

## PETER GRIFFEN

### BORN:

1948 Adelaide, SA

### QUALIFICATIONS:

City Art Institute, NSW, Dip. Post. Grad. Studies	1986
City Art Institute, NSW, B.A. (Vis.)	1983 - 85
Sturt C.A.E., SA, Advanced Dip. T (Maths, Art)	1972
Sturt C.A.E., SA, Dip. T (Maths, Geog. Biol)	1966 - 69

### PROFESSIONAL:

1972-80 Painting in Adelaide 1972-80  
1980 to present, Painting in Sydney  
2013 Co-ordinator, Glebe Art Show, NSW, Australia  
2013, 12,11,10, 09, 08 Workshops in conjunction with Art Gallery of NSW Society  
2012 Opened exhibition by Jan Cristaudo, Painters Gallery, NSW, Australia  
2012, 10, 09, 07, 06, 05 Tutor five-day workshop, The Artists' Society of Canberra, ACT  
2012 Tutor workshops at Auckland, Katikati, Whangamatta and Tiarua, NZ  
2012, 11,10, 09, 08 Tutor two-day workshop, Carcoar, NSW  
2012, 11 Tutor 3-day workshop, Haddon Rig, NSW, Australia  
2012 Tutor two-day workshop, Queanbeyan Artists Society, NSW, Australia  
2012,10, 08, 07, 06, 03, 01, 99, 97, 95, 93, 92, 91, 90 Painted in Europe and/or USA  
2011,10, 09, 08, 07, 06 Tutor five-day workshop, Cairns Art Society, Qld  
2010, 09 Tutor two-day workshop Art Gallery of SA  
2010 Guest speaker, opening of graduating students exhibition, Hornsby TAFE, NSW  
2010, 08 Tutor ten-day workshop, Cottanello, Italy  
2010 Tutor one-day workshop Campbelltown Arts Centre  
2010 Guest speaker, Kurringai Art Society  
2010, 09 Tutor three workshops, Tairua, NZ  
2010 Tutor one-day workshop Kurringai Art Society  
2010, 08 Tutor two-day workshop, Mackay, Qld, Australia  
2009 Tutor 2 two-day workshops, Fielding, NZ  
2009 Opened exhibition, Rosalie Rigby and Robyn Jackson, Glebe, NSW  
2009, 08, 07 Tutor three-day workshop, Willunga, SA  
2009 Tutor five day workshop, Birdsville, Qld  
2009 Tutor two day workshop, Campbelltown Arts Centre, NSW  
2009, 07, 05, 04, 02 Tutor six-day workshop, Artsfest, Grafton, NSW  
2008 Guest artist, Portrait Society annual exhibition, Arthouse Hotel, Sydney, NSW  
2008 Tutor two-day workshop, Brisbane, Qld, Australia  
2008 Tutor two-day workshop, Batemans Bay, NSW  
2007, 06, 05 Tutor three-day workshop, Byron Bay, NSW  
2007 Painting demo, Oatley 101 Society of Artists, NSW  
2007, 06(2), 04, 03(2), 02, 01(2) Tutor, School of Creative Arts, Charles Sturt Uni.  
2006 Opened exhibition, Graham Cossey, Aquarelle Gallery, NSW  
2006 Speaker, Opening, Blake Prize Exceptions Exhibition, Chase Gallery, NSW

