

JEFF MINCHAM

BIOGRAPHY

- 1950 Born Milang, SA
- 1970-72 Art Teacher Training course, Western Teachers College, SA
- 1973 Advanced Diploma of Art teaching, South Australian School of Art, Adelaide
- 1974 Postgraduate studies at Tasmanian School of Art, Hobart
- 1976 Full-time potter, Cherryville, SA
- 1991 Guest Demonstrator, International Potters Festival, Aberystwyth, Wales, UK
- 1994 Guest Demonstrator, Raku Ho'olaul'ea, Hawaii, USA
- 1996 Guest Lecturer, Glasgow School of Art, Scotland
- 2003 Guest Lecturer, Canberra School of Art
- 2007 Recognised as a Master of Australian Craft, under Living Treasures, Masters of Australian Craft Programme
- 2009 Selected as the 2009 Living Treasure by Craft Australia

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 1976 The Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide
- 1978 Blackfriars Gallery, Sydney
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- 1980 The Craft Centre, Melbourne
Queensland Potters Association, Brisbane
The Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide
- 1981 Cooks Hill Galleries, Newcastle, NSW
Berrima Gallery, Berrima, NSW
- 1982 Market Row Gallery, Sydney
Potters Society Gallery, Sydney
- 1983 Narek Galleries, Cuppacumbalong, ACT
Distilfink Gallery, Melbourne
- 1984 Elmswood Fine Crafts Gallery, Adelaide
Australian Craftworks, Sydney
- 1985 Realities Gallery, Melbourne
Crafts Council of the ACT, Canberra
- 1986 Bonython-Meadmore Gallery, Adelaide
Gallery 52, Perth
Handmark Gallery, Hobart
- 1987 Queensland Potters Association, Brisbane
Bonython-Meadmore Gallery, Sydney
Elaine Potter Gallery, San Francisco, USA
- 1988 Narek Galleries, Cuppacumbalong, ACT
Realities Gallery, Melbourne
Bonython-Meadmore Gallery, Sydney
- 1989 Perth Galleries
- 1990 BMG Art, Adelaide
Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide
Cooks Hill Galleries, Newcastle, NSW
Queensland Potters Association, Brisbane
- 1991 Gasworks Gallery, Strathalbyn, SA
Realities Gallery, Melbourne
- 1992 BMG Art, Adelaide
- 1993 Lyall Burton Gallery, Melbourne
Narek Galleries, Cuppacumbalong, ACT
Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney

- 1994 Lyall Burton Gallery, Melbourne
Holdsworth Galleries, Sydney
BMG Art , Adelaide
- 1995 Jabiru Gallery, Sanctuary Cove, Qld
- 1997 Lyall Burton Gallery, Melbourne
Beaver Galleries, Canberra
BMG Gallery, Adelaide
- 1998 Framed Gallery, Darwin
- 1999 Masterworks Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
"Memory, landscape and imagination", BMG Art, Adelaide
- 2000 "Landscape: Memories and Reflections", Beaver Galleries, Canberra
- 2001 "Landscape, memory and imagination", Brisbane City Gallery, Brisbane
"The unconscious landscape", Mira Fine Art Gallery, Melbourne
BMG Art, Adelaide
- 2002 "The unconscious landscape", Beaver Galleries, Canberra
- 2003 "A Sense of Place", Quadrivium Gallery, Sydney
- 2004 "Jeff Mincham Australian Ceramics", Masterworks Gallery, New Zealand
"A Potter's Landscape - Retrospective and Recent Ceramics 1974-2004", Jam Factory, SA
- 2005 "Enduring Nature; The Art of Jeff Mincham", Sabbia Gallery, Sydney
- 2006 Beaver Galleries, Canberra
"Natural Perceptions", BMG Art, Adelaide
- 2007 "Wide View", Despard Gallery, Hobart
"Natural Perceptions", Axia Modern Art, Melbourne
"Jeff Mincham at Masterworks", Masterworks Gallery, Auckland, NZ
- 2008 "The Nature of Things", Sabbia Gallery, Sydney, NSW
- 2009 "The romantic dimension", Beaver Galleries, Canberra

