



Short St. Gallery

Rosella Namok

Born 1979
Language Kanthanampu / Aangkum
Region Lockhart River

Biography

Rosella Namok was born in May 1979. She comes from the Kanthanampu and Aangkum language group. Rosella Namok was one of the original ART GANG members and is a current artist member with Lockhart River Arts Indigenous Corporation. Her arts career started in late 1990's through solo and group exhibitions both within Australia and Internationally. Rosella Namok is a naturally talented and gifted artist and this is evident in her family bloodline. She is the daughter of another leading Lockhart River artist Irene Namok.

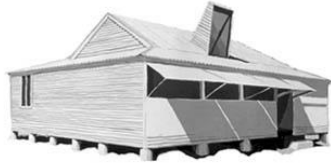
Rosella Namok has exhibited in both solo and group exhibitions in Hobart Tasmania, Sydney, Melbourne, Warrnambool Victoria, Brisbane, Adelaide, Cape York in Queensland, Canberra including the Parliament House and National Art Gallery, Cairns, Cooktown Queensland, Perth, Darwin, Townsville, Alice Springs Northern Territory, London UK, Lubljana Slovenia, Noumea New Caledonia, Sammlunge Essl Austria, Ludwig Erhard Haus Germany, Brittany France, Australian Embassy Paris France, Ewha University in Seoul South Korea, Spoleto Italy, Houston Texas USA, Columbus State University, Georgia USA, and Virginia USA.

From 3 June 2018 to 28 October 2018, Rosella's works will be exhibited in a permanent collection at Foundation Burkhardt-Felder et Culture Musee de l'art aborigene australien "La grange" in Switzerland. The exhibition in Switzerland will include paintings from other Lockhart River artists, Silas Hobson, Irene Namok, Patrick Butcher and Fiona Omeenyo and is titled "Islands in the sea".

"I paint about my Country and people around me. I paint about traditional culture and stories in my own style. I paint about things that happen, things we do, the weather and about how our people live". I enjoy my art". - Rosella Namok

Collections

Kluge-Rugh Collection Virginia USA, Georgia State University Collection USA
Art Gallery of New South Wales Sydney
Art Gallery of South Australia Adelaide
Art Gallery of Western Australia Perth
ATSIC Collection Canberra
Australian Heritage Commission Canberra
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Federal Court Brisbane
Flinders University Art Museum Adelaide
National Gallery of Australia Canberra
National Gallery of Victoria Melbourne
Northern Territory University Darwin
Macquarie University, Monash University Melbourne
Queensland Art Gallery Brisbane
Queensland University of Technology Brisbane
University of Queensland Brisbane
Warrnambool Art Gallery
Wollongong University
Macquarie Bank Australia
High Court of Australia Canberra
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