

Kathryn Skelsey - Curriculum Vitae

Art, Illustration & Literature

Qualifications

2006 Bachelor of Fine Arts, (Major - Painting and Drawing)

College of Fine Arts, University of New South Wales

Completed Part-Time. Subjects included Rendering & Illustration, Photoshop, Illustrator.

Final works; "Skull within the Golden Mean", "Brain in a Hyperstereogram".

1984 Higher School Certificate, Aggregate 392/500, Blakehurst High School

Subjects Included: 2 Unit Art (percentile band 91-100), 1 unit Photography (Year 11)

Year 12 Major Work: Illustration & Book Design of "Dot and the Kangaroo" by Ethel C. Pedley

Awards: First in 2 Unit Art, and School Citizenship. Senior Prefect.

1982 School Certificate, Grade One, Extended with Credit, Blakehurst High School

1977 - 1978 Opportunity Class Specialised Education Program, Hurstville Primary School

Commissions, Employment & Experience

2011 Black & white line and colour digital illustrations for the patient education book "*Understanding Your Pituitary Problems*" (2nd ed) and a series of five patient guide booklets explaining diagnostic testing; *The "Is it" series* (eg. Is it Acromegaly ? / Prolactinoma / etc) published by the Australian Pituitary Foundation. Illustrations reproduced in the APF's newsletter "The Pituitary Connection" Dec 2011.

<http://www.pituitary.asn.au>

2011 Colour digital illustrations of pharyngeal surgery for conference presentation, Dr Y Caplash.

2011 B&W line digital diagrammatic illustrations, of knees and levers, for "*The Lift-Off Sign: Further observations on the Lachman test for diagnosis of anterior cruciate ligament rupture*", South African Orthopaedic Journal, 2012, 11(2): 65-67, JF Gordon, PJH Sloper, JTK Melton and MJ Cross.

2008 Exercise handout illustrations & graphic design - *Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Exercises*, Physiotherapy Dept, Sydney Children's Hospital, Randwick.

2008 Veterinary promotional illustrations, galloping horse skeleton for *Equine Pharmaceutical Products (Glyde, Zydax)*, Parnell.

2008 Voluntary experience and contribution to various projects, Medical Illustration Unit, University of NSW Faculty of Medicine and Teaching Hospitals, Prince of Wales Hospital.

2006-2009 Voluntary assistance to exhibitions at the Sydney Children's Hospital Art Space, Sydney Children's Hospital Foundation <http://schf.org.au/content/ArtsProgram.aspx>

2005 Medical Illustration - '*Endometriosis and Other Pelvic Pain*', Dr Susan Evans, Lothian Books, Melbourne, www.drSusanEvans.com. Entry of illustrations to New York Society of Illustrators 48th Annual Exhibition.

2000-2001 Mural and Pavement Painting

- *Meditation Mural*, Courtyard, Mental Health Unit, St George Hospital, Kogarah, Sydney

- *Federation Wall*, Princes Highway, Carss Park

- *Oatley Commemorative Walk*, Centenary of Federation Project, Kogarah Council

with Peter Day Murals <http://www.environmentalartanddesign.com.au/murals.htm>

2000-2001 Mural Painting

- *Antarctic and Artic Mural*, Treatment Room, Faithful Ward, The New Children's Hospital, Westmead, Sydney, with Courtney Monk Studios;

<http://www.courtneymonkstudios.com.au/index.php?section=paint&subsect=int#footer>

1997 Use of Australian Physiotherapy Association (APA) NSW Bulletin cover design by Nowra Physiotherapy Clinic

1995-1996 Illustration of APA NSW Bulletin, Annual Report & Conference Program covers & contents

1996 Co-ordination of design of APF Poster

1988 Tshirt Design, BJ TShirts Company

1983 Children's Christmas portrait photography, Roselands Shopping Centre.

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Solo Exhibitions

2009 April *"Body Language: Human Form, Messages and Meaning"* - Dragon's Lair Gallery, Hurstville City Council Museum and Gallery. <http://www.kathrynskelsey.com/events/past/pe.html>

2009 June *"Body Language"* selected life drawings - Bar Amalfi, Ramsgate.

Group Exhibitions and Competitions

2011 *Royal Easter Show Art Exhibition*, Royal Agricultural Society. Entry to drawing, painting photography and miniature categories <http://www.sydneyroyal.com.au/artsandcrafts.htm>

2009 Dec - 2010 Jan *Hospital's Got Talent*, Sydney Children's Hospital Art Space, Sydney Children's Hospital Foundation <http://schf.org.au/content/Arts%20Program.aspx>

2008 *Winter Collaborative Exhibition, Life Drawing and the Human Form*. Fairview ArtSpace, Mudgee. <http://www.fairviewartspace.com>

2006 *CoFA06 Annual*, College of Fine Arts, Sydney <http://showcase.cofa.unsw.edu.au/annual06>

1998 *Origins*, Curator & exhibitor in COFA student exhibition, Arthaus Gallery, Newtown. Supported by CoFA Student's Union Grant.

1990-94 Exhibition of watercolour paintings and drawings at various art galleries and shows (including life drawing work sold at Royal Agricultural Society Easter Show Art Exhibition).

Collections

Private collections

Publication Experience

1999-2005 Editor of the patient support newsletter *"The Pituitary Connection"* (Issues 13 to 33), Australian Pituitary Foundation Ltd (APF).

