, City of Port Phillip, Vic (Commission recipient with Dianna Wells Design)
- 2001 Artist in Residence, La Scuola di Mosaicisti del Friuli, Spilimbergo, Italy
- 1999-2000 Untitled Fountain, sculptural mosaic commission, City of Wyndham, Werribee, Vic
- 2000 *Moonee Ponds Creek Public Art Strategy*, Vic (Artistic Coordinator/Author)
- 1998-99 Mosaic Street Furniture Installation, 27 major glass mosaic artworks with stainless steel, Campbell Parade, Bondi Beach, NSW (Commission Recipient with Enver Camdal)
- 1998 Street Installation, 40+ works in mild and stainless steel and glass, High Street Westgarth, Vic (Commission Recipient with Enver Camdal)
- 1997 *Nest*, stone mosaic and fibreglass sculpture, (collaborative) City of Eltham Vic

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2016 *Making mosaics in the Anthropocene Era*, Mosaïque Magazine, July, France
- 2016 *MOSAIC-aimc- In Contemporary World*, Scuola Mosaicisti del Friuli, Italy
- 2014 *SHED*, Simon Griffiths, Lantern Books (Penguin Publishing), Melbourne
- 2011 *An Ancient Craft Gets a Bigger World Stage*, The New York Times, October 27, 2011
- 2008 *The Divided Heart – Art and Motherhood*, Rachel Power, Griffin Press, Melbourne, 2008
- 2008 *Mosaic Art Now 2008*, Mosaic Rocks LLC, USA
- 2006 *Mosaic Now: works from Italy and Australia*, Bundoora Homestead Arts Centre
- 2002 *Modern Mosaic – Inspiration from the 20th Century*, Tessa Hunkin, Quintet Publishing, London

AWARDS

- 2016 La Trobe University Post Graduate Research Scholarship
- 2011 In-Habit International travel award, for exhibition in *Ravenna Mosaico*, Ravenna, Italy
- 2001 Australia Council for the Arts (Community Cultural Development Project Grant)
- 2001 Arts Victoria, Discussion and Dialogue Grant (Italy)