

NICHOLAS HARDING

SOPHIE
GANNON
GALLERY

BIOGRAPHY

1965 Emigrated to Australia
1956 Born in the UK

EDUCATION

1975 Studied Bachelor of Arts, Macquarie University, Sydney

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2016 *Garden and Landscape*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2015 *Blood and Bone*, Olsen Irwin, Sydney
2014 *Drawing Godot*, Olsen Irwin, Sydney
Drawing Godot, Beaver Galleries, Canberra
Philip Bacon Galleries, Brisbane
2013 *Paris*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
Figures, Flora and Landscape, Olsen Irwin, Sydney
2012 Philip Bacon Galleries, Brisbane
2011 Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
2010 Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Hill Smith Gallery, Adelaide
Drawn to Paint: 25 Year Survey Exhibition, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
2009 Philip Bacon Galleries, Brisbane
Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
2008 *Nicholas Harding: On Drawing and Painting*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
2007 Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Crossley & Scott, Melbourne
2006 Philip Bacon Galleries, Brisbane
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Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
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Theo Waddington Fine Art, London, UK
1995 Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
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1992 Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2015 *The Art of Shakespeare*, Bell Shakespeare (touring to Melbourne, Canberra and Sydney)

- 2014 UQ Art Museum National Self Portrait Prize, UQ Art Museum, University of Queensland, Brisbane
Melbourne Art Fair, Sophie Gannon Gallery and Olsen Irwin, Melbourne
Salon des Refuses, S. H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- 2013 *Arcadia: Sound of the Sea*, National Portrait Gallery, Canberra
Contemporary Australian Drawing: 20 Years of the Dobell Prize for Drawing, touring Grafton
Regional Gallery, Grafton, NSW; Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery, Booragul, NSW; Orange Regional
Gallery, Orange, NSW; National Art School Gallery, Sydney; Tweed Regional Art Gallery,
Murwillumbah, NSW
Drawing Margaret, Tweed Regional Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW
On the Table (Still Lifes), Olsen Irwin, Sydney
- 2012 Sydney Contemporary Art Fair, Sophie Gannon Gallery and Olsen Irwin, Sydney
Harding & Newis: Paintings, Osborne Samuel, London, UK
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Kedumba Collection of Contemporary Drawing, Orange Regional Gallery, Orange, NSW
- 2011 *Dobell Prize*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Gallery Artists, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
30 to Collect, Arthouse Gallery, Sydney
BIG/small, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 2010 Moran Portrait Prize, State Library of New South Wales, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Melbourne Art Fair, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
Beleura National Works on Paper Award, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington
Peninsula, VIC
Paper Trail, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
Works on Paper: Recent Acquisitions from the MRAG Collection, Maitland Regional Art Gallery,
Maitland, NSW
- 2009 *Heads*, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Doug Moran Portrait Prize, State Library of New South Wales, Sydney
Figurative Painting, Hill Smith Gallery, Adelaide
Hazelhurst Art Award, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Hazelhurst, NSW
Shilo Project, Ian Potter Museum of Art, University of Melbourne, Melbourne
Controversy and Acclaim: Highlights of the Mosman Art Prize 1947-2007, Mosman Art Gallery,
Sydney
Idle Hours, National Portrait Gallery, Canberra
- 2008 Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney
Figure in the Landscape, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Melbourne
Led Zeppelin World Tour, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney and Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery,
Mornington Peninsula, VIC
Important Drawings, Sculpture & Ceramics, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Melbourne Art Fair, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Melbourne
Kedumba Collection of Contemporary Australian Drawing, Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, Bathurst,
NSW
- 2007 *Australian Works on Paper*, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
The View From Here: Margaret Olley, William Robinson and Nicholas Harding, Lismore Regional Art
Gallery, Lismore, NSW
Salon des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- 2006 Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Inaugural Exhibition, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
Kilgour Prize, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 2005 *Australian Icons Framed*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Open Bite (Cicada Press), College of Fine Arts, University of New South Wales, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Crossley & Scott, Melbourne
The Sea, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Thai-Australian Contemporary Prints, Chiangmai University Art Museum, Chiangmai, Thailand
Robert Jacks Drawing Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo, VIC
Super Art, Dickerson Gallery, Melbourne
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney

- Important Works on Paper*, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Extinction Denied, Sydney
- 2004**
Contemporary Australian Prints, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Still Life, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Dobell Drawing Prize: The First Ten Years, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, State Library of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2003**
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Ned Kelly Framed, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Extinction Denied, Sydney
- 2002**
Briefcase 50, Boutwell Draper Gallery, Sydney
Jacaranda Drawing Award, Grafton Regional Gallery, Grafton, NSW
The Year in Art, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Favourites, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Extinction Denied, Sydney
- 2001**
GRANTPIRRIE Artist-In-Residence, GRANTPIRRIE, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Kedumba Drawing Prize, NSW
Extinction Denied, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 2000**
Inaugural Exhibition, Dickerson Scott, Melbourne
Images of Sydney, Ivan Dougherty Gallery, Sydney
Redlands Westpac Art Prize, Sydney
Favourites, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1999**
Universities and Schools Club Prize, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1998**
Redlands Westpac Art Prize, Sydney
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1997**
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1996**
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1995**
Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
Salon des Refuses, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
Important Works on Paper, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1994**
Urban and Urbane, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
Gold Coast City Conrad Jupiter Prize, Gold Coast
Australian Contemporary Art Fair 4, Melbourne

- Archibald Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Wynne Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- Kedumba Drawing Award, NSW
- Important Works on Paper*, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1993** Dobell Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Salon des Refuses*, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney
- Mosman Art Prize, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney
- Kedumba Drawing Award, NSW
- 1992** *Important Works on Paper*, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- 1990** Sydney Morning Herald Art Prize, Sydney
- 1989** Sydney Morning Herald Art Prize, Sydney
- 1985** Faber-Castell Art Prize, Rex Irwin Art Dealer, Sydney
- Sydney Morning Herald Art Prize, Sydney
- 1983** Sydney Morning Herald Art Prize, Sydney
- 1982** Sydney Morning Herald Art Prize, Sydney
- 1980** Sulman Prize, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney

AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

- 2016** UQ Art Museum National Self Portrait Prize, People's Choice Award
- 2015** Nancy Fairfax Tweed Artist in Residence Studio, Tweed Regional Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW
- 2013** Art Gallery of New South Wales Moya Dyring Studio, Internationale Cité des Arts, Paris, France
- 2006** Kedumba Trustee
- Kilgour Prize
- 2005** Archibald Prize, People's Choice
- Archibald Prize, Highly Commended
- 2001** Australian Centenary Medal
- Kings School Art Prize
- Hills Grammar Prize
- Dobell Drawing Prize
- Archibald Prize
- GRANTPIRRIE Artist Residency
- 2000** Lane Cove Drawing and Print Prize
- 1999** Universities and Schools Club Prize
- 1998** Commended, Archibald Prize
- Artist-in-Residence, Bundanon Arts Trust Centre
- 1994** Kedumba Drawing Award
- 1993** Mosman Art Prize

COLLECTIONS

- APRA/AMCOS
- Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney
- Kedumba Gallery of Contemporary Drawing, Wentworth Falls, NSW
- Maitland Regional Art Gallery, Maitland, NSW
- Mosman Municipal Council, Sydney
- National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
- National Portrait Gallery, Canberra
- Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
- Opera Australia, Sydney
- Tweed Regional Art Gallery, Murwillumbah, NSW
- University of New South Wales, Sydney
- University of Sydney Union, Sydney
- University and Schools Club
- Private and corporate collections in Australia, Asia, the UK and USA