

TIM ALLEN

born 1965, lives Blue Mountains, NSW

Qualifications

- 1996-7 Awarded MFA College of Fine Arts, UNSW, Sydney
- 1988 Graduate Diploma (Visual Art) City Art Institute, Sydney
- 1985-7 BA (Visual Art) City Art Institute, Sydney
- 1984 Studied Meadowbank TAFE, Sydney

Solo Exhibitions

- 2023 *Riverbend*, Gallerysmith, Melbourne
- 2022 *Still / Flow*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2020 *Interzone*, Gallerysmith, Melbourne
- 2019 *Overlay*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Immersion, Orange Regional Gallery, Orange NSW
- 2018 *Navigate*, Gallerysmith, Melbourne
Contour, Weathered, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2017 *Fissure*, Weswal Gallery, Tamworth, NSW
- 2016 *Cliff Line*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2015 *Peaks and Valleys*, Nock Art Gallery, Hong Kong
Weswal Gallery Tamworth, NSW
- 2014 Defiance Gallery Sydney
Milton House Gallery Mackay, QLD
- 2013 Catherine Asquith Gallery Melbourne 2012 Defiance Gallery Sydney
- 2012 Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2011 Adelaide Perry Gallery Sydney
- 2010 Defiance Gallery Sydney
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- 2005 Defiance Gallery Sydney
- 2003 Bryan Hooper Gallery Sydney
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- 1999 Coventry Gallery Sydney
- 1998 Coventry Gallery Sydney
- 1997 First Draft Gallery Sydney

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2023 *XV: PAST PRESENT FUTURE*, Gallerysmith, Melbourne
- 2022 *Moments in Colour*, The Glasshouse, Port Macquarie Regional Gallery
- 2021 *Reciprocity*, Hazlehurst Regional Gallery
Five Artists, Seven Days, Defiance Gallery
AWC Mt Zero Exhibition, Defiance Gallery
- 2020 *Defiance Gallery celebrates 25 years*, Defiance Gallery
- 2019 *Paper*, Defiance Gallery
Kickerbell artists, Walcha Gallery
- 2018 *The Platform 10*, Edwina Corlette Gallery, Brisbane
A Shared View, Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
Abstract Landscape, Defiance Gallery
- 2017 *Artist Profile Australasian Painters*, Orange Regional Gallery

- 2007-2017 *Midwinter*, Defiance Gallery
The Kelton Plain Artist Residency, Raglan Gallery, Cooma
Packsaddle Exhibition, NERAM, Armidale
Makers Mark, Defiance Gallery
- 2016 *Packsaddle Exhibition*, NERAM, Armidale
Step up to the Plate, Defiance Gallery
Spring Fever, Defiance Gallery
Abstracting the Landscape, Defiance Gallery
- 2015 *Art from Australia*, Gail Art Museum, Seoul, South Korea
 Hong Kong Affordable Art Fair, Hong Kong
20th Anniversary Exhibition, Defiance Gallery
Coorah Contemporary Gallery, Wentworth Falls NSW
- 2014 *Opening Exhibition*, Gallery Klei, Gallery Klei Sydney
Stations of the Cross 2014, Sydney
Abstracting the Landscape, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
 Coorah Contemporary Gallery, Wentworth Falls, NSW
- 2013 *The PLC Sydney Collection Exhibition*, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney
The Landscape Exhibition, Gate Gallery, Wollombi
- 2012 *Larapinta Trail Artists*, Shoalhaven City Arts Centre, Nowra
Seeing The Same Landscape Through Different Eyes, Milton House Gallery, Mackay
Painting the Everglades, Tim Allen and Michael Herron, Everglades Gallery, NSW
Abstraction in Landscape, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Larapinta Trail Artists, Moree Plains Gallery, Moree
The Great Australian Landscape, Tim Olsen Gallery, Sydney
- 2011 *The Larapinta Exhibition*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Ship Shape: The Boat Show, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
The Landscape Show, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
The Drawing Show Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2010 *2nd Annual Drawing Exhibition*, Nolan on Lovel Gallery, NSW
The Drawing Show, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2009 *Same Place, Many Views*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Defiance Gallery Drawing Exhibition, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2008 *Alan Cleary Collection*, Hawkesbury Regional Gallery
Stations of the Cross 2008, St Ives Uniting Church
Same Place, Many Views, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2007 *Same Place, Many Views*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Shelf Life, Delmar Gallery, Sydney
- 2006 *Art on the Rocks Exhibition*, Sydney
Defiance Gallery Drawing Exhibition, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Shelf Life, Delmar Gallery, Sydney
Same Place, Many Views, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
- 2005 *The Defiance Drawing Show*, Defiance Gallery, Sydney
Tim Allen and Dave Horton, new work, Defiance Gallery, Sydney

