

VISUAL ARTS REPRESENTATION

2020 -	Plexus Gallery, Brisbane, Qld
2017 - 19	Saatchi Art online gallery saatchiart.com/billyshannon Bluethumb online gallery bluethumb.com.au/billy-shannon
2006	New Farm Art Stockroom, Merthyr Rd, New Farm, Brisbane
2004	Celestial Gallery, Ann St, Fortitude Valley, Brisbane
2000 - 01	Sui Generis Gallery, Abbotsford, Vic Art Associates, Collingwood, Vic
1997 - 98	Jackman Gallery, St Kilda, Vic

COMPETITIONS AND JURIED/CURATED EXHIBITIONS

2022	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba, Qld	'36 st Downlands Art Exhibition'
2021	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba, Qld	'35 st Downlands Art Exhibition'
2019	'Lethbridge 20000' Brisbane, Qld	Finalist
	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba, Qld	'33 rd Downlands Art Exhibition'
2018	'Rio Tinto, Martin Hanson Memorial Art Awards' Gladstone, Qld	Finalist
	'Neumann Dust Temple Portrait Prize', Currumbin, Qld	Finalist
	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba, Qld	'32 nd Downlands Art Exhibition'
2017	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba, Qld	'31 st Downlands Art Exhibition'
2016	'Myself, Self-Portrait Prize', Brisbane, Qld	Finalist
	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba, Qld	'30 th Downlands Art Exhibition'

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2018	Cross Gallery, Bundaberg	'Nocturne'
2015	Three Bowls	'A Siesta'
2006	New Farm Art Stockroom, Brisbane	'Painting Life'
2005	New Farm Studio, Brisbane	'Flowers for Fibonacci'
	New Farm Studio, Brisbane	'Studio Show'
	New Farm Studio, Brisbane	'Studio Opening Show'
	Fresh Gallery	'Fresh'
2004	Borders Bookstore, Brisbane	'Width of a Circle'
2003	SoapBox Gallery, Brisbane	'Inner Workings'
2002	No 9 Chinatown Mall, Brisbane	'Subterranean Night'
2000	Lucky's, Brisbane	'Sonnet 54'
1992 - 99	69 Smith St. Melbourne	'The Divine Stratagem' Melbourne Fringe Festival Exhibition
1995	Couch Culture, Hobart	'Masquers'
1994	Sidespace Gallery, Hobart	'Under a Black Sun'
1992	McWhirter's Artspace, Brisbane	'Icarus and Other Angels'
	Cafe Lunar, Brisbane	'Return Journey'

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (selected group shows)

2023	GGG Collective, Pop Gallery	'Protect, Pride, People'
2022	Plexus Gallery	'Small Works Show'
2021	Plexus Gallery	'Second Bloom'
	Plexus Gallery	'in situ'
2020	Plexus Gallery	'Virtually Live' on-line and 3D virtual exhibition
	Plexus Gallery	'Art for Armenia' on-line fundraising exhibition
2019	Bowen Hills Studio, Brisbane	'A Fragile Veil'
2018	Cross Gallery, Bundaberg	'End of year show'
	Cross Gallery, Bundaberg	'Icon'
2017	Bowen Hills Studio, Brisbane	'From our Dreams'
	Mt Thompson Memorial Gardens	'Ar Moriendi'
	Downlands Art Exhibition, Toowoomba	'31 st Downlands Art Exhibition'
2016	Bowen Hills Studio, Brisbane	'Sleep... A studio show'
	Three Bowls	'Recap'
	Jugglers Art Space	'Thoughts Made Visible'
2015	Lust for Life Tattoo	'Vive L'Homme'
2006	New Farm Art Stockroom, Brisbane	'Loading Zone'
2004	Celestial Gallery, Fortitude Valley	'Decade'
2003	The Judith Wright Centre, Brisbane	'Fluid', Action painting with the quintet, Collusions
2000	Sui Generis, Melbourne	'Passion'
2002	No 9 Chinatown Mall, Brisbane	'Square'
1997	The Jackman Gallery, Melbourne	'Really Recent Works'
1991 - 2010	Over 50 group shows in Brisbane, Melbourne and Hobart	

From 1979 to 2009 I was professionally involved in the performing arts, mainly in the fields of; Design, Scenic Art & Production Management.

