

## **JENNIFER ROSNELL**

Jennifer Rosnell is an Australian artist. Living and working in Collaroy on Sydney's Northern beaches, she has a Bachelor of Fine Arts from the University of New South Wales.

With a professional background in graphic design and teaching drawing, she is a four time finalist with the National Portia Geach Memorial Portrait prize in 2020, 2021, 2023 and 2024. A finalist in prizes such as the Percival Portrait Prize, The National Emerging Art Prize ACB Selects, The Little Things Art Prize and winner of Peoples Choice Mosman Art Prize 2022. Her practice is based on years of life drawing sessions at Julian Ashton Art School in the Rocks and Manly Art Gallery and Museum in Sydney.

Her current focus is on her original oil portrait paintings, sunbather's, beach scenes, ferry seascapes and fish market series.

## **AWARDS AND EXHIBITIONS**

2026	Olsen Annexe Gallery - Woollahra, Sydney. (Upcoming) solo exhibition
2025	Barrenjoey Art Walk - Artist talk Opening Night On View in Avalon. 29 November - 14 December. Pittwater Artist Trail - Last Open Studio Collaroy, NSW. 8 - 9 November Finalist Artist Talk - S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney. 18 October Finalist - The Portia Geach Memorial Art Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW Bathers' Pavillion - Balmoral, Sydney. 'Salt' solo exhibition - upstairs gallery, 8 July - 30 August 2025 Olsen Annexe Gallery - Woollahra, Sydney. 'Seagazing' solo exhibition, 4 - 28 June 2025 (SOLD OUT)
2024	Michael Reid Gallery - Northern Beaches. Summer Salon Group Exhibition, December 2024 - January 2025 (SOLD OUT) Featured in (Art Scene) Galah Magazine - Issue 11 November 2024 Finalist - MAP Mudgee Portrait Prize, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW Finalist - The Portia Geach Memorial Art Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW

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Michael Reid Gallery - Northern Beaches. Creative Open Group Exhibition, July - August 2024  
Sydney Affordable Art Fair, NSW with Toowoomba Gallery, 13 - 16 June 2024  
Brisbane Affordable Art Fair, QLD with Toowoomba Gallery, 9 - 12 May 2024  
Pittwater Artist Trail, Group Exhibition Newport & Open Studio Collaroy, NSW  
Finalist - 'Inside This Box' Group Exhibition, The Corner Stone Gallery, Orange NSW  
Featured in Home Beautiful magazine Feb issue 'Australian Artists to watch'

2023  
Finalist - The Portia Geach Memorial Art Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW  
Finalist - Hornsby Art Prize, Wallarobba Arts and Cultural Centre, Hornsby NSW  
Finalist - The Little Things Art Prize, Saint Cloche Gallery, Paddington NSW  
Finalist - Group Exhibition 40u40 SketchCo Gallery, Surry Hills NSW  
Artist in Residence, Simpson Cottage Bundeena, NSW  
Pittwater Artist Trail, Group Exhibition & Open Studio, Collaroy NSW  
Sydney Affordable Art Fair, NSW with Toowoomba Gallery  
'High Tide' Group Exhibition, Sketch & Co Gallery, Surry Hills NSW  
Artists of Mosman, 2088 Group Exhibition, Mosman Art Gallery, Mosman NSW  
'Untitled' Group Exhibition, The Corner Stone Gallery, Orange NSW  
Finalist - 'Inside This Box' Group Exhibition, The Corner Stone Gallery, Orange NSW

2022  
Finalist - MAP Mudgee Portrait Prize, Mudgee Arts Precinct, Mudgee NSW  
Winner Peoples Choice - The Mosman Art Gallery, Mosman NSW  
Finalist - The Little Things Art Prize, Saint Cloche Gallery, Paddington NSW  
Group Exhibition, Incognito Art Show, Surry Hills NSW  
Melbourne Affordable Art Fair, VIC with Toowoomba Gallery  
Semi-Finalist - The Darling Portrait Prize, The National Portrait

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Gallery, Canberra ACT  
Finalist – The Percivals Portrait Prize, Perc Tucker Regional Gallery,  
QLD  
Finalist – ‘Inside This Box’ Group Exhibition, The Corner Stone  
Gallery, Orange NSW

2021

Finalist – ‘National Emerging Art Prize, ACB Selects’ Group  
Exhibition, Michael Reid Gallery, Northern Beaches, online  
exhibition  
Finalist – The Portia Geach Memorial Art Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery,  
Sydney NSW  
Finalist – Mini Series Art Prize, The Corner Stone Gallery, Orange  
NSW  
‘Feathers & Dreams’ Group Exhibition, Northern Beaches Gallery,  
Cromer NSW

2020

Finalist – The Portia Geach Memorial Art Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery,  
Sydney NSW

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