

KASSANDRA BOSSELL

- 2016 Current MFA (Research) Candidate, UNSW Art and Design
- 2005 Puppetry for Film and TV, Sydney Film School, Redfern
- 2004 Certificate 4 in Workplace Training, Sydney Community College, Rozelle
- 2002 Puppet Making with Phillip Millar, One Van International Puppet Festival, Blackheath
- 2001 Short Course in Art Direction, AFTRS, Sydney
- 1990 BA Vis. Arts Degree, SCA, University of Sydney, Major in Sculpture
- 1989 Diploma of Art, National Art School
- 1986 BA Degree, University of Sydney, English Literature, Psychology, Philosophy, German

Solo Exhibitions

- 2014 *Carbon Cycle*, Chrissie Cotter Gallery, Sydney
- 2013 *Be – Longing*, Chrissie Cotter Gallery, Sydney
- 2008 *Angels in the Architecture*, Public Art project for Hurstville Council, Sydney
- 2001 *Hiccups and Sneezes*, Side On Gallery, Sydney
- 2000 *The Burlesque Normality of Schizophrenia*, The Little Gallery, Sydney
- 1998 *Tickle*, Global Gallery, Sydney
- 1994 *Separating Surfaces*, Headspace Gallery, Sydney
The Solar Powered Bat Pack, Festival of the Winds, Sydney
- 1993 *The Water City Of Wax*, 5th Australian Sculpture Triennial, Melbourne
- 1992 *Page of an Unwritten Book*, Atelier fur Raum und Gestalt, Berlin

Group Exhibitions

- 2016 *Hidden*, Rookwood Cemetary
Art on the Greenway, public art for Leichhardt Council
Eco Arts 2016, Centre for Innovation, Wollongong Uni
Kuringai pH Art and Science, Manly Art Gallery and Museum, Sydney
- 2015 *Artisans in the Gardens*, Royal Botanical Gardens, Sydney
Canopy, Sheffer Gallery, Sydney
Salmagundi Exit Show, curator Cassandra Bossell, Chrissie Cotter Gallery, Sydney
In the Night Garden, Tortuga Studios, Sydney
Worlds Collide, Salmagundi Studios, Sydney
- 2014 *Im/materiality* Interpr8 Gallery, Publika, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Disbound, Gallery Red, Glebe, Sydney
The Teachers Show, Kerrie Lowe Gallery, Sydney
Sculpture By The School, Marrickville West Primary School, Sydney
Spectres of Revolution, Salmagundi Studios, Sydney

- 2013 *Mardi Ga Ga – Back in the USSR*, Kerrie Lowe Gallery, Sydney
- 2012 *The Google Exhibition*, curator Lew Palaitis, Seymour Centre Gallery, Sydney
Tri Cycle, Chrissie Cotter Gallery, Sydney
Sydney Fringe, curator Lew Palaitis, The Italian Forum Theatre, Sydney
Precious Little, Alpha Gallery, Sydney
Salmagundi Studios, Salmagundi Studios, Sydney
- 2011 *Sign of the Times*, ATPV Gallery, Sydney
Flight, Salmagundi Studios, Sydney
Salmagundi Studios, The Hurstville City Museum and Gallery, Sydney
- 2010 *Road Trip*, Tortuga Studios, Sydney
Supernature, Salmagundi Studios, Sydney
- 2009 *Celebrating Communities*, Australia Council, Sydney
SEAM Symposium, Carriageworks, Sydney
Salmagundi Studios, Opening Exhibition, Sydney
- 2005 *The Puppet Show*, Stop Laughing This is Serious Gallery, Blue Mountains
- 2003 *The Whole World is Listening*, The Little Gallery, Sydney
- 2002 *Open 2002*, Spec Gallery and Design, Sydney
- 2001 *Australian Tactile Art Award 2001*, Customs House, Sydney
- 1999 *Red*, Global Gallery, Sydney
Suspension, Herringbone Gallery, Sydney
- 1998 *Burning Bridges*, 151 Gallery, Sydney
- 1997 *Love Letters to John McDonald*, 151 Gallery, Sydney
Art Supermarket, 151 Gallery, Sydney
The Order of Things, 151 Gallery, Sydney
Difficult Territories, Artspace, Sydney
- 1996 *As If To Whisper*, Arthaus Gallery, Sydney
Open, PCL Exhibitionists, Sydney
- 1994 *Solar Energy Conference*, UNSW, Sydney
- 1993 *Cities*, First Draft West, Sydney
- 1991 *Untitled 1991*, The Performance Space, Sydney

