

Diane Allison

Jeweller



- 1966 Born Hobart, Tasmania.
- 1985 - 87 Bachelor of Arts Degree, University of Tasmania.
- 1992 - Business partner with Patrick Hall in Hallison Studios (formerly PHish Design)
- 1997 - 98 Diploma of Art, Craft and Design, majoring in Jewellery, TAFE Tasmania.
- 1998 - Jewellery design studio established.

Solo Exhibitions

- 2011 *Tender Hooks*, Handmark Gallery, Evandale, Tasmania.
- 2009 *Trace Elements*, Handmark Gallery, Hobart.
- 2005 *Diaspora*, Handmark Gallery, Hobart.
- 2002 *Eve's Tears*, eg etal, Little Collins St, Melbourne.
- 2000 *Love's Debris: Contemporary Jewellery & Objects*, Handmark Gallery.
- 1998 *To Have & To Hold: Contemporary Jewellery*, Handmark Gallery.

Selected Exhibitions

- 2011-12 *Dis-discovery*, Salamanca Arts Centre, Hobart & Devonport, Goulburn & Tamworth Regional Galleries.
- 2010 *Online (fishing)*, Plimsoll Gallery, School of Art, University of Tasmania, Hobart.
- 2009 *Members Exhibition*, Contemporary Art Services Tasmania (CAST), Hobart.
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- 2008 *Fracture*, Tasmanian Museum & Art Gallery, Hobart.
- 2008 *Island of Inspiration: New Jewellery from Tasmania*, Metalab, Sydney.
- 2008 *Red Island: Inspirational Jewellery from Tasmania*, Singapore Fashion Week, Singapore.
- 2007 *Singular & Multiple: New Jewellery from Tasmania*, arts@work, Curiosity Gallery, Singapore.
- 2007 *Singular & Multiple: New Jewellery from Tasmania*, arts@work, Craft Victoria, Melbourne.
- 2007 *Singular & Multiple: New Jewellery from Tasmania*, arts@work, Henry Jones Art Hotel, Hobart
- 2007 *Free Range*, Designed Objects Tasmania (DOT Inc) - Mawson Pavilion, Hobart.
- 2006 *Christmas Collectibles*, Handmark Gallery.
- 2006 *Making Relations*, Contemporary Art Services Tasmania (CAST), Hobart.
- 2005 *Members' Exhibition*, Contemporary Art Services Tasmania (CAST), Hobart.
- 2005 *Australian Silver 2005 - Tasmanian Craft Fair*, Deloraine, Tasmania.
- 2005 *Sculpture Objects Functional Art (SOFA)*, Navy Pier, Chicago, Despard Gallery.
- 2005 *Tasmanian Living Artists Week – Shop Front Trail*, arts@work, Hobart.
- 2005 *Members' Exhibition*, Designed Objects Tasmania (DOT Inc) - Mawson Pavilion, Hobart.
- 2004 *Christmas Collectibles*, Handmark Gallery.
- 2004 *There's An Artist at My Table...*, Domaine A/Stoney Vineyard, Campania, Tasmania.
- 2004 *Contemporary Tasmanian Textiles*, Handmark Gallery.
- 2004 *Design Island – Contemporary Design from Tasmania*, Tasmanian Museum & Art Gallery, Object Gallery.
- 2004 *Design Island – Contemporary Design from Tasmania*, Sydney Opera House, Object Gallery.
- 2003 *Sculpture Objects Functional Art (SOFA)*, Navy Pier, Chicago, Despard Gallery.
- 2003 *Contemporary Jewellery*, Handmark Gallery, Hobart.
- 2002 *Christmas Exhibition*, Handmark Gallery, Hobart.
- 2002 *Members Exhibition*, Contemporary Art Services Tasmania (CAST), Hobart.
- 2002 *Liquid*, Sidespace Gallery, Hobart.
- 2002 *Synergy*, CSIRO Marine Division, Hobart.
- 2001-02 *Contemporary Wearables '01: Award Exhibition of Aust & New Zealand Jewellery*, Toowoomba Regional Art Gallery.
- 2001 *26th Alice Craft Acquisition 2001*, The Araluen Centre, Alice Springs.
- 2001 *21st Anniversary Exhibition*, Handmark Gallery, Hobart.
- 2001 *beyond + a/part*, Long Gallery, Salamanca Arts Centre, Hobart.
- 2000 *Images of Tasmania III*, Long Gallery, Salamanca Arts Centre, Hobart.
- 2000 *Red Hot + Art*, Long Gallery, Salamanca Arts Centre, Hobart.
- 1999 *Images of Tasmania II*, Long Gallery, Salamanca Arts Centre, Hobart.
- 1999 *At Century's End*, City of Clarence Acquisitive Exhibition, Hobart.
- 1998 *Metal Urges An Exhibition of Contemporary Jewellery*, Sidespace Gallery, Hobart.

Commissions

- 2006 State of Tasmania Official Gift for Princess Isabella of Denmark.
- 2002 Sculptural installation, Mt. Faulkner Primary School, Hobart.

Collections

The Clarence Collection: City of Clarence, Hobart, Tasmania.
Represented in various private collections including Australia, UK, USA and Germany.

Lectures/Presentations

- 2004 Guest speaker, *Leading Voices/Young Designers Month*, Hobart.
- 2003 Lecture presentation, Department of Metals, California College of the Arts, San Francisco.

Bibliography

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2007 *The Age*, June 26.
2007 *ABC News*, June 18.
2007 *The Mercury*, May 05.
2007 *Singular & Multiple: New Jewellery from Tasmania*, arts@work, Hobart.
2006 *Object* magazine, # 50
2006 *Making Relations*, Contemporary Art Services Tasmania (CAST), Hobart.
2006 *Tasmania's Creative Minds*, Tourism Tasmania Media Web Site.
2005 *Claiming Ground: 25 Years of Tasmania's Art for Public Buildings Scheme*, Arts Tasmania, Hobart.
2005 *Art Monthly Australia* # 183.
2005 *The Mercury*, August 13
2004 *Design Island: Contemporary Design in Tasmania*
2004 *Art Monthly Australia* # 168.
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2001 *Contemporary Wearables* catalogue
2001 *The Mercury*, February 01
2000 *The Mercury*, December 23
1998 *The Mercury*, December 05