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## Websites

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## Professional Qualifications

1999-2002 Bachelor of Photography – 1<sup>st</sup> class honors, Queensland College of Art  
1996 Solicitor - Supreme Court of Queensland  
1990-1993 Bachelor of Laws, Queensland University of Technology

## Grants, Awards and Prizes

2007 Australia Council for the Arts New Work Grant (\$10,000)  
2005 Arts Queensland Grant to print and present *Making the Empire Cross Episode 1* - (\$9,999)  
2002 Griffith University Medal for Academic Excellence - Queensland College of Art; Griffith University Award for Academic Excellence; F-Stop Silver Imaging Award - Queensland College of Art  
2001 Courier Mail Emerging Artist Award; Griffith University Award for Academic Excellence  
2000 Griffith University Award for Academic Excellence  
1999 Billie Hall Bursary for Academic Achievement; Griffith University Award for Academic Excellence

## Upcoming Exhibitions

2009 *Souviners of an Adventure* **Dianne Tanzer Gallery**, Melbourne  
2008 - 2009 *Experimenta Playground: International Biennial of Media Arts Carriageworks*, Sydney Australia April - May 2008; **Samstag Museum of Art**, Adelaide Australia August - October 2008; **The West Australian Museum**, Perth Australia, November 2008 – February 2009; **Bendigo Art Gallery**, Victoria – Australia March – May 2009. Other venues to be announced.  
2008 *2008 Festival of Photography Queensland Centre for Photography*, Brisbane 29 March – 27 April 2008  
2008 *Madonna and Child* **NG Art Gallery**, Gleebe, Sydney 11 March – 5 April 2008  
2008 *Frontiers and Fantasy*, **Cairns Regional Gallery**, Cairns 21 March – 4 May 2008.  
2008 *Making the Empire Cross Episode 3 City Lights Project*, Hosier Lane, Melbourne  
2008 *Blake Prize for Religious Art* Delmar Trinity Gallery 19 Jan – 17 Feb, Icon Museum of Art, Deakin University 27 Feb – 5 April, Horsham Regional Gallery, 20 May – 13 July, Gippsland Regional Gallery 23 Aug – 28 Sept.

## Solo, Two Person and Collaborative Exhibitions

2007 *Making the Empire Cross – Episode 2* **Kings Artist Run Initiative**, Melbourne, Australia.  
2006 *Famous!* **The New Farm Art Stockroom**, Brisbane, Australia.  
*Making the Empire Cross – Episode 1* **RAW Space Gallery**, Brisbane, Australia.  
*Making the Empire Cross – Episode 1* **Intrude Gallery**, Melbourne, Australia.  
2005 *Seeds of Dissent*, Project Wall, **Australian Centre for Photography**, Sydney, Australia  
2004 *Refugee from the Human State*, **Queensland Centre for Photography**, Brisbane, Australia  
2000 *Weave*, **Space 43**, Brisbane, Australia

## Selected Group Exhibitions

2007 *Experimenta Playground: International Biennial of Media Arts*, **The Arts Centre** (Black Box), Melbourne  
*The Caloundra Art Prize* **Caloundra Regional Gallery**, Caloundra  
*Blake Prize for Religious Art* **National Art School**, Sydney

- 2006 *8<sup>th</sup> Rencontres Internationales du Cinéma des Antipodes*, **St Tropez**, France.  
*International Digital Art Awards*, **QUT Art Museum** Brisbane, Australia.  
*K(Art)ma – Lille Festival* **Lasecu Art Gallery**, Lille, France.
- 2005 *Perception: The Daryl Hewson Photographic Collection*, **Queensland Centre for Photography**, Brisbane  
*Prometheus Visual Arts Award*, **All Saints Anglican School**, Gold Coast  
*The Churchie Emerging Art Award*, **Anglican Church Grammar School**, Brisbane  
*Josephine Ulrick & Win Schubert Photography Award*, **Gold Coast Art Centre**, Gold Coast
- 2004 *Adrift*, **Queensland Centre for Photography**, Brisbane
- 2003 *Miniatures*, **Queensland Centre for Photography**, Brisbane
- 2002 *Autumn in the Valley Between Here & There* as part of *Honour Roll*, **Queensland College of Art**, Brisbane
- 2001 *Flux*, **Queensland College of Art**, Brisbane
- 1999 *Jabiluka*, **Metro Arts**, Brisbane

### Commissions and Consultancies

- 2007 **Ipswich Art Gallery** – Consultancy to oversee development of new touch screen installations for public gallery spaces.
- 2007 **Griffith University** – Consultancy to research and write content for Queensland College of Art Professional Development website
- 2006 **Griffith University** – Consultancy to provide mentoring to graduating Queensland College of Art students organising their final year exhibition  
**Experimenta New Media New Work Commission** (collaborative work with Gavin Sade and Matt Dwyer)  
**Ipswich Art Gallery** *Dream Machine* - an animated touch screen game for children  
**St Aidans Anglican Girls School** – Consultancy to produce master class art workshops for staff  
**Ipswich Art Gallery** *Monster Bugs* - an animated touch screen game for children
- 2005 **Ipswich Art Gallery** *Disco Puppy: Interactive Art for Kids* (this project was subsequently licenced by Kick Arts, Cairns Centre for Contemporary Art; Townsville City Library; and Warnambool Art Gallery, Fun 4 Kids Festival)  
**Ipswich Art Gallery** – Consultancy research and write manual for artists re: conservation of artworks
- 2002 **Queensland Art Gallery** – Production of an Interactive Photobooth for Kids APT based on the work of Do-Ho Suh (a collaboration with the Do-Ho Suh, the Queensland Art Gallery, Gavin Sade and Aiden Robertson)  
**Queensland Art Gallery** – Drawing workshops for children  
Exhibition Coordinator – **Queensland College of Art** (Graduating Photography Student's Exhibition)

### Selected Bibliography

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- Australian Broadcasting Corporation <http://www.ihf.com/articles/2007/08/31/arts/peepsat.php> viewed 31 August 2008
- China Daily *International Section*, 31 August 2008
- International Herald Tribune <http://www.ihf.com/articles/2007/08/31/arts/peepsat.php> viewed 10 September 2008;
- Morrell, Tim 2007 *Making the Empire Cross: Episode 2* Catalogue Essay
- Mendoza, Naomi 2007 *While Others Sleep*, Naomi Mendoza, Sydney.
- Broker, David 2006 *Making the Empire Cross: Episode 1* Catalogue Essay
- Green, Ken. (2006), *A Time to Speak*, Ken Green, Brisbane .
- Hedgecock, Ingrid. (2007) *Disco Puppy*, Photofile V 79 Summer p 58.
- Thompson, Nicolas, 2006 *Priscilla Bracks: Making the Empire Cross*, Machine Magazine V1.4, p 17.
- Vanguard Magazine – University of Queensland (citation unavailable)

### Collections

Various private collections in Australia, Canada and the United Kingdom