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 1976-79 "Eleven SA Potters", Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide
"Australian Master Craftsmen", Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide
"A Dozen Different Ways", touring ASEAN countries
- 1980 "Gold Medal Exhibition", Potters' Guild of SA
"Mayfair Ceramics Award Exhibition", Melbourne
- 1981 "The Gift Exhibition", Canberra
"Australian Crafts", Meat Market Craft Centre, Melbourne
"Fletcher-Brownbuilt Award Exhibition", Auckland, NZ
- 1982 "Gold Medal Exhibition, Potters' Guild of SA
"The Australian Experience", Crafts Council Centre Gallery, Sydney
"40th Concorso, Faenza International", Faenza, Italy
"Australian Seen", Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide
"Australian Ceramics", toured USA
Museum of Folkart and Folklore, The Hague, The Netherlands
"9th Biennale Internationale de Ceramique d'Art de Vallauris", Vallauris, France
"Mayfair Ceramics Award Exhibition", Melbourne
- 1984 "Australian Crafts", Meat Market Craft Centre, Melbourne
"Mayfair Ceramics Award Exhibition", Melbourne
"Clay Statements", Queensland Art Gallery, Qld
- 1986 "The Evolution of Style: The Essential Object", Crafts Council Centre Gallery, Sydney
"The Stuart Devlin Award Exhibition", Meat Market Craft Centre, Melbourne
"Australian Expo", Osaka, Japan
"Clay Statements", Queensland Art Gallery, Qld
- 1987 "Australia: A Different View", Landell's Galleries, Carmel, California, USA

- "Fire and Earth: Australian Contemporary Ceramics Touring Exhibition", Manly Art Gallery, Sydney
- "An Australian Art Collection", Zantman Galleries, California, USA
- 1988 "Jeff Mincham, Milton Moon & Mitso Shoji", Bonython-Meadmore Galleries, Sydney
"South Australian Ceramics Exhibition", toured Shandong Province, China
"1st International Ceramics Symposium in Australia Exhibition", Solander Gallery, Canberra
"Fletcher Challenge Award Exhibition", Auckland, NZ
- 1989 "Greg Daly, Jeff Mincham & Jenny Orchard", Couturier Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
- 1990 "Austceram Conference", Perth
- 1991 "International Triennial of Ceramics", Warsaw, Poland
"Aspects: An Exhibition of Vessels by 15 Contemporary Ceramists", RMIT Gallery, Melbourne
- 1992 "Victorian Health National Craft Award", National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
- 1993 "Form and Essence", Aptos Cruz Galleries, Stirling, SA
- 1994 "The Private Collector: Aspects of the Leach-Hamada tradition in Australia", Craft Victoria, Melbourne
"Taipei Fine Arts Museum: Invitation Prize Exhibition", Taiwan
"Australian Contemporary Art Fair 4", Royal Exhibition Building, Melbourne
"The Heart of the Craft", Noosa Shire Gallery, Qld
- 1995 "Shepparton Invitational Ceramic Art Award", Shepparton Art Gallery, Vic
"Paintings and Ceramics from Australia", The Australian Consulate, Singapore
"Clay-Fibre-Glass-Metal-Wood", Lyall Burton Gallery, Melbourne
"Nillumbik Art Award", Eltham, Vic
"Ceramic Works", Lyall Burton Gallery, Melbourne, Vic
- 1996 "Stanthorpe Arts Festival Sculpture & Ceramics Exhibition", Stanthorpe, Qld
- 2000 "Place and identity: Contemporary South Australian Ceramists at the Millennium Edge", University of South
Australia Art Museum, SA
"Chemistry: Art in South Australia", Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide
- 2002 "Material Culture, Aspects of Contemporary Australian Craft and Design" National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- 2003 "A Sense of Place", Quadrivium Gallery, Sydney, NSW
- 2004 "50 Years of Australian Ceramics", Newcastle Region Gallery, NSW
"Celebrating the Master", Skepsi on Swanston, Carlton, VIC
Sydney Myer Fund International Ceramics Award, Shepparton Art Gallery, Vic
- 2005 SOFA, Chicago, USA
Gold Coast International Ceramic Art Award Exhibition, Gold Coast, Qld
- 2006 "COLLECT", Victoria and Albert Museum, London, UK
"The Teabowl", invited group exhibition, Sabbia Gallery, Sydney
"Surface Connections", invitational group exhibition, Manningham Gallery, VIC
"South Australian Icons, Royal South Australian Society of Arts, Adelaide
"Bowl", curated group exhibition, Kiew Liew Design, Adelaide
SOFA Chicago, USA
"Art London 2006", Chelsea, London, UK
"The Crafted Object", National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
- 2007 "Raw Earth", Sabbia Gallery, Sydney

