

# MATEJA SIMENKO

## SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2014	Rick Amor Selfportrait Prize	Montsalvat Gallery
2013	Drawing	Rubicon Artist Run Initiative
2012	Belle Arti Prize	Chapman and Bailey, Abbotsford (highly commended)
2012	In Between Detail	Chapman and Bailey, Abbotsford
2012	It's not you, it's me	Eckersley's Open Space Gallery, Melbourne
2011	The Rest is Silence	Death be Kind, Brunswick East
2011	Graduate Exhibition	Gossard Space, RMIT, Masters of Fine Art, Melbourne
2011	Light as Light	First Site Gallery, RMIT, Melbourne
2011	The Seven Visible Signs of Ageing	Eckersley's Open Space Gallery, Melbourne
2010	Siemens Awards	Storey Hall, RMIT, Melbourne
2010	Sucked in /Blown Away	Chapman and Bailey, Abbotsford
2009	EMSLA	Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery, Coffs Harbour
2008	Party	Victoria Park Gallery, Abbotsford
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2008	Satelite Show	Joint Hassles, Northcote
2008	Monobrow Show	Hell Gallery, Richmond
2008	Persuasive Dissent	Counihan Gallery, Brunswick
2007	Growths	Seventh Gallery, Fitzroy
2006	Stillives	TCB Artist run space, Melbourne
2005	Anita - A group show	Counihan Gallery, Brunswick
2004	Women's Salon	Counihan Gallery, Brunswick
2003	Gallery Launch	Artery, Fitzroy
2002	Five%	Red Gallery, North Fitzroy
2002	Kiss My Art	Fringe, Sydney Road, Brunswick
2001-2002	Pears	Libby Edwards Galleries, Sth Yarra, Portsea, Sydney
2000	All Creatures Great and Small	Gold Treasury Museum, Melbourne, curated by Mark Galea
1999	Bottled Up	Aardwolf Gallery, Melbourne
1996	Group Of Five	Chapel Off Chapel, Prahran
1996	Australian In London	Mall Galleries, London
1996	Bridge	Travelling Exhibition, Italy-Austria-Slovenia
1995	Zooing / Zooming	St. Francis Gallery, Melbourne
1993	X-Officio	Geelong Regional Art Gallery, Geelong
1992	Spare Parts	Stare Gallery, Prahran

## FORMAL EDUCATION

2012	Certificate IV in Training and Assessment (TAE40110)
2011	Masters of Fine Art, RMIT, Melbourne
2003	Certificate IV in Assessment and Workplace Training, TWNH
1991 – 1993	B.A. in Fine Art – Painting, Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne
1990	Advanced Certificate in Art & Design, Box Hill TAFE
1988 – 1989	Tertiary Pedagogical College – Fine Art, Slovenia
1984 – 1988	Secondary Pedagogical College – Arts, Slovenia

## RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT

2012 – present	Sole operator, From Line To Colour Drawing and Painting School
2003 - present	Studio assistant to artist John Young ( <a href="http://www.johnyoungstudio.com">http://www.johnyoungstudio.com</a> )
2003 – 2007	Drawing Teacher Grenadi, School of Design, Melbourne
1994 - 2004	Magazine and book cover design and editorial illustration <i>Psychoz Publications, North Carlton</i>
1999 - 2001	"Violence Prevention Diary for Young Women" <i>Berry Street, Victoria</i> <i>A federally funded project as a part of the</i>

1999 - 2000

*'Partnerships Against Domestic Violence'*  
Concept development, design and illustrations  
"Clean Air 2000, an NRMA initiative" NRMA, *New South Wales*  
Concepts & Illustrations for an educational toolkit for secondary schools