2010 $30,000 Jacaranda Acquisitive Drawing Award

Entries close Friday 6 August 2010

Judge: Julie Ewington curatorial Manager, Australian Art at Queensland Art Gallery

Grafton Regional Gallery invites all artists who reside in Australia to submit drawings in the 2010 Jacaranda Acquisitive Drawing Award (JADA). The award aims to promote excellence and innovation in Australian drawing.

The major award of $15,000 is acquisitive, along with further acquisitions to the value of $15,000. Acquisitions from the JADA enter the Grafton Regional Gallery’s nationally recognised collection of Australian contemporary drawing. A further selection of work will tour regional and metropolitan galleries until 2012.

The JADA evolved from the Jacaranda Art Prize, an open national art prize, which ran from 1961 to 1987 and established a collection of artwork for the City of Grafton. With establishment of the Grafton Regional Gallery in 1988 the JADA replaced the prize. The Drawing Collection includes works by John Philippides, Robert Moore, Thomas Spence, Gordon Bennett, Godwin Bradbeer, Maria Kontis, Michael Zavros, Dean Bowen, Jon Cattapan and Deborah Klein.

Exhibition Dates at Grafton Regional Gallery
29 October – 11 December 2010
Official Opening: 6.00pm Friday 29 October 2010

Touring Dates
December 2010 – January 2012 (subject to change)

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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Entries
Artists may enter up to two drawings completed in 2009 or 2010. The artist must submit a CD containing a high resolution tiff file image of each entry. The file must be at least equivalent to a tiff file of 30 x 18cm at 600dpi. If selected into the JADA the image/s will be used to print in the full colour the 2010 JADA catalogue. Images must accompany the Entry Form and fee and be mailed to the Gallery on or by Friday 6 August 2010.

Post to: Grafton Regional Gallery
        Locked Bag 23
        Grafton NSW 2460

2. Selection of Works
A selection panel will view all visuals and select approximately 45 to 55 works for the exhibition. Notification of selection and non-selection will be posted by Friday 20 August 2010.

3. Fees
The non-refundable entry fee of $30.00 per entry must accompany the each entry. All fees include GST. Cheques/money orders are to be made payable to the Grafton Regional Gallery. Credit card payments are also acceptable. The receipt for the entry fees will be posted with the selection notification.

4. Delivery of Artworks
Works selected for the exhibition are to arrive at the Gallery from 18 October to 22 October 2010 addressed to:

Grafton Regional Gallery
158 Fitzroy Street
GRAFTON NSW 2460

5. Transport and Insurance
Forward and return freight is the responsibility of the exhibitor. All transit insurance forward and return is to be borne by the entrant. The Advisory Committee, Grafton Regional Gallery or Clarence Valley Council accepts no liability for loss or damage during transit. Insurance whilst the works are on exhibition and tour will be covered by Grafton Regional Gallery.

The recommended transport company is S & D Welch Removals, Grafton, contact by phone 02 6643 3384 to make arrangements.

6. Labelling
All works must be clearly labelled on the back with the artist’s name, phone number, title of work, date of work and directional arrow.
7. Framing & Size
As the selected works will tour up to seven venues in 2007 and 2008 all artwork must be securely framed with perspex and with “D” hooks attached to ensure safe touring of the work. Wire and glass must not be used. Maximum dimension including framing is 200 x 150cm per entry.

8. Judging
Prior to the exhibition opening the judge will view the selected works and select one entry for the major acquisitive award of $15,000. From the remaining entries additional works up to the value of $15,000 will be selected for acquisition.

The decision of the judge will be final and no correspondence will be entered into. The winning drawing and subsequent acquisitions shall become the property of Grafton Regional Gallery once the prize money is paid to the artists.

9. Results & exhibition opening
The work selected for the major acquisitive award, and others selected for acquisition will be announced at the Official Opening being held at 6pm Friday 29 October 2010 at the Grafton Regional Gallery.

10. People’s Choice Award
The People’s Choice Award is held during the JADA exhibition at the Grafton Regional Gallery with artist of the most voted for drawing winning an excellent cache of drawing materials.

11. Sales and commission
All work must be for sale. Sale price includes a commission of 33% (G.S.T. included), which will be deducted from the sale price on all works sold including those works acquired for the Grafton Regional Gallery Collection.

12. Promotion
The gallery reserves the right to reproduce any works for archival, catalogue or publicity purposes. The signed entry form is evidence of the artist’s consent. Copyright remains with the artist.

13. Tour of Exhibition
The JADA is set to tour regional and metropolitan galleries in Qld and NSW throughout 2011 and early 2012. At the completion of the tour the works will be returned as per artist’s instructions. No works selected for the JADA Touring Exhibition will be released before the end of the tour.
2010 JADA Entry Form

Name _____________________________________________
Address _____________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________ State ______ Postcode ______
Telephone (day) ___________________________________
Telephone (after hours) ___________________________________
E-mail ______________________________________________

The work entered is my own original work and my own personal property and was completed in 2009 or 2010. I have read the terms and conditions as printed and agree to abide by them. I enclose the appropriate remittance as required.

Signed _____________________________________________

I enclose:
$30.00 (GST included) for one entry □ or, $60.00 (GST included) for two entries □

□ Cheque □ Money Order
Credit Card Details - Visa □, Mastercard □, Bankcard □.

Name of cardholder _____________________________________________
Card Number _ _ _ _   _ _ _ _   _ _ _ _    Exp date _ _ / _ _

DETAILS OF ENTRIES

Entry One

Title of work _____________________________________________
Year of production _______________
Medium ____________________________________________
Size cm (h x w) including frame __________________________
Wholesale Price (the amount you want to receive) $__________
Entry Two

Title of work __________________________________________________

Year of production _______________

Medium ____________________________________________

Size cm (h x w) including frame __________________________

Wholesale Price (the amount you want to receive) $__________

Method of Delivery ____________________________________________

Method of Return ____________________________________________

If using a courier service please indicate company and telephone number.
Eg: S & D Welch Removals, Grafton Phone 02 6643 3384

For our information

How did you find out about JADA ?
__________________________________________________________

Where did you obtain your entry form ?
__________________________________________________________

Are you agreeable to the Grafton Regional Gallery passing on your contact details
(name and postal address) to other public galleries to enable them to send you entry
forms and related information?
Yes □  No □

A NOTE ABOUT PRIVACY AND PERSONAL INFORMATION
Access to your personal information will be limited to use by the Grafton Regional
Gallery staff. This personal information will be recorded on the Gallery’s database
system and cannot be accessed by any unauthorized person.

CHECKLIST
□ Entry form completed
□ Cheque/money order enclosed or credit card details completed
□ Labelled CD enclosed for each entry
□ For our information completed
□ Entry form copied for artist’s records
□ Entry form with CD and fees posted on or by Friday 6 August 2008. Early entries
are welcome.
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