

# BRIDGIT THOMAS

## SELECTED CV

Born Melbourne 1961

## EDUCATION

BA Fine Art majoring in Printmaking, Caulfield Institute of Technology

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2026	'Immersed' SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff
2024	'Time and Tide' SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff
2023	'Ship Spotting' SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff
2021	'Charmed Circle' SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff
2020	'All at Sea' SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff
2019	'Ship to Shore' Merricks Wine Store Mornington Peninsula
2019	'No Like is the Same' SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff
2018	'Fish & Ships', Merricks Wine Store Mornington Peninsula
2017	Mornington Library Foyer Artist Space, Mornington
2016	Gallery Sorrento, Easter exhibition
2015	Portland Bay Press, Julia St. Creative Space, Portland
2012	'Superstructures' Dome Gallery, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2010	'Local Species' Gallery Sorrento
2007	Gallery Sorrento
2002	Gallery Sorrento
2000	New Paintings, Gallery Sorrento
1999	Christmas Exhibition, Gallery Sorrento
1997	Fishing and Boating Show, Melbourne Exhibition Centre
1996	Easter Exhibition, Gallery Sorrento
1995	Art House Gallery, Paddington, NSW
1995	Gallery Sorrento

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025	'Papermade: Contemporary works on paper', Salt Contemporary, Queenscliff
2024	Summer Show, Salt Contemporary Art. Queenscliff
2023	The Fifth Art Encounters: Art Composition International Group Exhibition. Beograd
2022	'Ephemeral', Ceramics, Antipodes Gallery, Sorrento
2022	'Birds of a Feather', Salt Contemporary Gallery, Queenscliff
2022	Retrospective, AiR Exhibition Police Point, Portsea
2022	'Sea to Shore', Salt Contemporary Gallery, Queenscliff
2020	'Miniatures in March', Portland Bay Press, Julia St. Creative Space, Portland
2019	'Local 7', Rye UpStairs Gallery, Mornington Peninsula
2018	'Summer by the Sea', Salt Contemporary Gallery, Queenscliff
2017	'Mystic Park Landscapes', Mystic Park Hotel, Vic
2017	'Of the Sea', Manyung Gallery, Mt Eliza
2017	'Impressions', Celebration of Printmakers, Manyung Gallery Malvern
2017	'Two Cities', Portland Print Exchange, Portland Bay Press
2017	Summer Exhibition, Salt Contemporary Gallery, Queenscliff
2016	'Mystic Park Landscape', Mystic Park Hotel, Mystic Park Vic.
2016	Portland Artist Residency Program; Portland Arts Centre
2016	Summer Exhibition, Salt Contemporary Gallery, Queenscliff
2015	Summer Exhibition, SALT Contemporary Art, Queenscliff

## PRIZES

2017	Winner, People's Choice. Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2015	Best Other Medium; Mornington Peninsula Art Show
2012	Winner, Continental Hotel Annual Art Prize, Sorrento

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## SHORTLISTED PRIZES

2025	Finalist WAMA Art Prize, National Centre for Environmental Art, Halls Gap.
2025	Southern Ocean Art Prize, Robe. South Australia
2025	Selected work Installation Window, Barnacle Studios, The Broadway, Rosebud.
2023	House of Stories', Lighthouse Arts, Nobby's Whibayganba Headland, Newcastle
2023	'Retreats de vaixells' Portraits of Ships, Maritime Museum of Barcelona
2023	Finalist Burnie Print Prize, Burnie Tasmania
2022	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2022	Selected, Waterhouse Natural Science Art Prize, South Australian Museum, Adelaide
2021	Shortlisted People's Choice. Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2021	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2020	Linden Postcard Show, St. Kilda
2020	Shortlisted People's Choice. Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2020	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2019	Shortlisted People's Choice. Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2019	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2018	Selected Blarney Biblio Art Award, Port Fairy and Tacit Gallery,
2018	Shortlisted People's Choice. Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2018	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2017	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2017	Finalist Geelong Print Prize, Geelong Gallery
2016	Shortlisted Svitzer People's Choice Award, Maritime Art Prize
2016	Finalist Maritime Art Prize, Mission to Seafarers, Docklands
2016	Selected Bellarine Print Prize, Pt. Lonsdale, Vic.

## RESIDENCIES

2025	Artist-in-Residence, Lancaster Press, Fiji
2024	Artist-in-Residence, Lancaster Press, Fiji
2023	Artist-in-Residence, Lancaster Press, Fiji
2022	Artist-in-Residence, Lighthouse Arts, Nobby's Head, Newcastle
2017	Artist-in Residence, Warrener Arts, Portsea Victoria
2017	Artist-in-Residence, The Art Vault, Mildura
2015	Artist-in-Residence, Police Point, Portsea Victoria
2015	Artist-in-Residence, Julia Street Creative Space, Portland Victoria

## COMMISSIONS

2025	Artwork for Rick Stein Restaurant, Coogee Beach NSW
2021	Artwork for Apartments and Penthouse, Langdon Hotel, Gold Coast