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2006 Tutor two-day workshop, Albury Art Society, NSW  
2006 Tutor two-day workshop, Kiama Art Society, NSW  
2006 Artist talk, Royal Art Society NSW  
2006 Tutor six-day workshop, Oakey Art Society, Lake Perseverance, Qld  
2006 Opened exhibition, Rosalie Rigby, Gig Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2006 Opened group exhibition, Gallery NTK, NSW  
2005, 04 Tutor four-day workshop, Whangerau, NZ  
2005, 04 Tutor three-day workshops, Clifton, Qld (two workshops in 2004)  
2004 Opened exhibition, Mary Ann Parry, Washouse Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2004 Tutor four-day workshop, Bermagui, NSW 2/5  
2004 Tutor two-week workshop, Uni of Southern Queensland, Qld  
2004 Tutor ten-day workshop, Yepoon, Qld  
2003 Opened Exhibition, Glenda Carter, Casula Powerhouse, Sydney, NSW  
2003, 02 Tutor two-day workshops, Willandra Art Society, NSW  
2002 Tutor five-day workshop, Camp Creative, Katoomba, NSW  
2001 Tutor weekend workshops, abstract art, Willandra, NSW  
2001 Tutor two-day workshops, Blackheath, NSW  
2001 Tutor two-day workshop, Parkes, NSW  
2001 to present, Tutor regular own Studio Weekend Workshops  
1999 Opened exhibition, Stephanie Jakovac, ABC Centre, Ultimo, NSW  
1997 Guest Artist, St Michaels College Art Exhibition, Adelaide, SA  
1989 Guest lecturer, Painting Techniques, Hornsby TAFE, NSW  
1984 Guest lecturer, Painting Techniques, Penrith TAFE, NSW  
1984 Guest lecturer, Painting Techniques, Werrington TAFE, NSW  
1980 Traveled Europe,(3 months)  
1977-80 Owner and Director, Flight Art Gallery, Adelaide, SA  
1973-80 Secondary Teaching, Maths & Geography, Adelaide, SA  
1970-71 National Service, Australia

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2013 Orange Regional Art Gallery, Orange, NSW, Australia, Touring exhibition  
2012 NERAM, Armidale, NSW, Australia, Touring exhibition  
2012 Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, NSW, Australia, Touring exhibition  
2012 Wagner Art Gallery book launch, In and Out of Abstraction  
2012 Painters Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Australia  
2011, 04 98, 95, 94, 91 Solander Gallery, Canberra, ACT, Aust  
2009, 05, 03, 02, 01 Wagner Art Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
2008, 05 Gadfly Gallery, Perth, WA, Aust  
2007 Greenhill Galleries (Hilton Hotel), Adelaide, SA  
2007 Nepean College of TAFE , NSW  
2006 Art Feeling, Lyon, France  
2006 Chase Tribal and Contemporary Art, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
2005 Gadfly Gallery (Perth Concert Hall), WA, Aust  
2005 Bruce Macfie Gallery of Fine Art, Gold Coast, Qld  
2005 Reybourn House, Whangerau, NZ  
2003 Macquarie University, (Survey exhibition), NSW, Aust  
2003 Australian Embassy, Paris, France  
2003, 01, 99, 97, 95 James Colman, London, UK  
2003, 01 Australian Film Festival, St Tropez , France  
2003, 02 Dagmar Art Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria, Aust  
2002, 93, 88 Greenhill Galleries, Adelaide, SA, Aust  
2001 Bimbadgen Estate, Hunter Valley, NSW, Aust

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1999, 96, 94 Qantas Domestic Terminal, NSW, Aust  
1997, 98 North Sydney Fine Art Gallery, NSW, Aust  
1997 Quadrivium, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1996 The Oven, New York, NY, USA  
1991, 93, 95 Gallerie Etienne de Causans, Paris, France  
1995 Espace Alliance, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1995 Araluen Arts Centre, Alice Springs, NT, Aust  
1995 Andrew Vincent Galleries, Brisbane, QLD, Aust  
1995, 96 Convent Gallery, Daylesford, Vic, Aust  
1993 Breewood Galleries, Katoomba, NSW, Aust  
1994, 93, 92 Sydney Oyster Bar, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1994, 92 Mary Reiby Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1990 Orange Regional Gallery (West Room), Orange, NSW, Aust  
1993, 91, 89 Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1987 Holdsworth Contemporary Galleries, Sydney, NSW, Aust 3/5  
1986 First Impression Fine Art Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1986, 85 Nicholson Street Gallery, Sydney, NSW, Aust  
1979, 78 Flight Art Gallery, Adelaide, SA, Aust  
1975 Vargas Gallery, Adelaide, SA, Aust

## COLLECTIONS

Orange Regional Gallery, NSW, Australia  
Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, NSW, Australia  
Nance and Associates, Los Angeles, USA  
Massachusetts Education Dept., Massachusetts, USA  
New England Regional Art Museum, NSW, Australia  
Muswellbrook Regional Art Centre, NSW, Australia  
Price Waterhouse, Sydney, NSW  
Hyatt Coolum, Qld  
Westpac, Sydney, NSW  
Giant Resources, Sydney, NSW  
Malleon Stephen, Jaques, NSW, QLD  
Potter Partners, Sydney, NSW  
Regent, Sydney, NSW  
Park Royal, Sydney, NSW  
Park Lane, NSW, Hong Kong  
Sydney City Council, NSW  
Baulderstone-Hornibrook, NSW  
NSW Treasury Corporation, Sydney, NSW  
Trinity Grammer, Sydney, NSW  
Meridan School, Sydney, NSW  
Department of Transport, Canberra, ACT  
Crown Casino, Melbourne, VIC  
Qantas, NSW, QLD & New Zealand  
Macquarie University, NSW  
Professor D. Yerbury, Sydney, NSW  
Lois Going, NZ  
Private collections: Australia, Europe, USA, Asia, New Zealand

