

the woollahra small sculpture prize

2017 entry form and information

The Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize is an international award for an original, freestanding sculpture of up to 80cm in any dimension, with prizes now totalling AUD \$24,000.

Entries close 7 July 2017

The 2017 Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize Exhibition
14 October – 5 November 2017

The Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize

An acquisitive award of \$20,000

The Special Commendation

A non-acquisitive award of \$2,000

The Viewers' Choice

A non-acquisitive award of \$1,000

The Mayor's Award

A non-acquisitive award of \$1,000

As judged by

Djon Mundine, OAM

Curator, Writer, Artist and Activist.

Roslyn Oxley, OAM

Gallerist and Arts Benefactor

Alexie Glass-Kantor

Executive Director of Artspace
Sydney and Curator of 'Encounters'
at Art Basel, Hong Kong

Apply online at
sculptureprize.woollahra.nsw.gov.au



2016 Winner
Todd Robinson
'Psychic Staircase'



2017 entry form and information

The 2017 prize and awards

The Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize is an international award for original, freestanding sculpture of up to 80cm in any dimension.

Over its 17 year history, the prize has featured some of the world's most exciting contemporary sculptures, and continues to promote and celebrate artistic excellence.

The Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize is hosted by Woollahra Council.

The Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize

An acquisitive award of \$20,000

The Special Commendation

A non-acquisitive award of \$2,000

The Viewers' Choice

A non-acquisitive award of \$1,000

The Mayor's Award

A non-acquisitive award of \$1,000

Key dates

Entries open:

1 April 2017

Entries close:

7 July 2017

Announcement of finalists:

August 2017

Finalists' work must be delivered to Council on:

Friday 6, Monday 9 or Tuesday 10 October 2017

and collected between:

Monday 6 and Wednesday 8 November 2017

Public exhibition dates:

14 October to 5 November 2017

For information on free public programs including artist talks and workshops, please visit

sculptureprize.woollahra.nsw.gov.au

Conditions of entry

Eligibility

1. For the purpose of The Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize, sculpture is defined as a **freestanding**, non-site specific, three-dimensional object. **Only freestanding works will be accepted for selection.**
2. Entries should not exceed 80cm in any dimension, and must have a stable base. The overall weight and dimensions must allow for easy transportation, and not exceed the carrying capacity of two average persons.
3. All entries must be the original work of the submitting artist and must have been designed or completed within two years prior to October 2017.
4. There is no limit to the number of entries an artist can submit. A separate application form and entry fee must accompany each entry. Only one work per artist will be shown in the exhibition.
5. A non-refundable entry fee of \$45 (including GST) must accompany each entered work. Entry fees

contribute towards the cost of staging the Prize. Woollahra Council reserves the right to cancel or postpone the Prize and exhibition, in which case the entry fees will be refunded.

Selection process

1. There will be two rounds of judging. The first round of pre-selection will close on Friday 7 July 2017.
2. It is anticipated that approximately 45 sculptures will be selected for the exhibition by the judges at pre-selection.
3. Judges will decide the winners of the 2017 Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize and the Special Commendation Award from the works selected for exhibition.
4. The Mayor of Woollahra will decide the recipient of the 2017 Mayor's Award.
5. The 2017 Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize, Special Commendation Award and the Mayor's Award will be announced at the opening of the exhibition on Friday 13 October.
6. The Viewers' Choice Award will be announced following the conclusion of the exhibition.

Exhibition criteria and process

1. Works selected for the exhibition must be delivered on Monday 9 and Tuesday 10 October and collected between Monday 6 and Wednesday 8 November. All works must be available for the full exhibition period of Friday 13 October to Sunday 5 November 2017.
2. Artists selected for exhibition are responsible for the transport of their work to and from Woollahra Council. This includes freight and transport costs in both directions.
3. Artists selected for exhibition must have provided two print quality images of their final work and an artist statement by Friday 25 August 2017.
4. All works exhibited in the Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize will be for sale. Woollahra Council will deduct a commission of 40% from the sale price of any works sold through the Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize exhibition. Where appropriate, 50% of this commission will be paid to the artist's representative, and 50% will contribute towards the costs of staging the Prize. **The sale price listed on the entry form will remain as the final sale price on all promotional material if the artist is selected as a finalist.**
5. All care will be taken when handling works, however Woollahra Council will not be responsible for loss, theft or damage. Artists are responsible for the shipping and insurance cover of their artworks.
6. The placement of all finalists' works within the exhibition will be at the discretion of the Prize's appointed curator/curatorial team.
7. Artists grant Woollahra Council and its licensees the right to reproduce their work and biographical material by any means in any media for archival and promotional purposes. The artist and their gallery (if applicable) will be properly acknowledged in such material.
8. Works that are not collected by Friday 1 December 2017 will become the property of Woollahra Council, unless arrangements have been negotiated and agreed in writing, without any liability to Woollahra Council. After this date, Woollahra Council may use or dispose of the work as it determines.

General information

View the Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize acquisitions collection at:

Woollahra Council
536 New South Head Road,
Double Bay, NSW, 2028

Woollahra Library at Double Bay
451 New South Head Road,
Double Bay, NSW, 2028

Winning acquisitions include works by

- Sebastian Di Mauro (2001),
- Jan King (2002),
- Mikala Dwyer (2003),
- Bruce Slatter (2004),
- Craig Waddell and Jessie Cacchilo (2005),
- Louis Pratt (2006),
- Yvonne Kendall (2007),
- Adam Cullen (2008),
- Alex Seton (2009),
- Archie Moore (2010),
- Margaret Seymour (2011),
- Thor Beowulf (2012),
- Julia DeVille (2013),
- Natalie Guy (2014),
- Robert Owen (2015)
- Todd Robinson (2016)

Entries submitted online are encouraged.

Visit sculptureprize.woollahra.nsw.gov.au

**Please submit postal entries no later than
Friday 7 July to:**

2017 Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize
Woollahra Council, PO Box 61,
Double Bay, NSW, 1360

Have a question? Contact us at:

sculpture@woollahra.nsw.gov.au
02 9391 7135
sculptureprize.woollahra.nsw.gov.au

Artist's name _____

Title of work _____

completed work work in progress / proposal

Dimensions _____

Weight _____

Materials _____

Special handling requirements:

No Yes (please include additional sheet)

Sale price in AUD (inclusive of commission and GST)

Address _____

State _____ Postcode _____

Country _____

Email _____

Phone _____

In case of sale, will your gallery/agent require 50% of
commission taken?

No Yes

Name of gallery/agent _____

Check list

Completed entry form for each entry submitted.

Entry fee of \$45.00 (GST inclusive) per work,
payable to: 'Woollahra Council' by cheque, money
order or PayPal. For PayPal payments, please go to
sculptureprize.woollahra.nsw.gov.au/2017

Clearly identified images.

Include a maximum of 3 images of the artwork per
application (for proposals this may be drawings)

You may also include 2 additional images of previous work.

An artist statement about the work (max. 200 words).

An artist biographical statement or CV (max. 200 words)

Declaration

I, the undersigned, have read, understood and agree
to abide by the Woollahra Small Sculpture Prize
Conditions of Entry. I enclose a cheque/money order
or receipt from PayPal for \$45 inclusive of GST per
work, made payable to Woollahra Council.

Artist signature _____

Artist name _____

Date _____

Please tick if you would like to receive our
e-newsletter.