AWARDS / COMMISSIONS

- 1976 Pugmill Award of Merit
- 1979 Pugmill Award of Merit
- 1980 Potters' Guild of SA Gold Medal Award
- 1981 Conex Inter Crafts Awards Prix Speciale, Bangkok, Thailand
- 1982 Mayfair Ceramics Award, Melbourne
- 1984 Potters' Cottage Invitation Prize
Mayfair Ceramics Award
- 1985 Fletcher Brownbuilt Pottery Award, Auckland, NZ
- 1988 City of Burnside Bicentennial Art Award, Adelaide

- 1989 Fletcher Challenge Award, Auckland, NZ
Commission Hyatt International, Adelaide
- 1991 Australia Council Visual Arts & Crafts Board Fellowship
Commission, Park Lane Hotel, Sydney
- 1992 Alice Springs Craft Award, Alice Springs, NT
Wiiner, Gold Coast Ceramic Award, Gold Coast, Qld
Honorary mention, 3rd Mino International Ceramic Award, Nagoya, Japan
- 1994 Mt. Isa Rotary Ceramics Award, Mt Isa, Qld
Commission, Golden Coast Resort Hotel, Hong Kong
Commission, Mary MacKillop College, Adelaide
- 1995 Winner, Nillumbik Art Award, Eltham, Vic
- 1996 Stanthorpe Art Gallery Sculpture Award, Stanthorpe, Qld
Commission, Playford Centenary Trust, Adelaide
Commission, Electricity Trust of South Australia
- 1997 Winner, Invitational Ceramics Purchase Award, Newcastle Regional Art Gallery Award, NSW
- 1998 Bathurst Art Purchase Award, NSW
Townsville City Council Ceramic Art Award, Qld
Winner, South Australian Ceramics Award, Adelaide Central Gallery
- 2000 National Crafts Acquisition Award, Darwin Museum & Art Gallery, NT
- 2007 Master of Australian Craft, under Living Treasures, Masters of Australian Craft Programme by Craft Australia
- 2009 Selected as the 2009 Living Treasure, under Living Treasures, Masters of Australian Craft Programme by Craft Australia

PUBLICATIONS

- 1986 *The New Ceramics: Trends and Traditions*, P. Dormer, Thames and Hudson, London, UK
Ceramics in SA 1936 - 1986, N. Ioannou, Wakefield Press, SA
- 1988 *Studio Ceramics and Ceramic Form: Shape and Direction*, P. Lane, Collins, UK
The Collector's Guide to Modern Australian Ceramics, J. Mansfield, Craftsman House, NSW
- 1990 *New Art Four*, N Drury, Craftsman House, NSW
- 1994 *Contemporary Ceramic Art in Australia & New Zealand*, J. Mansfield, Craftsman House, NSW
- 1995 *Raku: A Review of Contemporary Work*, Tim Andrews, Craftsman House, NSW
Sculptural Ceramics, I. Gregory, A & C Black, London
- 1996 *Masters of their Craft*, N. Ioannou, Craftsman House, NSW
- 1997 "Scottish Sojourn", T. Davis, *Pottery in Australia*, December
- 1999 "Landscape Memory and Imagination", N. Ioannou, *Craft Arts*, no. 45
- 2006 "Nature glazed in ceramics", Kerry-Anne Cousins, *Canberra Times*, 21 May

COLLECTIONS

National Gallery of Australia, Canberra; Parliament House, Canberra; National Gallery of Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur,; Australian Chancery, Saudi Arabia; Aberystwyth Arts Centre, Wales; Government House, SA; State of Hawaii Public Collection; National Gallery of Taiwan, Taipei; Art Gallery of South Australia; Art Gallery of Western Australia; Artbank; Auckland City Art Gallery, New Zealand; Mayfair Collection, Sydney; Museum of Applied Arts, Sydney; National Gallery of Victoria; Newcastle Art Gallery, NSW; Government House, Adelaide