

Zachariah Fenn

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Education: BFA (Honours), UNSW Art & Design. Major in Sculpture/Performance

Residencies:

- March 2016 - Broken Hill Art Exchange, Broken Hill, NSW
- Sept 2015 - UNSW Arid Zone Research Station, Fowler's Gap
- Broken Hill Art Exchange, Broken Hill, NSW

Awards and prizes:

Desert Equinox Solar Art Prize:

2016 - "*Landmark : Broken Hill*" Winner (Public Art)

'Re-magine' Recycled Art competition:

- 2017 - "*Waste Net (Want Not)*" Finalist
- 2015 - "*Substratum Accumulens Conglomerate*" Runner Up (Outdoor Sculpture)
- "*Substratum Accumulens*" Runner Up (Young Creatives)

'Emerging' Young Artists Prize:

2015 - "*Osiris in Contemporary Mythology*" Finalist

Kudos Award:

- 2015 - "*Nomadic Sculpture (Threshold)*" Finalist
- 2013 - "*I want that you are always happy.*" Finalist

The Art & Australia Sculpture, Performance & Installation Prize:

2013 - "*Fringe Benefits (One Man Home)*" – UNSW Art & Design Annual

'Returned to Glory' Recycled Art competition:

- 2014 - "*Lightsphere*" Runner Up (Functional Art)
- 2013 - "*A Resurrection Suspended in Time*" Winner (Youth Art)

Curatorial exhibitions:

- 'Proximity'** Kudos gallery, Paddington March 2013
- 'Semper(-)Stasis'** Wallarobba Arts Centre, Hornsby Jan 2015
- 'INTERROGATION SPACE'** Kudos Gallery, Paddington July 2015

Collaborative exhibitions:

- 'Momenta//Monumenta'** MARS Gallery, Toowoomba April 2014
With Emilio Cresciani

Honours project, UNSW Art & Design Annual Graduation exhibition:

'New Nomadism' research thesis and body of work

"Temporary Home for the New Urban Nomad (Pilgrimage to Honours End)", and;
"Landmark: Broken Hill (Pilgrimage to Days End)" November 2015
Found object sculpture, durational performance, video and documentation.

Selected group exhibitions:

- 2018 - **'SIGNS'**, ARO Gallery, Sydney
March 28 – April 15. Collection of Works
- 2017 - 'Maybe this is going nowhere', Gaffa Gallery, Sydney
April 27 – May 8. *"Eternity Pilgrimage (Homage to Arthur Stace)"*
- 2015 - **'INTERROGATION SPACE'**, Kudos Gallery
July 6-18. Collection of works.
- **'Emerging' Young Artists Prize**, Gosford Regional Gallery
July 20 – Sept 6 *"Osiris in Contemporary Mythology"* (finalist)
- 2013 - **UNSW Art & Design Annual Graduates exhibition**, November
– December. *"Fringe Benefits (One Man Home)"*
- **Kudos Emerging Artist and Designer Award** (finalist),
September 17 – 28. *"I want that you are always happy."*
- **'Proximity'**, Kudos gallery, Paddington.
March 26 – April 6. *"Your Time In Space"*, *"Womb"*

Artist Statement:

Zachariah Fenn explores notions of nomadism and movement through an adaptive, process-driven art practice. He employs discarded materials as a

catalyst for addressing social, environmental and humanitarian issues through his figurative artworks and responsive installations.

Fenn has been exhibiting regularly since commencing studies at UNSW Art & Design in 2011. He has professional industry experience in Art Installing, Fine Art Logistics and Art Mentoring, and is establishing his career as an Artist through private commissions.

Reference:

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