

# SARAH SMUTS-KENNEDY

SOPHIE  
GANNON  
GALLERY

## BIOGRAPHY

1961 Born in Lower Hutt, New Zealand

## EDUCATION

2012 Master of Fine Arts (First Class Honours), Elam School of Fine Arts, University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand

2010 Postgraduate Diploma, Elam School of Fine Arts, University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Point to Periphery*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne  
*Events within Boundaries*, Rm Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2014 *Field Work*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
- 2013 *Shape Analysis*, Rm Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2012 *Principle of Hope*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne
- 2011 *Unearthed: Encroachment of the Commons*, Wollongong Regional Gallery, Wollongong, NSW
- 2009 *Another Day in Paradise*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney  
*Pretty, As a Picture*, Sophie Gannon Gallery, Melbourne  
*Pyramid Scheme*, John Paynter Gallery, Newcastle, NSW
- 2008 *Competing continents of Bling*, Kiosk, Christchurch, New Zealand  
*Cliffhanger*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney
- 2006 *Painting Rubbish*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney  
*Ether*, Nature Morte Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2005 *Ether*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney
- 2004 *Ascension*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney
- 2003 *Behold The Man*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Soft Architecture*, Malcolm Smith Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2014 *The Park* (with Taarati Taiaroa), Auckland City Council, POP, Victoria Park, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2013 *From light, forms*, Breenspace, Sydney
- 2012 *Link*, Snake Pit, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2011 *The New Arcadia*, Lismore Regional Gallery, Lismore, NSW  
*Black*, Cessnock Regional Gallery, Cessnock, NSW
- 2010 *Shifting Sands*, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, NSW  
*Curious Colony*, Newcastle Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2009 *Wax On*, Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Sydney
- 2008 gbk @ Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
- 2007 Roger Williams Contemporary, New Zealand  
gbk @ Silvershot, Melbourne
- 2006 *Bitmap, International Photo Project*, Alternative Space Loop, Korea  
gbk @ Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
- 2005 *December Group*, Gallery Barry Keldoulis, Sydney
- 2004 gbk @ Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne  
*Refresh: 10 years of Photo Technica*, Australian Centre for Photography, Sydney  
*Portraiture: The Art of Social Commentary*, Te Tuhi The Mark, Auckland, New Zealand

## RESIDENCIES

- 2016 McCahon House Residency, Titirangi, New Zealand  
2015 Artspace, Auckland, New Zealand  
Rm Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand  
2009 Artspace, Sydney  
Lock Up, Newcastle, NSW

## AWARDS

- 2010 Trust Waikato National Contemporary Art Award  
2009 RBS Emerging Artist Award (finalist)  
2008 Wallace Art Awards (finalist)  
Trust Waikato National Contemporary Art Award (finalist)  
2005 ABN AMRO Australian Emerging Artist Award (finalist)  
Josephine Ulrick and Win Schubert Photography Award (finalist)  
2004 ABN AMRO Australian Emerging Artist Award (finalist)  
Conrads Jupiter Art Prize (finalist)  
Citibank Photographic Archibald Prize (finalist)  
2003 Citibank Photographic Archibald Prize (finalist)  
2002 Photo Technica New Australian Photo-Artist of the Year  
2001 Kodak ACP Student of The Year

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Sue Gardiner, 'Art in the age of an ecological emergency', *Art News New Zealand*, Autumn 2015, pp. 86–91  
Robert Nelson, 'Questions of space in a field of plenty', *The Age*, 11 June 2014  
Lucy Von Sturmer, 'Pretty as a Picture', *Fluro Magazine*, issue 9, 2009  
'Ten recommended shows for April an May', *Art World*, April–May 2008, pp. 34–35  
Sarah Rawlings, 'Sarah Smuts-Kennedy', *Insight Magazine*, Westpac Private Bank, Sydney, 2007, pp. 9, 16–17, 25  
Peter Nagy, 'Sarah Smuts-Kennedy', *Bitmap: International Photo Project*, Alternative Space LOOP, Korea 2006  
Shannon Huse, 'Dab Hand', *Urbis Magazine*, Summer 2003, pp. 54–58

## COLLECTIONS

- 10 Cubed Collection, Melbourne  
Artbank, Sydney  
Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide  
Deutsche Bank, Sydney  
James Wallace Art Trust, Auckland, New Zealand  
Macquarie Group Collection, Sydney  
Newcastle Regional Art Gallery, Newcastle, NSW  
Wollongong Regional Art Gallery, Wollongong, NSW