

# JOSHUA YELDHAM

1970 Born Sydney, Australia

## EDUCATION

1993 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Rhode Island School of Design

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2014 *Surrender - Survey Exhibition*, Manly Art Gallery & Museum, Sydney

*Surrender*, Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong

2013 *Surrender Tree*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

*Surrender Tree*, Sydney Contemporary Art Fair, Arthouse Gallery

2012 *The Tongue Has No Bone*, Scott Livesey Galleries, Melbourne

2011 *Two Rivers*, Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong

2010 *River Song*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

*River Music*, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne

2009 *Child Of The Moon*, Hawkesbury River, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne

2008 *Hawkesbury River*, Motherland, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

2007 *Hawkesbury River - Death Bird Series*, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne

2006 *Hawkesbury River*, Melbourne Art Fair, Arthouse Gallery

*Hawkesbury River*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

2005 *Bird Nest Diaries*, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne

2004 *Bird Nest Diaries*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

2003 *The Clay Brothers - A Prayer for Fertility*, Scott Livesey Gallery, Melbourne

*A Prayer for Fertility*, Sydney Art Fair, Fox Studios

2002 *Solitude's Bride Series*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

*Solitude's Bride Series*, Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne

2001 *Eucalyptus*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

1999 *Colo River*, Arthouse Gallery, Melbourne

*Solitude & Prayer*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

1998 *Paradise is a Bird*, Arthouse Gallery, Melbourne

*Paradise is a Bird*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

1997 *The Hunger Artist*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

1996 *Viola and the Emu Catcher*, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2014 Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales

2013 Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales

Archibald Prize, Touring Exhibition - Regional Galleries throughout QLD, NSW & VIC

Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales

*Wonder Works*, Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong

2012 Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales

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- 2011 Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales  
*Wattle – Australian Artists*, Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong  
*30 to Collect* – Brisbane Flood Relief, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney
- 2010 Hong Kong Art Fair, Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong  
*Salon des Refuses* - S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney & Tweed River Art Gallery, NSW  
*Zoo Air*, Taronga Zoo Artists in Residence Plein Air, University of Newcastle, NSW
- 2009 Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales  
*In Paradise* - Artists of the Northern Beaches, Manly Art Gallery & Museum, NSW
- 2008 *Group Show '08*, Scott Livisey Galleries, Melbourne, VIC
- 2006 Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales  
*Flaming Youth*, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2005 Mosman Art Prize, New South Wales
- 2003 Sydney Art on Paper Fair Biennale, Sydney  
Mosman Art Prize, New South Wales  
*Ned Kelly Framed*, The National Trust of Australia, S. H. Ervin Gallery
- 2000 Arthouse Gallery, Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
- 1999 *An Affair to Remember*, Art Sauce, Singapore
- 1998 Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 1997 *A Taste in Art: Next Generation of Great Australian Artists*, Sotheby's Sydney  
*Zoo*, Art House Gallery, Sydney  
Westpac Art Awards, Skeggs Redlands, Sydney  
Tattersall's Landscape Art Awards, Brisbane, Queensland
- 1996 Australian Artists Exhibition, Cranbrook School, Sydney  
Teresa Burns Exhibition of Australian Artists, Westpac, Sydney

## AWARDS & PRIZES

- 2014 Wynne Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 2013 Archibald Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales  
Wynne Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 2012 Wynne Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 2011 Wynne Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 2010 *Salon des Refuses*, Finalist, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- 2009 Wynne Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 2006 Sulman Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 2005 Mosman Art Prize, Finalist, New South Wales
- 2003 Mosman Art Prize, Finalist, New South Wales
- 2002 Universities and Schools Club Prize, Sydney
- 2000 Australian Stock Exchange Commission, Sydney
- 1998 Sulman Prize, Finalist, Art Gallery of New South Wales
- 1995 Australian Young Achiever Awards, NSW State Finalist, Career Achievement Award - Arts Division

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- 1995 The Queen's Trust Award  
1993 Alumni award for outstanding achievement, Rhode Island School of Design, USA

## COLLECTIONS

- Mosman Art Gallery  
Manly Art Gallery & Museum, NSW  
University of Wollongong  
Australian Stock Exchange  
BHP Biliton Collection  
Mirvac Collection  
Hawkesbury River Regional Gallery (on loan)  
Autore Pearl Collection  
ACP Collection  
James Packer Collection

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2014 *Surrender: A Journal For My Daughter*, Colo River Pty Ltd, Joshua Yeldham  
*Surrender*, Catalogue, The Cat Street Gallery  
2013 *Surrender Tree*, Catalogue, Arthouse Gallery  
2012 *The Tongue Has No Bone*, Catalogue, Scott Livesey Galleries  
2010 *River Song*, Catalogue, Arthouse Gallery  
2008 *Motherland*, Catalogue, Arthouse Gallery  
2007 *Death Bird Series*, Catalogue, Scott Livesey Galleries  
2006 *Hawkesbury River*, Catalogue, Arthouse Gallery  
2002 *Solitude's Bride*, Limited Edition Artist Monograph, Arthouse Gallery

## BIBLIOGRAPHY/ ARTICLES & REVIEWS

- 2014 *A Father's Gift*, Natasha Inchley, Moda Familia  
*Into the Wild*, Jane Albert, Vogue, March  
2013 *Joshua Yeldham goes with the flow*, Stephanie Wood, SMH  
2011 *Joshua Yeldham*, Jane Albert, Harper's Bazaar, May  
*The Getting of Wisdom*, Kirsty de Garis, Vogue Living, March/April  
2010 *Painter's fertility prayers answered*, Andrew Taylor, SMH, 12 November  
*Joshua Yeldham*, Victoria Hynes, Artist Profile Magazine, Issue 13, pp 70-75  
*An Artist's Prayer to Nature*, Dylan Rainforth, The Age, 16 June  
2009 *Joshua Yeldham - Artists At Work*, ABC TV  
*Fertile Blend of Disciplines*, William Yeoman, The West Australian 18 August  
2008 *Return of the Natural Order*, John Macdonald, Visual Art, SMH 6 Dec  
*The Hot Seat*, Elissa Blake, Spectrum, SMH, 13 Dec  
*Right Now Who*, Kirsty de Garis, Belle Magazine, Nov

