# MAREE KELLY

b. 1968, Gunnedah NSW

# **EDUCATION**

2022	Painting masterclass, National Art School
2000	Bachelor of Fine Arts, Newcastle University
1998	Advanced Diploma of Fine Arts, New England Institute of TAFE

## **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2023	'The Pilliga' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
2021	'My Country' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah
2016	'Precious Water' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
2011	'The Plains' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
2010	'A Good Season' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah
2009	'My Landscape' Haydon Hall, Murrurundi
2008	'12 x 16' Narrabri Antiques and Art, Narrabri
2007	'My Country' Narrabri Antiques and Art, Narrabri
2006	'Seeing the Trees' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
2004	'View From a Plain' Oriel Gallery, Brisbane
2003	'Landscapes' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah
2002	'Landscapes From My Country' Narrabri Antiques and Art, Narrabri
2001	'Rivers and Plains' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth

# SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023	CREATE Festival, Crossing Theatre, Narrabri
2019	'Art, Word, Place' Tamworth Regional Art Gallery + Regional Australia Institute, Canberra
2018	'From Mountains to Plains' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth (with Frances Feasey & Emily Simson)
2017	'A Wilful, Lavish Land' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah (with Frances Feasey & Emily Simson)
2015	'The Road Home' Work of Art Community Gallery, Gunnedah
2007	'Less is More' Tamworth Regional Gallery, Tamworth
2005	'Gunnedah' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
2003	'Storms, Droughts and Teacups' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth (two person, with Yvette Hugill)
2001	'Two Visions' Oriel Gallery, Brisbane (two person, with Gab Collins)
2000	'New Skin' Tamworth Regional Gallery
2000	'25kms from the Meridian' temporary artist run space, Gunnedah
1999	'Within the Landscape' Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle

#### SELECTED AWARDS + PRIZES

2023	Winner, Outback Archies Art Prize
2019	Finalist, Paddington Art Prize
2019	Finalist, Muswellbrook Art Prize
2012	Finalist, Norvill Art Prize
2004	Finalist, Cromwell's Art Prize
2003	Finalist, Country Energy Landscape Prize

## GRANTS + COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS

2023	'A Letter to My Returning' Arts North West
2021	'Look Both Ways' Arts North West + New England Regional Art Museum
2019	'Art, Word, Place' Arts North West + Tamworth Regional Gallery

#### COMMISSIONS

2021	Dorothea Mackellar Poetry Awards, creation of artworks for prizes for national poetry competition
2004	'Four Views of the Liverpool Plains' Arts Environment Project – Institute of Rural Futures
2002	'Christmas Eve' Christmas card design commissioned by the Australian Red Cross

### PUBLICATIONS/ VIDEO/ RADIO

2023	Interview with ABC New England for The Pilliga exhibition at Tamworth
2021	Video and printed publication, featured artist for the Dorothea Mackellar Poetry Awards
2015	'Contemporary Views of the Sweeping Plains' ABC Open Makers and Creators Project
2004	Australian Artist Magazine, May 2004

### **COLLECTIONS**

Gunnedah Shire Council Barraba Council Narrabri Shire Council Narrabri Hospital

## **TEACHING**

2001 - 2006	Teacher, Fine Arts & Media - New England Institute of TAFE, Gunnedah and Tamworth
2003 - 2017	Tutor, Painting - Northern Inland Community College, Gunnedah