Awards / Prizes / Residencies

- 2016 Biosphere : Life on Earth Competition, Exhibeo Art Magazine, Honourable Mention
 Ku-ring-gai pH: Art + Science Project: Currawong residency, Manly Art Gallery exhibition
 Art on the Greenway Leichhardt Council grant for public art
 International Womens Art Prize, See St Gallery, Meadowbank TAFE, finalist
- 2015 Greenway Art Prize, curator Christiane Keys-Statham, Art Est Gallery, Sydney, finalist
 Womens Art Prize, See St Gallery, Meadowbank TAFE, finalist

- 2013 North Sydney Art Prize, curator Alison Clark, *The Coal Loader*, Sydney, finalist
- 2012 Marrickville Contemporary Art Prize, ESP Projects, finalist
Liverpool Art Prize, Liverpool Art Centre, finalist
Blacktown Art Prize, Blacktown Arts Centre, finalist
- 2011 Willoughby Sculpture Prize, The Incinerator Artspace, finalist
- 2011 Marrickville Contemporary Art Prize, ESP Gallery, finalist
- 2010 NT Arts, Artist to Artist grant
- 2007 Darwin Film Festival, Out There Category, winner
- 2006 CASPA Regional art workshop grant
- 2006 Waverley Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize, finalist
- 2000 Waverley Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize 2000, finalist
- 1997 Stephen Lardner Award for Excellence in Adult Education, winner
- 1995 Liverpool Hospital Public Art Competition, winner with Michael Purdy and Peter England
- 1993 NAVA Pat Corrigan Grant

Public and Private Commissions

- 2016 City of Sydney *The Rabbit*, Customs House; *The Horse*, Martin Place, Chinese New Year, collaboration with Gustavo Balboa and Anything Theming
- 2015 Wollondilly Council *White Waratah*, giant solar lantern, public art for 'IlluminARTE Festival', Picton
Sydney Opera House *Sculpture Music*, interactive installation for 'Creative Play'
Jason Wing *Captain James Crook*, mold making and casting
- 2014 Sydney Opera House *Lego Costumes*, design and creation for 'Creative Play'
SHFA *Heart Web*, and *Heart Throne*, 'A Month of Love', public art, Darling Harbour
Blizzard Entertainment *World of Warcraft*, 'The Dark Portal', 5 x 3m sculpt of a virtual game
- 2013 Sydney Opera House *Creative Play*, 'The Magic Shadow Theatre' interactive installation
Visual Events *Hansel and Gretel*, lantern design and creation for opening night
Rocks Aroma Festival *The Rocks Aroma Trophy*, design and creation
- 2012 Sydney Opera House *Creative Play*, 'The Seussaphone' interactive multi media installation
Joy House Prods *The Wong Side*, six puppets for educational theatre, Belvoir St Theatre
- 2011 Ad - Lib Productions *The Dinosaur Show*, 7 articulated puppets for educational theatre
Longyard Sideshow Articulated puppets for educational theatre
Greenpeace *Mike Smith*, CEO of ANZ, latex mask for activist performance
City of Sydney *Chinese New Year*, 'The Rabbit', interactive eco installation, Sydney