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- Motherland*, Annemarie Lopez, The Sydney Magazine, SMH, Nov
- 2006 *Hawkesbury River*, Kelsey Munro, SMH
- 2004 *Art: Joshua Yeldham-Bird's Nest Diaries*, Victoria Hynes, SMH  
*Bird's Nest Diaries*, Lenny Ann Low, Spectrum, SMH, 21 August  
*Desert Diary Unfolds*, Emma Nicholas, The Wentworth Courier  
*Yeldham Family Looks to New Horizons*, The Sun-Herald, 9 May
- 2003 *The new Kelly gang*, Janet Hawley, Good Weekend, The Age, 1 March, p38  
*Fringe arts fight for crumbs beneath sponsors*, Sharon Verghis, SMH, 8 August  
*Art for everyone*, Pam Walker, The Wentworth Courier, 23 July, p.18
- 2002 *Arts & Culture Around Australia: Solitude's Bride*, The Bulletin, 11 June  
*Solo man*, Penny Brown, The Weekend Australian, 23-24 November  
*Ghost of a chance*, Lillian Frank, The Herald Sun, 12 October  
*Exhibitions: critic's picks*, Peter Hill, Metro, SMH, 8-14, November, p.27  
*Grave intentions*, Lenny Ann Low, Metro, SMH, 16-17 November  
*Future Force: The Artist - Joshua Yeldham*, Brett Thomas, The Sun-Herald, 9 June
- 2001 *Out there...*, Bill Ranken, The Eastern Herald, 16 May
- 1998 *A Conversation With Joshua Yeldham*, Australian Style
- 1997 *On a Bus, in the fast lane*, Daphne Guinness, SMH, 2 September
- 1996 *Trust Makes Desert Bloom*, The Sunday Telegraph  
*Film Maker On Track To Win*, The Daily Telegraph Mirror  
*Film-maker and painter*, The Wentworth Courier
- 1995 *On The Road To Stardom*, Tim Hilferty, SMH  
*Celluloid Rising*, Lawrence Zion, JJJ Magazine
- 1994 *Joshua Is Ready to Make the Climb*, Lynden Barber, SMH  
*Journey to Higher Ground*, Patricia Coppleson, Cafe Magazine  
*Dell'oso*, Anna Maria, SMH  
*Time For Changing: Short Film Awards*, Shelley Kay, Film News Australia  
*Wise Young Guy*, Margaret O'Shea, Film News  
*Extraordinarily Accomplished First Film*, Margaret Pomeranz, Gold Coast News  
*Cranbrook Old Boy to Soar to Top*, Jenny Rogers, The Wentworth Courier  
*Australian Directors: The Next Wave*, Lawrence Zion, Rolling Stone Australia  
*Annual College Award Winners*, Variety, Feb 18

## FILMOGRAPHY

- 1993 *Frailejón*, (Colour, 65 minutes) Producer, Director, Writer, Co-DOP, Co-Editor  
Filmed on location in the Venezuelan Andes, New York & Sydney
- 1989 *Silver Threads Among The Gold*
- 1982 *Platform*  
*Children of Haiti*  
*Sauvinance*

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## FILM NOMINATIONS & AWARDS

- 1995 *Frailejón*, Winner - Best Feature Film, Heartland Film Festival, Indianapolis, USA  
*Frailejón*, Winner - Original Concept in Film, Best Director & Best Screenplay, St. Kilda Film Festival, VIC  
*Frailejón*, Nominee - Innovation in Film Award & Best Australian Short Film, Australian Teachers of Media Awards, Sydney
- 1994 *Frailejón*, Winner - Best Australian Short Film, Film Critics Circle of Australia Awards  
*Frailejón*, Nominee - Best Short Film, Innovation in Film & Best Screenplay, Australian Film Industry Awards
- 1993 *Frailejón*, Winner - Emmy Award, Best Student Film, Academy of Television Arts & Sciences, USA  
*Frailejón*, Nominee - Academy Award, Best Dramatic Student Film, Academy of Motion Picture Arts & Sciences, USA  
*Frailejón*, Winner - Best Student Film, Eastman Kodak Awards, USA  
*Frailejón*, Winner - Dendy Awards, Sydney Film Festival

## DISCOGRAPHY

- 1993 *Frailejón - Journey to Higher Ground*, Original Motion Picture Soundtrack, Producer

## MEDIA & PUBLIC APPEARANCES

- 2009 *Joshua Yeldham - Artists At Work*, ABC TV
- 2003 *Solitude's Bride - Joshua Yeldham*, The Today Show, Channel 9  
Artist Talk, Biennial Sydney Art on Paper Fair, Byron Kennedy Hall, Fox Studios, Sydney, 2 August
- 1999 *Spirituality and the Arts*, with Dr.Colette Rayment, Catalyst For Renewal Lecture Series, Paddington, 7 April
- 1997 *Accidental Hero*, Australian Story, Caroline Jones, ABC Television, 24 May
- 1994 *Frailejón Wins Prestigious Emmy*, The Today Show, Channel 9  
The Movie Show, Margaret Pomeranz, SBS Television  
Arts Show, Peter Castaldi, ABC Television  
*Creatures of the Spot Light*, JJJ Radio