

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education	Master of Fine Art. RMIT. 2009 Associate Dip. Visual Arts. Major – Printmaking. Barton Institute of TAFE. Melb. 1994-97 Post Grad Dip. Musculoskeletal. Melb Uni. 1993 Bach App Sci in Physiotherapy. 1983
Studio	Artery Co-operative. Helen St. Northcote Melbourne www.acoop.com.au Director Artery Co-operative
Arts Business	Propeller Arts https://vimeo.com/propellerarts
Grants	Yarra City Council Arts Exhibition Program 2020 ArtPlay New Ideas Lab 2016 Australia Council ArtStart Grant 2010
Residencies	September 2019 Scuola Internazionale di Grafica Venice July 2016 <i>The Printmaker is Present</i> . PCA pop up Exhibition. NKN Gallery Melbourne August 2015 Illustrator-in-residence Melbourne Writers Festival 2015. Fed Square June 2015 Kimberley Training Institute Broome. WA. Nov 2013 Primula Tinsulanonda. Chaing Mai. Thailand. Nov 2013
Solo and two person Exhibitions	
November 2020 to Jan 2021	<i>Quite Contrary</i> with Jessi Wong. Bargoonga Nganjin nth Fitzroy Yarra City Council Arts Program
May 2019	<i>Prints and Drawings</i> Darebin Open Day Darebin Arts Centre Preston
June 2016	<i>Patterns of thought</i> with K.Gorringe-Smith Port Jackson Press. LWOO Fitzroy
June 2013	<i>Wild Party</i> . Port Jackson Press. Little Window of Opportunity. Collingwood
October 2011	<i>Apple on a stick</i> Red Gallery. Nth Fitzroy
September 2010	<i>Aisle Odyssey</i> Brunswick St Gallery. Fitzroy
January 2008	<i>Between the Flags</i> Qdos Gallery. Lorne
November 2006	<i>Domestic Circus</i> The Convent Gallery. Daylesford
August 2004	<i>Housewives to Fishwives</i> The Convent Gallery. Daylesford
October 2003	<i>Domestic Beauty-Fabulous Women</i> HOGAN Gallery. Melb
Multi Media and Works on Paper Collaborations	
October 2022 & March 2020	<i>Water – Works on Paper</i> Artery Co-operative & Scuola Internazionale di Grafica, Curator & Artist
October 2018	<i>Rebel</i> A.Kocis, R.Young. White Night Geelong. Animation Projection Gheringhap St Geelong
March 2018	<i>Rebel</i> A.Kocis, R.Young. White Night Ballarat. Animation Projection Myer Loading Dock Ballarat
Oct 2016 – May 2017	<i>Bunny and the UFO</i> with A Kocis & R.Young. ArtPlay Birrarung Marr
August 2015	<i>Pride, Mischief & Murder</i> . Melbourne Writers Festival & Corrugated Lines Festival Broome. No Vacancy Project Space (P.S) & video screens. Fed Square
August 2014	<i>Bookends</i> with A. Kocis & R. Young. No Vacancy PS & video screens Fed Square. Melbourne Writers Festival 2014
October 2013	<i>Dust - Exhibition & Print Exchange</i> Curated with I. Wilson. No Vacancy P.S & video screens Fed Square
August 2013	<i>1000 Tears</i> with J. Wong, Fracture Gallery & video Screens Fed Square Melbourne Writers Festival 2013
August 2012	<i>Anima</i> with Ingrid Wilson. No Vacancy P.S Fed Square
August 2010	<i>The Enchanted Aisle</i> with Composers Mary Marasco & Brigid Burke. LMH Toorak
April 2007	<i>Past meets Now</i> . With Composers Mary Marasco & Brigid Burke. LMH Toorak
Art Prizes, Selected Entry and Award Exhibitions	
Aug 2021, 2017	<i>Peebles Print Prize</i> Queenscliff Gallery and Workshop
July 2021 2018, 2016, 2014,2012	<i>InkMasters Print Exhibition</i> . Tanks Art Centre. Cairns. Work purchased 2018 InkMasters Print Bank
May 2021, 1999	<i>Fremantle Print Award</i> . Fremantle. WA
May 2021	Ravenswood Women's Art Prize Gordon Sydney
February 2021	<i>Overwintering – Truthing Westernport</i> Mornington Peninsular Regional Gallery (Work in progress
April 2020	<i>Human Emotion Print Exchange</i> Queenscliff Gallery and Workshop Queenscliff
February 2020	<i>Editions 20</i> Tacit Gallery Collingwood
October 2018	<i>Overwintering</i> Moonah Gallery Hobart. Tasmania. Wyndham Gallery Wyndham
Feb 2018	<i>Editions 18</i> Tacit Gallery Collingwood
May 2017	<i>Great Authors Print Exchange</i> Queenscliff Gallery and Workshop Queenscliff
February 2017	<i>Bellarine Printmakers Exhibition</i> . Queenscliff Gallery and Workshop Queenscliff