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

# LINTON & KAY GALLERIES

2013 Wagner Art Gallery, NSW, Australia, Drawing: A Fundamental Liberation 3  
2012, 02 Dobell Drawing Prize, Art Gallery of NSW, Australia  
2012 2-person (with Bernard Ferriere) Galleri Art Feeling, Millau, France  
2012, Figurative Difference, 2-person, (with Dagmar Cyrulla), Muswellbrook Regional Gallery, NSW, Australia  
2012, 2-person, (with Denise Lithgow), Grenfell Art Gallery, NSW, Australia  
2012, 09, 08, 07 Eutick Memorial Still Life Award, Coffs Harbour, NSW  
2012, 07, 92, 91, 90, 89, 83 Fisher's Ghost Art Prize, Campbelltown, NSW  
2012, 11, 10, 09,08,07, 06 Glebe Art Prize, NSW  
2011, 89 Sulman Prize AGNSW, Sydney, NSW, Australia  
2013, 11, 05, 97, 95, 93, 91 Muswellbrook Art Prize, Muswellbrook, NSW  
2011, 1997, 92, 84 Hunters Hill Art Prize (finalist), Sydney, NSW  
2010, 97, 96 Tattersalls Club Art Prize, Invitation, Brisbane, Qld  
2010 Art Melbourne 10, May Street Studios  
2010, 06, 05 Art Sydney 10  
2010 Chilli Rooms (two exhibitions), Sydney, NSW, Australia  
2008 Blake Prize(traveling), NSW, Australia  
2006 Art Melbourne 06 Icon Gallery(self and African tribal art)  
2005 Icon Gallery, Sydney, NSW, "Parallel Stories"  
2005,04 03 Taylor Gallery, Sydney, NSW 4/5  
2004, 02 Fleurieu Peninsula Art Prize, McLaren Vale, SA  
2004, 00, 99, 89, 88 Mosman Art Prize, Sydney, NSW  
2003 Art e Nim, Nimes, France, Galerie Art Feeling Millau, France  
2003 Gold Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland  
2003 Galeri Aniela, Kangaroo Valley, NSW ( 3 Person )  
2003 Tamworth City Gallery, Tamworth, NSW, "Double Vision"  
2003, 02 Wagner Art Gallery, NSW, Summer Exhibition  
2003, 02, 96, 95, 94, 93, 92, 91 Delmar Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
2002 Grafton Regional Gallery, NSW, Artsfest Tutors  
2002-1992 (continuos) Qantas Club, Sydney Domestic Terminal, NSW  
2001 Wagner Art Gallery, NSW, Collectors' Choice  
2001 Toronto Art Fair, Toronto, Canada  
2001 Wagner Art Gallery, Hong Kong  
2000-01 Messagers de la Terre, France & Belgium  
2000 Sir Hermann Black Sculpture & Art Gal, Sydney, NSW  
1997 Singapore Art Exp., Singapore  
1996 Ward-Nasse Gallery, New York, NY, USA  
1996 Werrington TAFE, Sydney, NSW  
1996 ART, Islington (James Colman Gallery), UK  
1996, 95 British Art Fair (James Colman Gallery), London, UK  
1995, 91 LineArt Ghent Art Fair, Belgium  
1994 Alice Prize, Alice Springs, NT  
1994 Jill Richards Gallery, Sydney, NSW (2 person)  
1994 Gallery on Booth, Sydney, NSW  
1994, 93, 92 Von Bertouch Galleries, Newcastle, NSW  
1991 John Olsen Drawing Prize, Bathurst, NSW (Finalist)  
1991, 88 Faber-Castell Drawing Prize (finalist), Sydney, NSW  
1991 "Sydney and the Fringes", Invitation, Holdsworth Gallery, NSW  
1990 Biennale Internationale du Pastel, St. Quentin, France  
1990 "Visual Instincts", Curated drawing, University of NSW  
1990 Australian Contemporary Art Fair (Holdsworth Gallery), Melbourne, Vic  
1990 University of Vermont, USA  
1990, 89, 88 North Sydney Contemporary Gallery, Sydney, NSW