- 2010** City of Sydney *The Rabbit*, eco conceptual public art for 'Art and About' in Hyde Park
Channel 9 *The Warnie Show*, Tony Greig, Ritchie Benault and Bill Lawrie prosthetics
Get –Up *Tony Abbott*, satirical rubber mask for activist performance
ALP *Tony Abbott*, large scale puppet head for activist performance
Ochre Lawson *Dog*, mold making, cement casting for sculpture commission
- 2009** Stalker Theatre Co *Mirror Mirror*, suspended interactive sculptural puppet
Historic Houses Trust *Hyde Park Barracks*, Ratticus and Radar', sculptural theatre costumes
Yoga Solutions Lotus light sculpture in silk
The Moose Café Giant moose horns for the café
Ace Props *Strand Arcade Christmas display*, giant psychedelic mushrooms
Diemme Sculptural frieze for a boutique butcher in Woollahra
- 2008** Hurstville Council *Five Angels*, public art bamboo constructions, Hurstville
Incentive Action *Mitzubichi Annual Awards*, Installation backdrop, Sheraton Hotel
Amnesty International *Great Firewall of China*, campaign – monkey costumes. touring
Historic Houses Trust *Rum Rebellion Political Cartoon*, 8 x 6m painting, Museum of Sydney
Night Words Festival *Word Travels*, Sydney Opera House, a giant book for a festival of poetry
Shopfront Theatre *Lost Toy Story Festival*, 8 public night light sculptures in Hurstville streets
- 2007** National Museum Aust *Nigel*, prosthetic rat head for art performance
Warner Bros *Banana Splitz*, one moose head and five giant bananas
Museum of Sydney *The Bligh Books*, 'Rum Rebellion' exhibition, atrium installation
Powerhouse Museum *Zoie*, character head for an extension puppet
Incentive Action *Mitzubichi Annual Awards*, installation backdrop, Sheraton Hotel
Greenpeace *Kevin Rudd*, three life sized latex masks
Greenpeace Over fishing campaign, two sculptural tuna fish costumes
Greenpeace Anti GM food campaign, 20 costume cow headpieces
Masquerade Costume *Prime Minister John Howard*, 5 full head latex masks for performance
Kookaburra Prods *Pippin*, 12 charred corpses, duck and lamb puppets
- 2006** Opera Australia *The Fountain of Youth*, 'Alcina', set sculpture within a raked stage
Stalker Theatre Co. *Mirror Mirror* suspended sculptural puppet
Gate 7 *The Boston Tea Party and Paul Revere's Ride*, sculptures
Belvoir St Theatre *Peribanez*, 'Saint Rocco', ecclesiastical statue
Frank Newman Prods Concept model, a performative musical bicycle invention
EFEX *Sanofi*, 'Bernadette' a costume puppet – the flu monster
- 2005** Opera Australia *Nabucco*, Head of Baal sculpture 4 x 3 x 2m
Powerhouse Museum *Zoe and Cogs*, extension puppets for 'The Zoie and Cogs Show'
EFEX *Sanofi*, 'Bernie' a costume puppet – the flu monster
CaSPA 9 sets of articulated feathered wings, The Entertainment Centre

Gene – X	Prosthetics for an independent feature film
UNSW	Sculpture for a campaign on national environmental footprints
Old Parliament House	<i>Former PM John Curtin</i> , life - sized human in silicon/mixed media
Myer Winter Parade	3 ergonomic arctic bird sculptures for performance
National Gallery Aust	Sculptural rats' tails for educational theatre
2004	
Old Parliament House	<i>Former PMs Sir Robert Menzies and Doc Evatt</i> , giant puppets
Old Parliament House	<i>Former PMs Sir Robert Menzies and Joe Lyons</i> , prosthetic busts
2003	
Pinchgut Prods	<i>The Fairy Queen</i> , Angel Place Recital Hall, Ass's headpiece
Barry Humphries	<i>Back to My Roots (and Other Suckers)</i> , 3 flying duck sculptures
Greenpeace	<i>President George Bush and PM John Howard</i> , full head latex masks
2002	
Mascon Festival	14m long fully articulated puppet of a feral cat, operated by 11 people
ERTH	<i>Balconies</i> , Sydney Festival, 3 articulated character masks for aerial theatre
2001	
Melbourne Museum	Sculpture, mould making of wearable Australian dinosaur parts
ABC TV	<i>PM John Howard and Opposition Leader Kim Beazley</i> , The Election Chaser, full head latex masks for performance
2000	
Aust. Radiology	<i>Wilhelm Röntgen</i> , discoverer of the X Ray, bust sculpture

Film

2016	Alien Covenant, Sculptor, Art Department, FOX Studios
2014	<i>Gods of Egypt</i> , Sculptor, Costume Props Dept, FOX Studios
2013	<i>The Water Diviner</i> , Art Department, Art Finishing, aging, FOX Studios
2009	<i>Pup</i> , Designer/ Sculptor, indie short film
2004	<i>The House of Wax</i> , Senior Wax Technician, Warner Bros Studios
2004	<i>Stealth</i> , Senior Mould Maker in Models, FOX Studios
2003	<i>Star Wars</i> , Mould Maker in Plasterers Department, FOX Studios
2002	<i>The Matrix Revolutions</i> , Set Sculptor, Mould Maker, Models, FOX Studios
2001	<i>The Matrix</i> , Mould Maker in Props Manufacture, FOX Studios

