

Anne Spudvilas is an established portrait painter, printmaker and award-winning illustrator of children's books who has also worked as a courtroom artist for the Melbourne media.

Anne's portraits have been selected in major portrait competitions including the Archibald, Portia Geach and Doug Moran Prizes and she has completed public commissions for the City of Melbourne and the Victorian State Government. She has exhibited widely and her work is in collections in the State Library of Victoria, National Gallery Canberra, Victoria State Government and private collections in Australia and overseas. Anne's designs were used by Australia Post for the 2006 Australian Christmas stamps.

Her first picture book *The Race* was awarded the Crichton Award for Illustration and CBCA (Children's Book Council of Australia) Honour Book. In 2000 she won CBCA Picture Book of the Year with *Jenny Angel*, which was also shortlisted for the NSW Premiers Award.

In 2008 *The Peasant Prince* won the NSW Premier's Award (Patricia Wrightson Prize), the Australian Book Industry Award for Younger Readers and the Queensland Premiers Award.

*Swan Lake* is her first solo project and she has used the Murray/Darling riverscape and birdlife as inspiration for the monoprints and drawings. It was shortlisted for the CBCA and Queensland Premier's Awards.

Anne lives on the confluence of the Murray and Darling Rivers at Wentworth in New South Wales where she holds workshops at her print studio, Riverbank Press.

#### Painting/Drawing Awards

2012 - People's Choice - Swan Hill Acquisitive Art Award

2003 - People's Choice - Hidden Faces of the Archibald

#### Book Awards

2008 - Queensland Premier's Award - *The Peasant Prince*

NSW Premier's Awards, Patricia Wrightson Prize - *The Peasant Prince*

Australian Book Industry Award for Younger Readers - *The Peasant Prince*

Children's Book Council Honour Book - *The Peasant Prince*

2007 - Children's Book Council - Honour Book - *Woolvs in the Sitee*

Aurealis Award - *Woolvs in the Sitee*

2005 - Children's Book Council Book of the Year for Older Readers, *The Silver Donkey*

2002 - Children's Book Council shortlisted book, *In My Backyard*

2000 - Children's Book Council award - Picture Book of the Year, *Jenny Angel*

Shortlisted book, NSW Premiers Awards, *Jenny Angel*

1996 - Crichton Award for Illustration, CBC Honor Book Award and

Certificate of Merit, Human Rights Award - for *The Race*

#### Portrait Competition selections

2006 - Hidden Faces of the Archibald, Crown Towers

2006 - Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, NSW State Library,

2003 - Winner People's Choice - Hidden Faces of the Archibald, Crown Towers

2002 - Salon des Refuses, Barn Gallery Montsalvat

2002 - Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery

2000 - finalist Archibald Prize, NSW Art Gallery, George Adams Gallery

- 2001 - Doug Moran National Portrait Prize
- 1999 - exhibited Archibald Prize , George Adams Gallery
- 1997 - Portia Geach Memorial Award. S.H Ervin Gallery
- 1996 - Doug Moran National Portrait Prize, NGV Sydney & regional tour
- 1995 - Portia Geach Memorial Award, S.H. Ervin Gallery

### Solo exhibitions

- 2018 - *Where's Jessie* – Albury Library
- 2018 - A Child's World in Pictures – Newcastle Regional Museum and Library
- 2017 - A Child's World in Pictures – Dromkeen Children's Literature Centre, Riddells Creek
- 2016 - A Child's World in Pictures– 25 years of illustration, Bolte Gallery, Mildura Arts Centre
- 2016 - *Where's Jessie?*, original artwork, Artback Gallery, Wentworth
- 2014 - The Unknown Wearer , Mario's, Fitzroy
- 2014 - *Our Village in the Sky*, original artwork, The Art Vault, Mildura
- 2014 - Influence, Artback Gallery, Wentworth
- 2013 - Response to the River, The Art Vault, Mildura
- 2012 - The Unknown Wearer, The Art Vault, Mildura
- 2010 - *The Peasant Prince*, original artwork, Maroondah Gallery
- 2008 - *The Peasant Prince*, original artwork, Fremantle Children's Literature Centre
- 2007 - *Woolvs in the Sitee* original artwork, Fremantle Children's Literature Centre
  - *The Peasant Prince*, original artwork, Books Illustrated
- 2006 - *Ebi's Boat*, original artwork, Artspace, Federation Square
  - *Woolvs in the Sitee*, original artwork and working drawings, Books Illustrated
- 2004 - *The Silver Donkey*, original artwork, North Fitzroy Star
- 2001 - *In My Backyard*, original artwork, Geelong Gallery
  - *Jenny Angel* , original artwork , Books Illustrated
- 2000 - *Jenny Angel*, complete illustrations and working drawings for Fremantle Children's Literature Centre WA.
- 1996 - *Bright Star* - permanent exhibition of complete illustrations and working drawings for 'Bright Star', by Gary Crew purchased by and permanently exhibited at Fremantle Children's Literature Centre, WA.
  - *The Race* - complete illustrations and working drawings, Books Illustrated, Gasworks Park.
- 1985 - Selected works on canvas - Earl Gallery, Geelong