December 2016 *Home to a Home*. Curated by K.Gorringe-Smith. Brunswick Street Gallery. Fitzroy
 June & Dec 2016, 2015, 2014 *Port Jackson Press Group Shows eg Contemporary Works on Paper, Proof*, PJP. Collingwood
 January 2016 *Flyway (FPE) Art at Wharepuke*, Keri Keri, New Zealand
 December – Feb 2016 *Flyway (FPE) Immigration Museum Melbourne*
 September 2015 *Bimblebox 153 Birds*. State Library of Queensland Brisbane Writers Festival 2015
 January 2015 *Flyway (FPE) Sungei Buloh Wetlands*, Singapore
 November 2014 *Flyway (FPE) Hong Kong Wetland Park*, Hong Kong
 October 2014 *Flyway (FPE) I/TERAS Print Studio Bentara Budaya Yogyakarta*, Indonesia
 October 2014 *Flyway (FPE) Adelaide OzAsia Festival*. Space Theatre Adelaide, SA
 September 2014 *Flyway International Print Exchange (FPE)*. No Vacancy PS Fed Square
 May 2014 *Swan Hill Print & Drawing Prize 2014*. Swan Hill
 March 2013 *Northern Lights*. Bundoora Homestead Art Centre. Melb
 September 2011, 2000, 1998 *Silk Cut Award*. Glen Eira City Council Gallery
 November 2007 *Whyalla Art Prize 2007*. Whyalla. SA
 September 2007 *Relief Printing.Fremantle Art Collection*. Fremantle Arts Centre
 March 2006 *Sugar .Melb Fashion Festival Exhibition*. Paper Stone Scissors
 March 1999 *Williamstown Festival Exhibition*. Williamstown
 March 1999 *She the Cat's Mother*. Dandenong Art's Centre. Dandenong
 March 1998 & 96 *Arts Blitz Exhibition*. Kingston City Council. Third and First Prize respectively

Selected Group Exhibitions

September 2022 Global Oceans Print Exchange. Adelaide Museum Foyer
 March 2022 Bookish. Print Council Australia Athanaeum Library Melbourne
 January 2020 *ImMigration* Los Angeles Community Arts Centre Los Angeles
 October 2019 *ImMigration* Scuola di Grafica Internazionale Venice and CaFE Los Angeles
 July 2019 *Paperlicious* Red Gallery. Nth Fitzroy
 July 2018, March, July 2017 *Papercutz* Red Gallery. Nth Fitzroy
 March 2017 *All Teeth and Swagger*. Red Gallery. Nth Fitzroy
 March 2017 *Global Print Exchange* Hahndorf Academy Adelaide Hills SA
 March 2017 *Cut and Press* Red Gallery North Fitzroy
 March 2017 *Global Print Exchange* Hahndorf Academy Adelaide Hills SA
 August 2016 *Bimblebox 153* Gympie Regional Gallery Queensland
 June 2015 *The Beast Beside Us*. Red Gallery Fitzroy Nth
 July 2013 *The Wilderness all Around* Anita Traverso Gallery. Richmond
 October 2012 - *Firestation Print Studio Retrospective – Firestation P.S.* Armadale. Melb
 October 2012 *The Map's Vocabulary*. Red Gallery. Nth Fitzroy
 September 2011 *Co-opting practice*. Artery Studios. Northcote
 September 2011 *Charting the Interior*. Brunswick St Gallery. Fitzroy
 April 2011 *Printmaking 11A* Brunswick Street Gallery. Fitzroy
 December 2018, 2016,14,12,10, 06, 04,1999, 95 *Impressions*. Biannual Exhibition. Australian Print Workshop. Fitzroy
 December 2010 *Christmas Exhibition. Bridget McDonnell Gallery* Hampton
 September 2010 *Merri studios Works on Paper*. Brunswick Street Gallery
 July 2013,2010, 2008, 2007 *The Exquisite Palette*. St Luke Artist Colourmen. Fitzroy
 June 2010 *High Views. Northern Exposure Festival*. Northcote
 December 2009 *MFA RMIT Graduation Show*. Guildford Lane Gallery. Melb
 February 2004 *Linden Post Card Show*. Linden Gallery. St Kilda
 December 1998 *Artists Portfolio*. Firestation Print Workshop. Prahran