Events

2013	
Paramount Films	<i>Iron Man's Hand</i> , sculpture 3.5m tall for Sydney premiere
Aesthetic Adviser	<i>Chinese New Year</i> , Hong Kong, Empress Stilt dance performance
Objet B'art	<i>Les Miserables</i> International Premiere, dress the MCA ballroom
Set For Art	Mural Painting for various Sydney locations
2012	
Arncliffe Arts Fest	<i>Director</i> , Arncliffe Community Centre
Objet B'art	Create an apple tree to travel for national sales conventions

- 2011** Object d'Bart *Vivid* festival installations in the Rocks
- 2006** Asian Games Costume Props, construction and lighting
- 2000** Enchanter Prods *Indigenous Pavillion*, Olympic Park, sculpting, mould making, casting
S.O.G.O.C. *Sydney Olympic Games*, blowfly sculpture 8m x 4m

Theatre / TV / Set Dressing

- 2014** Macgyver Models *Biennale of Sydney, 2014*, 'The Rock' for Tory Wraines
- 2013** Macgyver Models Miniature planet covered in plants for an ad
- 2012** Diemme Installation of suspended rocks for a Darling Harbour restaurant
Macgyver Models *Colgate Ad*, two tree sculptures
Macgyver Models *Telstra Ad*, 5m hemispherical portrait of Larrissa Berendt out of books
Macgyver Models *Miss Saigon*, Chinese dragon head Sculpt 1.5m cubed
Object B'art *Louis Vuitton* window dressing
- 2011** Macgyver Models *Allianz Ad*, pattern making an inflatable life sized car
Object d'Bart *Louis Vuitton* window dressing
- 2008** Opera Australia *My Fair Lady*, art finishing on the library, set painting
Opera Australia *Madame Butterfly*, 'Hotoke', three miniature wood carvings
- 2007** Optus *The Optus animals*, public art sculptures for Melbourne
- 2006** Opera Australia *Alcina*, 'The Fountain of Youth', Set sculpture
- 2005** EARTH *National Museum of Australia*, 'Gondwana', two dinosaur puppets
- 2004** NAISDA *Apu Kaazi*, Set sculptor, The Performance Space
Prodigy Films *Peugeot TV ad*, sculptor
- 2003** Sydney Theatre Co *The Republic of Myopia*, 4m classical figure sculpt
Promotechnics Two large wearable headpieces for a children's TV show in Canada
Big K Imagineering *The Ring Cycle*, South Australian Opera, helmet sculpture
Opera Australia *Salome*, 'John The Baptist', two prosthetic heads
Sydney Theatre Co *Way of the World*, *Major Barbara*, sculptor
- 2002** Creation Station Mould making a ceiling feature for a US Casino.
- 2001** Peter England *Sweeney Todd*, model painting and character sculpts

2000 Sydney Theatre Co *A Month in the Country, A Cheery Soul*, Props making
ERTH Permanent sculptor sculptural costumes, mask design, creation, molds
Storageman Permanent sculptor Sydney International Airport, Mambo etc

Teaching

1995 – 2016 Sydney Community College

Sculpture and Mould Making, Clay Sculpture, Life Drawing, Creative Drawing, Soft Pastels, Mixed Media Arts, Figure Sculpting, Body Casting, Lantern Making, The Bust in Clay, Mask Making

2015 Escape Art Festival, Milton, NSW

Lantern Making workshops

2015 IlluminARTE Festival, Picton, Wollondilly Shire Council

Lantern Making workshops and large lantern commission

2014 The Coal Loader, North Sydney

Toy Boat Building workshops

2014 Dungog Festival

Lantern Making Workshops

2010 – 2014 Buku Larrnguy Mulka Arts Centre, Yirrkala, NT

Sculpture for bronze, Ceramic Mural Painting

2012 - 2015 CreArtivity Festival, Rockdale Council

Workshops in Mono-printing

2012 Casula Powerhouse

Workshops in Lantern Making, Mixed Media, Drawing

2007 Barradine Public School, supported by a CASP Grant, Arts NSW

Workshops in Mask Making and Metal assemblage

2007 National Art School

Lecturer in the Sculpture Department

1998 – 2003 Macquarie University

Watercolour Painting and Creative Drawing

1995 – 1998 Chatswood Evening College

Life Drawing, Watercolour Painting, Sculpture, Creative Drawing

1994 – 1995 Manly Warringah Community College

Creative Drawing

1996 Pine St Community Centre

Creative Drawing

1998 – 2002 Mascon Festival

Mask making, Puppet Making, Lantern Making