

# Chris Thiel

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## BIOGRAPHY

Born in Adelaide, South Australia (nee Buik)

## EDUCATION

- 2010 Bachelor of Visual Art (Hons), Adelaide Central School of Art, South Australia
- 2008 Associate Degree of Visual Art, Adelaide Central School of Art, South Australia
- 2007 Certificate of Visual Art, Adelaide Central School of Art, South Australia
- 1986 Assoc. Diploma of Business (Personnel and Industrial Relations), South Australian Institute of Technology

## PRIZES

- 2012 Awarded a Helpmann Academy Ashington Mentorship with artist Euan Macleod
- 2010 Nominated and finalist for Bendigo Bank Awards
- 2010 Awarded a Helpmann Academy Grant for the printing of the 2010 Graduate show catalogue
- 2010 Chosen to speak on behalf of the student body at the Graduating Ceremony
- 2008 Exeter Hotel Commission (Acquisitive prize), value \$2000

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2015 *Courting Disaster*, Urban Cow Studio and Gallery, Adelaide, South Australia 8-31 October 2015
- 2011 *Scared Still*, Adelaide Central School of Art, Studio Gallery, Oct 2011

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2015 Saint Ignatius Art Show, August 2015
- 2015 *Looking but seeing*, Gallery 1855, Adelaide, 9-31 August 2015
- 2014 *Wish You Were Here*, Adelaide Central School of Art 25 Oct - 9 Nov 2014
- 2014 *No Thinking Aloud*, Fisher Jefferies, 7 August – 19 September 2014
- 2014 *Gematria*, Adelaide Central School of Art, 17 June – 7 July 2014
- 2013 *Wish You Were Here*, Adelaide Central School of Art, 2-12 November 2013
- 2013 *The Next Chapter*, Adelaide Central School of Art, 30 July – 9 August 2013
- 2012 *Undercurrent*, Fisher Jeffries, Adelaide, 5 July – 3 August 2012
- 2012 *Pass it on*, Felt Space, Adelaide, 1 June – 3 June 2012
- 2011 Saint Ignatius Art Show
- 2011 *Hatched*, National Graduate Show 2011, PICA, Perth, 16 April – 5 June 2011
- 2011 Graduate exhibition, *Talking to Strangers*, Adelaide Central School of Art, 10 December 2010 – 8 January 2011

## COMMISSIONS

2004 Private commission for family portrait: Ben and Toby

## **COLLECTIONS**

2004 – 2014 Private Collectors various, South Australia and New South Wales