Publications/Interviews

May 2021 Channel 9 Postcards <https://www.9now.com.au/postcards/2021/clip-ckoaytlk100030hrub0gggzdh>
 March 2020 *Water – International Collaboration & Exhibitions* SBS Australia Radio
<https://www.sbs.com.au/language/english/audio/water-from-venice-and-australia>
 March 2017 *Bunny and the UFO* Propeller Arts Interview City of Melbourne
<https://www.melbourne.vic.gov.au/arts-and-culture/artplay/artists/Pages/artist-interviews.aspx>
 January 2016 Image & listing PCA Year of Print Calendar for Port Jackson Press LWOO June 2016
 June 2015 ABC Kimberley 16/6/2015 <https://soundcloud.com/abcwa/collective-nouns-pride-mischief-and-murder-3>
 June 2015 Goolarri Radio interview re Pride, Mischief & Murder with Russell Dann
 December – February 2014 Gorringe-Smith, Kate. The 84 Story Gallery – Imprint. Summer 2014, Vol 49
 December 2014 1000 Tears http://www.academia.edu/7792882/1000_Tears_Crowdsourcing_Regrets_for_an_Art_Installation
 July 2012 Ink Masters Cairns Catalogue. Tanks Arts Centre 2012
 September 2011, 2000, 1998 Silk Cut Exhibition Catalogue 2011, 2000, 1998
 March 2006 The Age. March 11 2006 Goodweekend. Weekender. No 1 Sugar
 March 2006 Sugar – Exhibition Book. March 2006
 October 2003 The Age. Oct.8.2003.The A List Domestic Beauty – Fabulous Women

Books

November 2020 *Quite Contrary* <https://au.blurb.com/b/10488376-quite-contrary>
 March 2020 *Water* by A. Kocis <https://au.blurb.com/b/10037545-water-works-on-paper>

August 2015
August 2014
October 2013

Pride, Mischief & Murder by A.Kocis <http://au.blurb.com/b/6384604-pride-mischief-murder>
Bookends by Andrej Kocis <http://au.blurb.com/b/5542503-bookends>
Dust by Andrej Kocis <http://au.blurb.com/b/4680218-dust>

Animations/Videos

See Propeller Arts on Vimeo <https://vimeo.com/propellerarts>

Teaching/Workshops

October 2018
November 2016
April & May 2016
August 2015
June 2015
Nov 2013

Super Birds Drawing workshops for children ArtPlay Birrarung Marr Melbourne
Christmas Lanterns Workshop for Melbourne City Square Christmas Program
My Imaginary Pet. Drawing workshops for children . ArtPlay Birrarung Marr Melb
A Whimsy of Collective Nouns. Drawing workshop. ArtPlay . Birrarung Marr Melb for MWF 2015
Printmaking Collaborative project. Kimberley Training Institute Broome. WA.
Visual Art Secondary students Primula Tinsulanonda. Chaing Mai. Thailand. Nov 2013

COLLECTIONS

Private Collections Nationally and Internationally
Public Collections – National Gallery Canberra, State Library of Victoria, Fremantle City Council,
Silk Cut Collection, InkMasters Cairns