

# Natalie Malseed (b. 1968 Australia)

A regional artist who was raised and lives in Albury, N.S.W. Australia.

I describe myself as a Tactile Artist who enjoys working in a range of mediums. There is however, little doubt that Textile Arts will always be my first love. Taking inspiration from the natural world, I strive to produce delicate works often playing with shadow and scale. Building a rhythm in repetition, the creative process is an evolving form of selfexpression and meditation. My works are an extension of that quiet peaceful place. Recently I have discovered there are conceptual layers in my works as I share my experiences, life's lessons and thoughts through my art practice.

I have enjoyed holding Textile workshops and sharing my skill set as well as attending private Art classes to expand my art practice. In 2013 I completed a Diploma of Visual Arts at TAFE NSW Riverina Institute Albury.

## **Exhibition History**

#### **Solo Exhibitions**

#### 2017 - Inception

The Secret Cup, Wodonga, Victoria 2015 - **Threads** Elvery Fine Art Gallery, Chiltern 2014 - **The Pterygota Collection** an artistic study of winged insects Online Exhibition 2013 - **T Cups & D Cups** Pepperleaf, Corryong, Victoria

## **Commissioned Public Art Installations**

By Wodonga Council 2019 – **Simple Joys** (Painting) Cube Café Planter Boxes Installation 2018 – **The Magic in Mushrooms** (Paintings) Wodonga Library Light Box Installation 2018 – **The Bee Tree** (Textile Sculptures) The Cube Courtyard Tree, Wodonga

## **Art Prize Exhibitions**

2019 – Chiltern Art Prize 2017 - *Major Prize Winner* - of Paint Presto 2017, Wangaratta Festival of Jazz & Blues Judged by - Wendy Sharpe Wangaratta Art Gallery, Victoria 2013 - Belle Arti Prize Chapman & Bailey Gallery, Abbotsford, Vic 2012 - Beechworth Textile Awards Old School House Gallery, Beechworth, Vic

#### **Group Exhibitions**

2019 - Resident Artists Exhibition Wrenwood Gallery, Bungowannah, NSW 2018 – Conversations with Art Wrenwood Gallery, Bungowannah, NSW 2017 - im art - New Works Wrenwood Gallery, Bungowannah, NSW 2017 - imartcollective.com Collectives Website launch and 1<sup>st</sup> Exhibition GIGS Art Gallery, Gateway Island, Vic 2015 - Domestic Bliss Elvery Fine Art Gallery, Chiltern, Victoria 2013 - The Experiment – Interpreting the National Growth Centre Commissioned Exhibition by Albury Wodonga Development Corporation Art Space, Wodonga, Victoria 2013 - Blown Away -**Graduating Diploma Exhibition** GIGS Art Gallery, Gateway Island, Victoria

#### **Members Exhibitions**

2017, 2015, 2014 - **Members Exhibition** GIGS Art Gallery, Gateway Island, Victoria 2015, 2014 - **Members Exhibition** Creators Art Space, Gateway Island, Vic

## **Bibliography**

Penny, Bruce (Author), 'The Experiment. Imagining the Albury-Wodonga Growth Centre' Albury Wodonga Corporation 2013, p46, 47 & 67