

# CHRISSIE LLOYD, ARAS

For several years in my 20's I enjoyed oil painting. Then in 1990 I went back to art working in watercolour, mixed media and acrylic. I studied with Pamela Fairburn, a noted Sydney watercolourist and also with the late Arthur James, an artist of international repute in life drawing. For six years I studied portraiture both in oils and charcoal with renowned portrait artist Yve Close.

I also enjoyed life drawing and sculpture with Alan Somerville for four years. I have attended many workshops and tutorials with well known Australian & New Zealand artists including Bernhardine Mueller (master printmaker) and Patrick Carroll (multi-award winning Australian landscape artist) whose approach in both the physical and spiritual sense has influenced my use of acrylic and the way I "feel and see" the landscape. No matter how widely I travel, the Australian landscape has my heart.

I exhibit at Humble House Gallery in Canberra; at ME Artspace in St Leonards; at the Royal Easter Show; previously through Judith Salmon of Salmon Galleries in North Sydney; at art societies of which I am a member and at other exhibitions in which I am invited to participate including the Hunters Hill Art Exhibition. I have been invited to both speak and do demonstrations for Art Societies and for five years I was an invited judge for the Eve Vonwiller Youth Art Prize.

Commissioned works currently hang in private collections in Australia, the UK, USA and New Zealand. Recently three of my landscapes were purchased to be hung in the US Embassy in Canberra.

I was honoured to be invited to represent Australia at the 2024 10th Goeje International Art Festival at the Haegeumgang Theme Museum in South Korea. My paintings are now in the Museum's collection. Having achieved the Award for Excellence, I was then invited to present a solo exhibition.

For commissions please contact me via my email at chrissielloyd@live.com.au



### **Milestones & History**

#### 2024

Australian representative - 2024 10th Goeje International Art Festival, Haegeumgang Theme Museum, South Korea

#### 2020

Elected to Council of Royal Art Society of NSW

#### 2019

Judge - Silk Road International Fashion Week, Town Hall, Sydney

#### 2015-2019

Judge for Captured Photography Exhibition, Lane Cove Council

#### 2018

Elected an Associate member of the Royal Art Society of NSW

#### 2006-2017

Member of Lane Cove Council's Cultural Advisory Committee

#### 2008-2016

President of the Lane Cove Art Society (inclusive) **2015** 

## Bestowed a Life Member, Lane Cove Art Society

#### 2012

North Sydney Community Service Award for services in the field of Art/Culture

Exhibiting member of Ku-ring-gai Art Society

Exhibiting member of Royal Art Society of NSW

#### 2011

Citizenship Award, Lane Cove Council, Community Service in the field of Art/Culture

### **Prizes & Exhibitions**

VHC - Very Highly Commended HC - Highly Commended C - Commended

**2024** Award of Excellence, 2024 10th Goeje International Art Festival, South Korea

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**2023** Joint Exhibition - Electoral Office of Kylea Tink MP, North Sydney

**2023** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

**2023** "Awakening" joint exhibition at Working Dog Gallery, St Leonards

2022 Finalist, Hunters Hill Art Exhibition

2022 Selected for Wenona Art Fair, North Sydney

2022 artXtra! C: Joyce Mills Prize section

**2022** Solo Exhibition "Flinders Ranges to Birdsville. A journey with my brush" Humble House Gallery, Canberra

**2021** Purchase by the US Embassy in Canberra of 3 landscapes

2021 artXtra! HC: Joyce Mills Prize section

**2021** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

**2020** Invited to join Humble House Gallery's family of artists

**2020** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

2019 artXtra! C: Joyce Mills Prize section

2019 Selected for Wenona Art Fair, North Sydney

2019 Finalist, Hunters Hill Art Exhibition

**2019** Judge - Silk Road International Fashion Week, Town Hall, Sydney

**2019** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

2018 artXtra! - Winner, Lloyd Rees Award 2018

**2018** "Inspired Minds" joint exhibition at Gauge Gallery, Glebe

**2018** People's Choice Award for "The Backburn" at The Royal Art Society Spring Exhibition

**2018** "The Art of Friendship" Exhibition curated by Guy Warren at Gallery Lane Cove

**2018** "Winter Whites: The Colour of Ice" Exhibition, Woodend Winter Arts Festival, Victoria

2018 Finalist, Hunters Hill Art Exhibition

**2018** Royal Art Society of NSW: Annual Autumn Exhibition - Winner, Thora Ungar Memorial Award 2018

**2018** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

**2017** Joint Exhibition "Geomorphic Moods of the Macedon and Cobaw Ranges" Woodend, Victoria

**2017** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

**2016** 53rd Lane Cove Art Award - VHC: Waterbrook Prize

2016 Selected for Wenona Art Fair, North Sydney

2016 Finalist, Hunters Hill Art Exhibition

**2016** artXtra! Lane Cove Prize - C: Small Works section

**2016** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

2015 Solo Exhibition - Westpac Bank, Lane Cove

**2015** Royal Art Society of NSW: Medal of Distinction Award - 2nd prize (HC)

**2015** Lane Cove Art Award: Winner - Council Prize, acquired by Council for the Permanent Collection

2015 Finalist, Hunters Hill Art Exhibition

**2015** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

**2014** Solo Exhibition - "Two Regions - The Kimberley & The Monaro" Humble House Gallery, Canberra

2014 Finalist, Hunters Hill Art Exhibition

**2014** artXtra! Lane Cove Prize - VHC: Oils & Acrylics section

**2014** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

**2013** 50th Lane Cove Art Award - Winner: Patron's Prize. Painting acquired by the Patron

**2013** artXtra! Lane Cove Prize - C: Small Works section

**2013** Artist in Residence - Midnight's Promise Estate, Hunter Valley

2012 The Manors Art Exhibition, Bondi - HC

2012 Solo Exhibition - Aristocrat Café, Lane Cove

**2012** 52nd Ryde Council Art Exhibition - C: Small Paintings section

**2011** Joint Exhibition "City and Country" Australia Square, Sydney

2011 Royal Art Society of NSW - C: Portraiture

**2011** Lane Cove Art Society Prize - C: Lloyd Rees Prize section

**2011** Lane Cove Art Society Prize - VHC: Joyce Mills Prize section

2010 Waterbrook Art Exhibition, Greenwich - HC

**2010** 47th Lane Cove Art Award - Winner - Artists' Prints

**2009** Royal Art Society of NSW - C: Portraiture

**2009** Waterbrook Art Exhibition, Greenwich - HC

**2009** 46th Lane Cove Art Award - Winner: Artists' Prints

**2008** 45th Lane Cove Art Award - Winner: Council Prize, acquired by Council for the Permanent Collection