Film And Television

2008	"K9", TV Series	Scenic Artist	Art Director: Adam Head
	Three To Tango, Short Film	Art Director	Director: Rosetta Cook
2008	"White Noise", Music Clip, The Living End	Scenic Artist, Art Dept	Director: Grant Market
	"The King Is Dead", Music Clip, The Herd	Scenic Artist, Art Dept	Director: Gavain Browne
2007	"Nim's Island", Feature Film	Scenic Artist (Leading Hand)	Warner - Roadshow
	"Hotel Existence", Music Clip, Powderfinger	Scenic Artist	Designer: Matti Crocker
2000	"Finding Hope" – Australian Feature Film	Scenic Artist	Production Company: Liberty and Beyond

Non-Filmic, Scenic Art And Design

2009	Brisbane Powerhouse	Scenic Artist	"Fake Porno" Brisbane Season
		Scenic Artist	"Lawn" Brisbane Season
2006 - 08	Heads Up Film Services	Scenic Artist, Sculptor	Many projects including a large scale diptych for "The Met" Nightclub
2001	Strut & Fret	Float Designer/Builder	Australia Day Parade, Brisbane
1996 - 97	Scenic Studios, Melbourne	Scenic Artist	Productions Include
	'Phantom Of The Opera', 'Sunset Boulevard', 'Swan Lake' for The Hong Kong Ballet, 'The Deep End' and 'The Red Shoes' for The Australian Ballet, 'The King & I' for Dodger Productions, New York, 'Banana's in Pajamas', 'Hey Hey, Its Cinderella'		
1996	Black Rat Art Productions, Hobart	Producer, Director, Visual Artist	'Icarus'
	for the New Music Tasmania International Music Festival		
1995	Ihos Opera, Tasmania	Production Manager	'To Traverse Water' Melbourne Festival Tour
		Design Assistant, Mask Maker	'To Traverse Water' (Sydney Season)
		Design Assistant, Technician	'Mikrovion'
1988	Azulykit Theatre Inc, Tasmania	Founding Member	
		Designer, Mask Maker	'Eco Challenger'
		Designer	'Moonshine and Mischief'
		Designer	'Inheritance'
Victoria State Opera, Melbourne		Scenic Artist, Prop Maker, Mech.	'The Flying Dutchman'
		Scenic Artist, Prop Maker, Mech.	'La Belle Hellene'
		Scenic Artist, Flyman	'The Snow Queen'
1986 - 87	La Boite Theatre, Brisbane	Production Manager	
1987		Set Designer	'As You Like It'
1986		Set Designer	'Not Exactly Paradise'
	Grin & Tonic Theatre Troupe	Set Designer & Mask Maker	'Desdemona and Othello'
		Brisbane And Festival Of Sydney Seasons	
1985	TN! Theatre Company	Props Master	'The Removalists'
		Scenic Artist & Set Construction	'The Rise and Fall of Carmen Miranda'
		Scenic Artist & Lx Operator	'Skirmishes'
		Scenic Artist & Flyman	'Private Lives'
	Lyric Opera of Queensland	Props Master	'Rigoletto'
		Props Maker	'The Marriage of Figaro'
	Queensland Ballet Company	Assistant Stage Manager	'Aida'
		Set Design	'The Time Machine' (Schools Tour)
		Design Assistant & Scenic Artist	'Giselle', 'Salome'
1984 - 86	Grin & Tonic Theatre Troupe, Queensland		
		Scenic Artist, Prop Maker, Lx Op	'Hamlet' Tour, 3 Years of Schools Tours
1981 Season	Queensland Theatre Company	Design Assistant, Scenic Artist,	Productions Include:
	'Annie', 'On Our Selection', 'The Seagull', 'I Sent a Letter to My Love', 'As You Like It' & 'Travelling North'		
1979	TN! Theatre Company, Brisbane	Scenic Artist	'Threepenny Opera'
1979 - 81	La Boite Theatre, Brisbane	Set Design, Scenic Artist And Mechanist,	Productions Include:
	'Design for Living', 'They Shoot Horses... Don't They', 'Bingo', 'Sheik Rattle and Roll', 'Sheer Luck Holmes', 'Roses In Due Season'		

Other Theatre Related Activities

2019	Anywhere Festival, Brisbane	Performer/Tarot reader	'Nifhel'
2008	Taxi Films	Lead Puppeteer	Dougal The Dump Bear
	Music Clip, Director: Gavain Browne	Puppeteer	"The King Is Dead", The Herd
2004 – 05	Woodford Folk Festival	Performer	'Freek St'
1993	Grin & Tonic Theatre Troupe	Actor in rehearsed public reading of	'Measure For Measure'
1990 – 91	Horizon Circus	Performer (Contact Improvisation)	'Horizon On Fire', '1 st Tasmanian Circus Festival' and 'Jackey's Marsh Forest Festival'
1988	Azulykit Theatre Inc, Tasmania	Actor	'Eco Challenger'
1983	Queensland Ballet Theatre, Brisbane	Dancer	'Pineapple Poll'