### Selected group exhibitions

- 2017 - Small Works, Tussock Upstairs Gallery, Point Lonsdale
- 2016 - Impressions show, Australian Print Workshop
- 2015 - Australian Print Triennial Prize, Mildura
- 2014 - Explorations, Australian Print Workshop, Fitzroy
  - The Affordable Xmas Show, Tussock Upstairs Gallery
- 2013 - Hello from Australia, Capital Library, Beijing
- 2012 - Impressions, Australian Print Workshop
  - The Picture Book Art of Legge and Spudvilas, Gladstone Regional Art Gallery
  - The Affordable Xmas Show, Tussock Upstairs Gallery
  - Swan Hill Acquisitive Art Award, Swan Hill Gallery
- 2012 - Recent Work, Cambridge Studio Gallery, Collingwood
  - New Work, Tussock Upstairs Gallery

- The Art of the Australian Picture Book, Metropolis Gallery
- 2011 - Recent work, Monoprints and Collagraphs, Red Gallery
- Vale Street studios group show, St. Kilda Town Hall
- 2010 - Impressions, Australian Print Workshop
- 2008 - Mask, Angela Robarts-Bird Gallery
- Dressed Up, Angela Robarts-Bird Gallery
- 2007 - Hutchins Drawing Prize, Hobart
- Big And Small, Australian Print Workshop
- Gasworks Fabulous Nudes Gasworks Foyer
- Cut ,Torn, Folded, Drawn. Flinders Upstairs Gallery
- 2006 - Impressions, Australian Print Workshop
- Linden Postcard Show – Linden Gallery
- 2005 - Transit, Australian Print Workshop,
- Black and White Books, Artisan Books, Fitzroy
- Five Illustrators, Ipswich Regional Gallery
- 2004 – Practice in Process, Counihan Gallery
- Impressions, Australian Print Workshop
- The Time Image, Counihan Gallery
- 2003 - Outfit, Dante’s Upstairs
- My Place – Books Illustrated, Frankston Gallery, Seoul Arts Centre Korea, Hamilton Gallery
- 2002 - Salon des Refuses, Barn Gallery, Montsalvat
- IAA 9 x 5 Show, Victorian Arts Centre
- Black and White Show, Jackman Gallery
- Backyards, Bush and Beaches, Dromkeen
- Lygon St. Studios group show, New Work
- Kiss my Art window works 2002, Lygon St.
- 2001 - Geelong Print Prize, Geelong Art Gallery
- Youth Voice, Youth Choice - Jenny Angel, artwork and working drawings, Dromkeen
- Portraits 2001 – an Australian Odyssey, travelling exhibition curated by the Tweed Shire Council and Doug Moran Portrait Prize
- 2001 - Illustration Show, CBC conference, Perth
- 2000 - Creating the Character exhibition - Dromkeen
- Not So Shortlist exhibition, Books Illustrated
- The Family in Picture books, Dromkeen
- 1999 - In the Picture , Chapel off Chapel Gallery
- Not So Shortlist exhibition, Books Illustrated
- 1997 - Books Illustrated Miniature Exhibition
- I.S.S. group exhibition - Carlton
- 1996 - Not So Shortlist exhibition, Books Illustrated
- 1995 - The Illustrator as Artist, Books Illustrated
- Not So Shortlist exhibition, Books Illustrated
- 1993 - Not so Shortlist exhibition, Books Illustrated
- 1991 - Survey Surveyed, a regional review, Geelong Art Gallery
- 1991 - Through Women’s Eyes, Geelong Art Gallery
- 1990 - QDOS Fine Contemporary Arts, Lorne
- 1988 - Survey 9 Show, Geelong Art Gallery
- 1987 - Deakin University Gallery Regional Purchase Prize
- 1986 - Deakin Womyn’s Society Art Show

- 1986 - Group Images Show, Geelong Performing Arts Centre
- 1985 - Group Images show, Geelong Performing Arts Centre
- 1985 - Womyn's Art Show, Deakin University

