

## **Tamara Armstrong – Curriculum Vitae**

Born in Brisbane 1982

Lives and works at Tamborine Mountain

Qld Australia

### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Visual Arts QUT 2003

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### **PRIZES**

2016 Portia Geach Memorial Award - Selected Finalist. S.H. Ervin Gallery, NSW

2017 King's College Art Show – Highly Commended. Gold Coast, QLD

2017 Winner 'Art Box Reloaded' Gold Coast City Council, Various locations of Gold Coast, QLD

2017 Bluethumb Art Prize – Semi-finalist, VIC

2016 Winner 'Art Box Reloaded' Gold Coast City Council, Various locations of Gold Coast, QLD

2015 'RAW Natural Born Artist' 3rd Annual Awards: Gold Coast Visual Artist of the Year

2014 'I Quit Sugar' Mural Winner, Sydney NSW

### **SOLO SHOWS**

2016 'Bold Botanicals' DBar House, Coolangatta, QLD

2015 'Synchronicity' Green Cathedral, Noosaville QLD

2011 'Aesthetic Slave'. Made. Creative Space, Toowoomba QLD

### **GROUP SHOWS**

2017 'Salon Des Refuses' S.H. Ervin Gallery, Sydney NSW

2017 'Brisbane Grammar Art Show 'Evolve' – Gregory Tce, Brisbane QLD

2016 'Trailblazing Women of Herstory' Neospace Gallery, Collingwood VIC

2016 'Regeneration – A story of change' Aspire Gallery Paddington, QLD

2014 Personified-idio-Paradiso. Sh!ft Gallery, Surfer's Paradise QLD

2013 EMPOWERMENT Art & Design Precinct, West End QLD

2012 FUTURE. Marvell Street Gallery. Byron Bay, NSW

2012 One Way Street Party - Pop Up Gallery. Appel Street, Surfer's Paradise QLD

2012 Exhibition #1. Made. Creative Space, Toowoomba QLD

2012 Radfly Exhibition fundraiser for YHES House, Southport QLD

2011 Gainsborough Greens Art Awards. Selected Finalist. QLD

2011 Dimensions. Selected Finalist. Nudgee College, QLD

2007 St George Annual Show. Overall Winner for the Art Section. St George, QLD

2007 St George Annual Show. Portrait Painting 1st Place, St George, QLD

2003 QUT 2003 Graduate Exhibition. Kelvin Grove QUT, QLD

1999 Art Waves. Selected Finalist. Logan City Art Gallery, QLD

### **FEATURED ARTIST**

2017 Mar-Oct: 'Watermelon Red Interiors', Peregian Beach, QLD

2017 Feb-Aug: Mural Project Artist in residence Pacific Pines SHS, Gold Coast, QLD

2016 Sept-Oct: Bold Botanicals DBar House, Coolangatta Qld

2016 Mar: The Borrowed Garden – Showcase at Miami Marketta, Miami QLD

2016 Mural Project Artist in residence Assisi Catholic College, Upper Coomera QLD

2015 'Café O'mai' MURAL. 15 Cracknell Rd, Annerley QLD

2015-16 Dec-Apr: The Borrowed Nursery, Miami QLD

2014-15 Quinci Living show room, Toowoomba, QLD

2014 Apr: Sun City Mantra Hotel, Surfer's Paradise, QLD

2014 Jan-Mar: Gilston Four. Mermaid Beach, QLD

2013 Dec: TEDxSouthBankWomen, South Bank Brisbane

2013 'Insight' D-Bar Gallery, Coolangatta

2013 Apr: Surfer's Paradise Festival, Surfer's Paradise QLD

2011/12 Dec-Mar: 'Drobe' Ann St, Fortitude Valley QLD

2011 Sep: 'Canvas Espresso' STREET MURAL at Shop 7/21 Lavarack Rd, Nobby Beach QLD 2011  
Apr: 'Rhapsody Boheme Hair' MURAL at 101 Logan Rd, Stones Corner QLD  
2011 Feb-Oct: 'City Dweller' Level 1 Broadway Mall in Brisbane's CB