

JUD WIMHURST – BIO



One of Australia's most exciting young talents, Jud Wimhurst is pushing sculpture in a refreshing and dynamic new direction. Wimhurst describes his work as 'spoilt children'. After their conception he allows them to tell him exactly what they need or want and he sees it as his job to do these things for them.

Wimhurst experiments and fine tunes his technique in his studio, he even makes his own tools in order to make his work, Wimhurst utilizes such materials as wood, clear acrylic sheet, inks, resins and heavy lacquers.

Conceptually, the sculptures are inspired by consumerism, design, pop culture, mortality and humour - and in particular the point of which these themes may meet or intersect.

JUD WIMHURST – CV

EDUCATION

1994 -1997 BACHELOR OF FINE ART
RMIT - Melbourne

EXHIBITIONS – SOLO (selected)

November 2014 ART PROS
[MARS] Gallery,
Windsor, Melbourne

July 2014 SAFE/SECURE
[MARS] Gallery,
Windsor, Melbourne

August 2012 FUTURE PRIMITIVE
[MARS] Gallery
Melbourne Art Fair,
Exhibition Buildings, Carlton

May 2011 WARFAREWEAR
Melbourne Art Rooms
[MARS] Gallery, Port Melbourne

March 2010 THE KNITTED ASSASSIN
L'Oreal Melbourne Fashion Festival
Visual Arts Program
8 Inkerman, St Kilda

Sept 2009 MASKS FOR THE MODERN TRIBE
Melbourne Art Rooms
[MARS] Gallery, Port Melbourne

EXHIBITIONS – GROUP (Selected)

October 2014	GROMMETS, GRINDS AND GNARLY DUDES Bayside Arts and Cultural Centre Brighton
August 2014	MELBOURNE ART FAIR 2014 Exhibition Buildings, Carlton
March 2013	ON A WING AND A PRAYER Melbourne Art Rooms [MARS] Gallery, Port Melbourne
Oct 2012	A REGIONAL ART PERSPECTIVE Backyard Gallery, Ballarat
May – Nov 2007	SNAP FREEZE Tarrawarra Museum Of Art, Healesville

ART PRIZES/COMPETITIONS/COMMISSIONS (selected)

2015	Finalist Bayside Acquisitive Art Prize Bayside Arts & Cultural Centre
2013	Commission THE QUAYS, Residents lounge Docklands, Melbourne
2012	Finalist McClelland Sculpture Survey & Award, McClelland Gallery and Sculpture Park, Langwarrin
2011	Finalist Lorne Sculpture Prize 2011 Lorne, Vic
2010	Finalist McClelland Sculpture Survey & Award, McClelland Gallery and Sculpture Park, Langwarrin