#### Published picture books

- 2018 - *When the War is Over*, Jackie French, Harper Collins
- 2017 - *Swan Lake*, Allen&Unwin
- 2015 - *Where's Jessie?*, Janeen Brian, National Library of Australia
- 2014 - *Our Village in the Sky*, Janeen Brian, Allen & Unwin
- 2012 - *The Moon Shines out of the Dark*, Stephanie Dowrick, Allen & Unwin
- 2010 - *Night School*, Isobelle Carmody, Penguin Books
- 2007 - *The Peasant Prince*, Li Cunxin, Penguin Books
- 2006 - *Woolvs in the Sitee* – Margaret Wild, Penguin Books  
*Ebi's Boat* – Claire Saxby, Windy Hollow Books
- 2003 - *Baby Days*, Ian Bone, Omnibus Books
- 2001 - *In my Backyard*, Nette Hilton, Lothian
- 1999 - *Jenny Angel* by Margaret Wild, Penguin
- 1997 - *Bright Star* by Gary Crew, Lothian
- 1996 - *Big Cat Dreaming* by Margaret Wild, Penguin
- 1995 - *The Race*, Christobel Mattingley, Scholastic

#### Illustrated novels

- 2011 - *Mr. Moonlight*, Jane Carroll, Penguin Books
- 2010 - *Joe's Boat*, Raewyn Caisley, Penguin Books  
*A Long Way Home*, Carmel Reilly, Pearson
- 2009 - *Saving Moonbeam*, Sherryl Clark, Penguin Books
- 2006 - *The Girl Who Fell Into a Book* - Julia Lawrence, Penguin Books
- 2004 - *The Silver Donkey*, Sonya Hartnett, Penguin Books
- 2000 - *The Card Thief*, Andrew Whitmore, Scholastic  
- *Dolphin's Dance*, Jutta Goetze, Blackdog Books  
- *Rescue at Ruapehu*, Raewyn Caisley, Rigby Literacy Collections
- 1999 - *The Millstone*, Michael O'Hara, Lothian
- 1998 - *The Goddess*, Robin Klein, Lothian  
- *The Secret*, Sophie Masson, Reed
- 1996 - *Winter In France*, Sophie Masson, Reed  
- *The Red Shoes*, Isobelle Carmody, Lothian
- 1994 - *Tigers Milk*, Christobel Mattingley, Scholastic
- 1993 - *The Crossing Log*, Ann Whitehead, Scholastic  
- *The Opera Club*, Sophie Masson, Reed  
- *The Cousin from France* Sophie Masson, Reed

#### Guest Speaker - Children's Literature

- 2018 - Ubud Writers and Readers Festival, Bali
- 2018 - Voices on the Coast Literature Festival, Maroochydore
- 2018 - Brisbane Museum, Li Cunxin Exhibition
- 2013 - Voices on the Coast Literature Festival, Maroochydore
- 2013 - Inaugural Booked In Literature Festival – Armidale NSW
- 2013 - Australian Writers Week – Beijing,

### Shanghai Literature festival

- 2012 - Ubud Writers and Readers Festival, Bali
- 2012 - Curtis Coast Carnivale, Gladstone Queensland
- 2011 - Ipswich Children's Literature Festival, Queensland
- 2008 - Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh International School
- 2006 - Turkey, Istanbul International Community School
- 2005 - Ipswich Children's Literature Festival, Queensland
- 2004 - Townsville Literature Festival, Queensland
- 2003 - Thailand, Prem Center, Chiang Mai
- 2002 - Perth, CBC 6th National Conference
- 2000 - Canberra, CBC 5th National Conference
- 1999 - Lithuania, American International School, Vilnius
- 1998 - Vietnam, Hanoi International School
- Toowoomba University of Southern Queensland Literature Seminar

### Residencies

- 2018 - Retreat Fellowship – Varuna Writer's Residence Katoomba
- 2014 - Illustrator-in-residence, University of New England, Armidale
- 2013 - Australian Print Workshop artist residency, Melbourne
- 2013 - Illustrator-in-residence, University of New England, Armidale
- 2012 - Trentham Primary School, Trentham Vic
- 2012 - Belmont Primary School, Brisbane
- 2012 - Artist residency - The Art Vault, Mildura
- 2011 - Artist in Schools, Camberwell Girls Grammar, Camberwell
- Artist residency – The Art Vault, Mildura
- Retreat Fellowship, Varuna Writer's Residence, Katoomba
- 2008 - Retreat Fellowship, Varuna Writers' Residence, Katoomba
- 2007 - Artist in Residence, MacKillop College, Werribee
- 2005 - Retreat Fellowship, Varuna Writer's Residence, Katoomba
- 2004 - May Gibbs Fellowship, Adelaide