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1989 Sulman Prize (finalist) Art Gallery of NSW  
1988 City of Lake Macquarie-Charlestown Shopping Square, Contemporary Art Prize, Invitation, NSW  
1988, 87 Cooper Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
1987 Stadford Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
1986 N.B. Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
1986 Nidus Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
1986, 85 Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
1986, 85 Arthaus, Sydney, NSW  
1981 Ebert & Bousage Gallery, Sydney, NSW  
1979 Contemporary Art Society of S A, Adelaide, SA  
1972 David Sumner Gallery, Adelaide, SA

## COMMISSIONS

2005 Simon Parry-Okeden, NSW  
2004 Keaman Constructions, Public Art, Sydney, NSW  
2003 Frank Howarth, Sydney, NSW  
2002 The Good Guys, Melbourne, Victoria  
2000 Resmed, Sydney, NSW  
1998 Geelong Private Hospital, Geelong, Vic  
1998 National Capital Private Hospital, Canberra, ACT  
1997 Imperial Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia  
1997, 92 Diamond Press, Sydney, NSW  
1996 Capital Plaza, Sydney NSW  
1994 Optus Communications, Sydney NSW  
1993 Merck, Sharpe & Dohme, Sydney, NSW 5/5  
1992 Dr Joe and Billy-Jean Scoppa, Sydney, NSW  
1992 Canberra Casino, Canberra, ACT  
1992 Capital Park Royal, Canberra, ACT  
1992 Park Lane, Sydney, NSW  
1991 Century Radison Hotel, Sydney, NSW  
1991 Paul Ramsey Private Hospitals, Sydney, NSW  
1988 Hyatt Hotel, Adelaide, SA

## PUBLICATIONS

Look, Art Gallery Society of NSW, Jill Sykes, Feb 2012  
Artist's Palette, June 2012  
In and Out of Abstraction, Peter Griffen, published by la Fabrique, 2011  
Sydney Town Hall , Margaret Betteridge, Council of the City of Sydney 08  
Independent Weekly, SA, Adam Dutkiewicz, 4 Sep 07  
Herald Sun, Vic, Jeff Makin, 18 Mar. 2002  
The Qantas Club (& Flight Deck) Win 01, Aut 01, Spri 99, Jul 98, Mar 94  
Australian Artist Apr10, Oct 04, Jul 04, Oct 04, Jan 00, Aug 95, Apr 95, Jul 94, Jul 93  
International Artist Issue No. 1 July 98  
Craft Art International, Issue No. 4 Oct. 98  
Canberra Times, Sasha Grishin , 1Nov.05, 18Nov.98, 21Jul.95, 18Jun.94, Aug.91  
Who's Who of Australian Visual Artists, Thorpe, 1995  
Alice Springs News, Kieran Finnane 28 June 95  
Centralian Advocate, Dorothy Grimm, 16 June 95  
Encyclopedia of Australian Art, Susan McCulloch, Allen & Unwin 1994  
Sydney Morning Herald, Bronwyn Watson 30 July 93

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Weekend Australian, Elwyn Lynn 17 July 93, 13 July 91, 27 June 87  
Artists and Galleries of Australia, Vol. 1, Max Germaine, Craftsman House  
Antipode, Australia- France Association, Paris, France 1997  
Artvoice Vol. 1, Dec 94

## **PRIZES**

2011 Muswellbrook Open Art Prize Section B works on paper NSW, Australia  
2003 Blackfriars Trust Acquisitions Award, Cootamundra, NSW, Australia  
Represented as a finalist in several art prizes, see "Group Exhibitions"  
(2013 Judge, Waverley-Woollahra Art Prize)

## **MEDIA**

TV Chanel 44, "Our Time" interview with Janice Baker, May 2013  
ABC TV and Radio Interview, Armidale, 2012 (Traveling exhibition)  
ABC TV Landline "Desert Dauber" 2009  
ABC TV 7.30 Report, re the new Glebe Island Bridge 1996  
5AA Radio, Adelaide, SA Interview with Mark Aiston, 4Jan2011  
Various radio interviews (records unavailable )