



## ANGELA VALAMANESH

Angela Valamanesh was born in Port Pirrie, South Austalia in 1953. A graduate of South Australian School of Art in 1977 her practice primarily involves ceramics. In 1993 she completed an MA in Visual Arts at University of South Australia and a PhD in 2011. She was awarded an Anne & Gordon Samstag International Visual Art Scholarship with a one year residency at Glasgow School of Art in 1996.

Her practice has broadened to include a wider range of media and a number of collaborative public works with Hossein Valamanesh such as An Gorta Mor 1999 (The Great Irish Famine Memorial) Hyde Park Barracks, Sydney and 14 pieces, 2005, North Terrace, Adelaide.

Recent works consist of simple forms that make links between plant, human and animal. In 2008 she was the subject of a SALA (South Australian Living Artist) monograph and in 2014 she undertook a six week residency in the Smithsonian Institute Washington DC. A major survey held at Jam Factory in 2019 will tour regional Australian galleries over the next three years, among Valamanesh's inclusion as artist in the 2022 Adelaide Biennial of Australian Art: Free/State.



## **ANGELA VALAMANESH**

Born in Port Pirie, South Australia, 1953. Presently living and working in Adelaide, South Australia

2012 PhD University of South Australia

2010-13 Visual Arts Board Australia Council member

2006 Artist in Residence, Canberra School of Art, Australian National University

2005 Artist in Residence, Sydney Grammar School

2003 Artist in Residence, Bundanon, NSW

2000 Artist in Residence, Jam Factory Ceramics Workshops Adelaide

1997 Glasgow School of Art MFA Program

1992-3 M.A. Visual Arts, University of South Australia 1978 Tenant potter, Jam Factory Workshops, Adelaide 1977 Diploma in Design (Ceramics), S.A. School of Art

## Selected Individual Exhibitions

2021	The Mertinian's Cardon (	Gallery Sally-Dan-Cuthbert, Sydney
ZUZ I	THE MORICIAN'S GARDEN (	Janery Sany-Dan-Chinopen Syoney

2020 Angela & Hossein Valamanesh, GAG Projects Adelaide, Adelaide Festival 2019 Icon exhibition, About being here, Jam Factory Gallery touring exhibition

2018 Turner Galleries Perth, The space between

2017 Greenaway Art Gallery Adelaide

Karen Woodbury Gallery Melbourne

Adelaide University Rare Books & Special Collections, Everybody's Everything:Insect/ Orchid

2015 Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide

SAHMRI foyer, Adelaide

2014 Karen Woodbury Gallery, Melbourne

2013 Breenspace, Sydney

2012 Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide

2011 Earthly garden, GRANTPIRRIE Gallery, Sydney

2010 A little bit of everything, Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide

2009 Greenaway Art Gallery Adelaide

Gallerie Johan S. Helsinki

2008 Turner Galleries, Perth

Natural Histories, Helen Stephens Gallery, Sydney

2007 Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide

2006 Been here and gone, Jam Factory Gallery 2

Miscellaneous Items, Sherman Galleries Showroom

2004 Sherman Galleries, Sydney 2002 Greenaway Art Gallery, Adelaide

About being here, Sherman Galleries, Hargrave, Sydney 2001 1999 National college of Arts, Lahore, Pakistan (Asialink) 1996

In remembrance of things.... Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide

Calculations, Contemporary Art Center, Adelaide

1995 A bowl is a bowl is a bowl....Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide

Birds Have Fled, Installation, University of S.A. Art Museum

1994 Evolution of an Alphabet, Union Gallery, Adelaide

1993 Cuppacumbalong Craft Center, Canberra 1991 Enkyo, Ichinomiya-city, (Nagoya), Japan

1987 Bonython-Meadmore Gallery, Adelaide

1983 Bonython Gallery, Adelaide 1981 Bonython Gallery, Adelaide 1980 Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide



Selected	Group	<b>Exhibitions</b>
----------	-------	--------------------

2022 Free/State, Adelaide Biennial, Adelaide
2022 In Nature, Gallery Sally Dan-Cuthbert, Sydney

2018 Echigo-Tsumari Triennale, Guardian at Australia House

Fremantle Art Center, Sensual Nature

2017 Sydney Contemporary

Dubai Art Fair, UAE

2016 Body of Evidence, Adelaide Convention Centre

2015 CACSA Contemporary 2015

Dubai Art Fair, UAE

2014 The Microscope Project, Flinders University Art Museum

Florabotanica, Adelaide Central School of Art Gallery

2013 Heartlands, contemporary art from South Australia, Art Gallery of SA

Vitrify Alcorso Ceramic Award, Bett Gallery, Hobart

2012 On Collaboration, Breenspace, Sydney
2011 Imagining interiors, Jam Factory, Adelaide

A Verdant Heart, Hawkesbury Regional Gallery

2010 Abstract Nature, Samstag Museum, University of South Australia

Khemia, RiAus, Science Exchange, Adelaide

New New, Contemporary Art Center, Barr Smith Library, Adelaide University

2009 Harvest, Museum of Economic Botany, Adelaide Botanic Gardens

Bravura, 21st Century Australian Craft, Art Gallery of South Australia

2008 Sidney Myer Fund International Ceramics Award, Shepparton Art Gallery

City of Hobart Art Prize 2008

Gold Coast Ceramic Award

2006 Bowl, Khai Liew Design, Adelaide

2005&7 South Australian Ceramics Award, Adelaide Central Gallery

2003 Future Function, Manly Art Gallery & Museum

Ceramics: Australian & New Zealand, Campbelltown City Art Gallery

Still Life, Anna Bibby Gallery, Auckland

2001 International Ceramics 2, Sybaris Gallery, Michigan, USA

Less is more/Less is bore, Brisbane City Gallery

2000 Chemistry - Art in South Australia, 1990-2000, Art Gallery of SA

1980 Art of Craft, travelling exhibition, Art Gallery of S.A.
1978 Pugmill Award exhibition, Jam Factory Gallery, Adelaide

Awards 2020

Australia Council Resilience Fund

Visual Arts Board Australia Council Project Grant
Art Angels Residency and commission Perth
Visual Arts Board Australia Council new work grant

Copyright CREATE fund Artist in residence, Barr Smith Special Collections

2015 SALA SAHMRI Artist in residence

2014 Australia Council Residency, Smithsonian Institute, Washington DC

2011 Arts SA Fellowship

2010 Member of the Order (AM)

2009 SALA Monograph, About being here, Writer Cath Kenneally

2008 Australian Higher Degree by Research Scholarship University of South Australia, PhD

La Trobe University Merit Award, Sidney Myer Ceramics Exhibition

2007 South Australian Ceramic Award

2001 & 2004 Visual Arts Crafts Fund, Australia Council, New Work

2000 & 2002 Arts SA, project grant



1999 City of Hobart Art Prize, Ceramics

1996 Anne & Gordon Samstag International Visual Arts Scholarship

1993 Australian Post Graduate Award Scholarship

1989 Japan/South Australia Cultural Exchange Scheme, travel grant

1982, 88, 95 Australia Council, development grant
1980, 91, 94 S.A. Department for Arts, project grant
1978 Pugmill Award for functional ceramics

## Commissions

2011 Ginkgo Gate, Botanic Gardens of Adelaide, with Hossein Valamanesh

2005 14 Pieces, North Terrace, Adelaide, with H Valamanesh

1997-9 Irish Famine Memorial, Hyde Park Barracks, Sydney, with H Valamanesh

1992-3 Garden of Memories, Pennington, S.A., with H Valamanesh