Awards And Award Shows

- 2021 Finalist, *King's School Art Prize*, Sydney
Finalist, *KAAF Art Prize*, Sydney
- 2020 Finalist, *Muswellbrook Art Prize*, Muswellbrook Regional Gallery
Finalist, *JADA Drawing Prize*, Grafton Regional Gallery
Finalist, *Paddington Art Prize*, Defiance Gallery Sydney
- 2019 Finalist, *Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize*, Brisbane
- 2018 Finalist, *King's School Art Prize*, Sydney
Finalist, *Tattersall's Club Landscape Art Prize*, Brisbane
Finalist, *Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing*, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney
- 2017 Winner, *Paddington Art Prize*
Highly Commended, *KAAF Art Prize*, Sydney
Semi-finalist, *Doug Moran National Portrait Prize*, Sydney
Finalist, *Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing*, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney
- 2016 Winner, *Kedumba Drawing Award*, Orange Regional Gallery, NSW
- 2015 Finalist, *Paddington Art Prize*, Paddington, Sydney
Finalist, *Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing*, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney
- 2014 Finalist, *Paddington Art Prize*, Paddington, Sydney
Finalist, *NSW Parliament Plein Air Painting Prize*, NSW Parliament, Sydney
Finalist, *Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing*, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney
- 2013 Finalist, *Kedumba Drawing Award*, Wentworth Falls, NSW
- 2012 Highly Commended, *Norvill Art Prize*, Murrurundi, NSW
Finalist, *Dobell Prize*, Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney
Finalist, *Paddington Art Prize*, Mary Place Gallery, Sydney
Finalist, *NSW Parliament Plein Air Painting Prize*, NSW Parliament, Sydney
Finalist, *Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing*, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney
- 2010 People's Choice Award, *Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing*, Sydney
Commended, *Norvill Art Prize*, Murrurundi, NSW
- 2009 Finalist, *Dobell Prize*, Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney
Finalist, *Kedumba Drawing Award*, Kedumba Gallery, Wentworth Falls
- 2007 Finalist, *Wynne Prize*, Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney
- 2006 Finalist, *Dobell Prize*, Art Gallery of NSW, Sydney
Finalist, *Paddington Art Prize*, Michael Nagy Fine Art, Sydney
Finalist, *Norvill Art Prize*, Murrurundi, NSW
- 1999 Finalist, *Kedumba Drawing Award*, Kedumba Gallery, Wentworth Falls

Residencies

- 2019 Australian Wildlife Conservancy, Mt Zero-Taravale, North Queensland
- 2015 Artist Residency, Huangshan, China, Nock Art Foundation, Hong Kong
- 2014 Artist Residency, Zhangjiajie, China, Nock Art Foundation, Hong Kong
- 2014 Artist in Residence, Pymble Ladies College
- 2013 Artist in Residence, Pymble Ladies College
- 2011 Artist in Residence, PLC, Croydon, Sydney
- 2008 Artist in Residence Program, Bundanon Trust, NSW
- 1991 WASPS Studio Residency, Glasgow, Scotland

Collections

Supreme Court of Victoria
Allens Arthur Robinson
Artbank
Paddington Art Prize Collection
Kedumba Collection of Contemporary Australian Drawings
Bundanon Trust Collection
PLC Sydney Collection
Hawkesbury Regional Gallery
TAFE NSW, Western Sydney Institute
Seoul Fine Arts Centre, Korea
Chandler Coventry collection

Selected Bibliography

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Alison Mackay, 'Desert landscapes visit the coast', South Coast Style, Summer 2012/13
Elizabeth Fortescue, 'Green thumbs', Daily Telegraph, September 22 2012
Lynne Dwyer, Open Gallery, Spectrum, Sydney Morning Herald, July 28 2012
'The Great Australian Landscape', Australia Day wrap, Sydney Morning Herald, January 26 2012
Elizabeth Fortescue, 'Off the wall', Daily Telegraph, December 10 2011
Open Gallery, Spectrum, Sydney Morning Herald, June 5-6 2010
Andrew Taylor, 'Splendour in the Grass', The Sun-Herald, May 30 2010
Christopher Allen, 'Dobell Drawing Prize', The Australian, November 13 2009
'Drawing Success', Penrith Press, November 24 2009
John McDonald, 'Wynne and Sulman Prizes', Sydney Morning Herald, March 24-25 2007
'Landscape Show' Sydney Morning Herald, March 29 2007
Jaqui Knox, 'Artists star for a day', Blue Mountains Gazette, March 7 2007
Valerie Kabov, 'Paddington Art Prize 2006' artbusiness.com.au, December 1 2006
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