

## EVA NOLAN

### b. 1993 Brisbane

#### EDUCATION

PhD Art, Design and Media (candidate) – 2021

Thesis title: *Entangled Ecologies: Drawing Multispecies Relationships Through Digital Biodiversity Data*

UNSW Art & Design, Sydney

Masters of Fine Art by Research 2017 – 2019

Thesis title: *Drawing Nature: Speculative Taxonomies at the Intersection of Analogue and Digital Approaches to Drawing*

UNSW Art & Design, Sydney

Bachelor of Fine Arts (Honours class 1): Major in Drawing and Painting 2013 – 2016

UNSW Art & Design, Sydney

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

**2026** *Entangled Ecologies*, Olsen Annexe, Sydney

**2023** *Entanglings*, Olsen Annexe, Sydney

**2020** *Biophilia*, Olsen Annexe, Sydney

**2019** *Drawing Nature*, AD Space & EPICentre, UNSW Art & Design, Sydney

#### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

**2025** *Summer Curated*, Olsen Gallery, Sydney

**2024** *In Parallel*, Draw Space, Sydney

*ArtLab II*, AD Space, UNSW Art, Design & Architecture, Sydney

*Detail*, DRAW Space, Sydney

**2023** *30 x 30*, Olsen Gallery, Sydney

**2022** *Art and Environment*, George Place, Sydney

**2021** *MintNFT*, Sydney Contemporary (online)

**2020** *The Habitat of Time*, Art Catalyst, London

*Every Moment With You*, Xinying Cultural Centre, Tainan, Taiwan

**2019** *In Our Nature*, Broadhurst Gallery, Gympie

**2018** *Conversations*, M. Contemporary, Sydney

*The Renaissance Turning*, AD Space, UNSW Art & Design, Sydney

*Wallpop 2*, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney

**2017** *Hype 2*, 220 Creative Space, Sydney

*Expanding Possibilities for the Image*, 220 Creative Space, Sydney

*Wallpop*, Liverpool Street Gallery, Sydney

*At the End of the World*, M. Contemporary, Sydney

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*Young Artist Initiative, M. Contemporary, Sydney*

## **AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

- 2025** FINALIST The Kedumba Drawing Award, Kedumba Gallery, Wentworth Falls  
FINALIST The Tim Olsen Drawing Prize, AD Space, UNSW Art, Design & Architecture, Sydney
- 2024** FINALIST The Kedumba Drawing Award, Kedumba Gallery, Wentworth Falls  
FINALIST The North Sydney Art Prize, The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, Sydney
- 2023** FINALIST The Tim Olsen Drawing Prize, AD Space, UNSW Art, Design & Architecture, Sydney  
FINALIST Northern Beaches Environmental Art and Design Prize, Manly Art Gallery and Museum, Sydney
- 2022** FINALIST Jacaranda Acquisitive Drawing Award, Grafton Regional Gallery  
FINALIST National Capital Art Prize, Fitters' Workshop, Canberra  
FINALIST Kudos Emerging Artist and Designer Award, Kudos Gallery, Sydney  
FINALIST The Tim Olsen Drawing Prize, AD Space, UNSW Art, Design & Architecture, Sydney
- 2021** FINALIST Hazelhurst Art on Paper Award, Hazelhurst Regional Arts Centre, Gynea  
FINALIST Blacktown City Art Prize, The Leo Kelly Blacktown Arts Centre, Sydney  
HIGHLY COMMENDED Lloyd Rees Memorial Youth Art Award, Gallery Lane Cove, Sydney  
Mark Carnegie Fine Art NFT Fellowship Award  
HIGHLY COMMENDED Wyndham Art Prize, Wyndham Art Gallery, Werribee  
FINALIST Adelaide Perry Prize for Drawing, Adelaide Perry Gallery, Sydney  
Australian Postgraduate Award, UNSW Art, Design & Architecture
- 2020** FINALIST Kangaroo Valley Art prize, Kangaroo Valley Hall, Kangaroo Valley  
FINALIST Swan Hill Print and Drawing Award, Swan Hill Regional Art Gallery, Swan Hill
- 2019** FINALIST The Tim Olsen Drawing Prize, AD Space, UNSW Art & Design, Sydney  
FINALIST Hazelhurst Art on Paper Award, Hazelhurst Regional Arts Centre, Gynea  
HIGHLY COMMENDED Kudos Emerging Artist and Designer Award, Kudos Gallery, Sydney  
FINALIST Ravenswood Australian Women's Art Prize, Ravenswood School for Girls, Sydney  
DRAWING AWARD The North Sydney Art Prize, The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, Sydney
- 2018** FINALIST Blacktown City Art Prize, The Leo Kelly Blacktown Arts Centre, Sydney  
WINNER Kudos Emerging Artist and Designer Award, Kudos Gallery, Sydney  
WINNER The Tim Olsen Drawing Prize Winner, AD Space, UNSW Art & Design, Sydney
- 2017** FINALIST Kudos Emerging Artist and Designer Award, Kudos Gallery, Sydney  
FINALIST Hatched, Perth Institute of Contemporary Arts, Perth

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University Postgraduate Award, UNSW Art & Design  
Australian Government Research Training Program Scholarship, UNSW, Sydney

**2016** HIGHLY COMMENDED The Time Olsen Drawing Prize, AD Space, UNSW Art & Design, Sydney

#### **RESIDENCIES**

**2024** Wild Deserts – UNSW Centre for Ecosystem Science, Fort Grey (research)  
Hua Hin International Contemporary Arts Residency – Hua Hin, Thailand

#### **MEDIA & PUBLICATIONS**

**2025** Samantha Dunn, *Art Meets Ecology in the Outback*, UNSW News

**2020** *Ones to Watch – Eva Nolan*, Art Edit Magazine

**2019** Eva Nolan, *Drawing Nature: Speculative Taxonomies at the Intersection of Analogue and Digital Approached to Drawing* (MFA Thesis), UNSW Works

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