<http://www.pituitary.asn.au/AbouttheAPF/OurVolunteers/tabid/72/Default.aspx>

1998 University of Wollongong magazine contributor.

1996 Designer of poster and stationery for the Australian Pituitary Foundation Ltd.

1995 Illustration of patient-education brochures, newsletters and posters at StGeorge Public Hospital.

1994-99 Sub-Editor of Australian Physiotherapy Association (APA) NSW Bulletin.

1986-88 Editor and Layout Artist of *Corpus Callosum* (CCHS Student's Union magazine).

1983-84 Editorial Board Member & Illustrator of High School Yearbook & Yr12 Magazine.

1980-92 Designer of posters and promotional material for local churches and organisations.

Book and Thesis Editing Experience

2010 *"Conversation Made Easy"* and autobiography - Pat Woodley

2010 Medical Honours Thesis: *"Long Term Effects of Metabolic Rehabilitation in Obese Adults with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus"* - Johnson J Zang

2000, Thesis: *"Craving Closeness – Mothering Within the Rules"* - Prof Jennifer Fenwick

<http://datasearch2.uts.edu.au/nmh/staff/details.cfm?StaffId=7913>

2000 Book: *"Gratitude"* - Dr George Wilson

1999 Book: *"Guide to Chinese Herbal Medicine"*

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Website Development & Online Community Activity

2012 Hollywood Antiques <http://www.hollywoodantiques.com>
2012 City2Surf fundraising <http://www.city2surf.kathrynskelsey.com>
2011 GH4Oz - Advocacy for the PBS funding of growth hormone medication for adults with diagnosed GH Deficiency. <http://gh4oz.wordpress.com>
2009 Facebook group and page for Australian Pituitary Foundation. <http://www.facebook.com/APFpage>
<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=233843000631> Ongoing moderation.
Moderation of member's Discussion Forum on APF website. <http://www.pituitary.asn.au>
2008 Kathryn Skelsey & HealthArt Illustration <http://www.kathrynskelsey.com> <http://healthart.com.au>
2005 23Terry St <http://www.23terryst.net> (no longer current) Community information and advocacy website to oppose Child Care Centre development construction in Terry Street
1995-2004 Setup of Australian Pituitary Foundation <http://www.pituitary.asn.au> in collaboration with various web designers. Setup of yahoo APF members and committee groups.

Online Presence

<http://www.kathrynskelsey.com>
<http://www.myspace.com/kathrynskelsey>
<http://au.linkedin.com/in/kathrynskelsey>

Bibliography

Stechiowskyj, Mark, "Career Paths: When Art and Science Meet", In Motion (Australian Physiotherapy Association professional magazine) September 2011, p35.

Galinovic, Maria, "Artist Exhibits Her Body of Work", St George and Sutherland Shire Leader, 7th April 2009.

Awards

1985 First, Cumberland College of Health Sciences Logo Design Competition

Continuing Education - Art

2012 Various workshops on Rice Paper Printing, Digital Chinese Painting, Xie Yi Painting, Australian Chinese Painting Society
2012 Cartoonists and Illustrator's Computer Seminar, Australian Cartooning Association
2012 Various workshops on Flickr, Expressive Portrait Drawing, Silk Painting, Acrylics, Drawing with Charcoal Mixed Media, Faces in Foil Paper and Paint, Festive Decorations, Hurstville City Council Library Museum and Gallery
2009 PMA Imaging Technology Convention, Photo Marketing Association, Sydney
2007 Black & White Scientific Illustration, Royal Botanic Gardens, Sydney
2007 Cartooning, St George & Sutherland Community College
2006 Applying for Grants, Australia Council
2006 New Constellations: Art, Science and Society, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney
2006 Drypoint Etching, Billy Blue College of Design & AGDA
2005 Drawing Connections III, Sydney Drawing Festival 2005, International Drawing Research Institute

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2005 *Reframing Health: Practices of Art and Humanities in Education, Health, Communities and Environments*, School of Fine Art University of Newcastle, Association of Medical Humanities

2005 *Art Marketing*, School of Colour and Design Australia

2005 *Painting Towards Abstraction*, National Art School

2004 *Professional Presentation*, College of Fine Arts Short Course Program

2004 *Digital Imaging in Photography*, College of Fine Arts Short Course Program

1997 *Freelance Cartooning and Illustration*, Australian College of Journalism

1996 *Children's Book Illustration and Design, Children's Book Writing*, University of Sydney

1995 *Graphic Design*, WEA Sydney

1991 *International Arts Conference*, Holland

1984-95 *Watercolour Painting, Paint Finishes & Effects* (University of Sydney), *Silk Screening* (Esther Faerber), *Life Drawing* (Julian Ashton Art School classes), various Art Gallery Society of NSW lectures and workshops.

Continuing Education - Administration, Business & Communication

2012 Organising Australia, Staff Utilisation & Calculating a Charge Out Rate, The 5 Non-Negotiables of Sales, Making Sure Your Customer Pays and Pays on Time, Business Planning and Implementation, Staff Planning and Teamwork, How to Motivate People at Work, Physiotherapy Business Growth.

2011 Blogging for Business, Introduction to Social Media Marketing, Private Practice Essentials.

2009 How To Get Your Book Published, Writing Your Family History, Social Enterprise

2004 Managing Multiple Projects Objectives and Deadlines, Developing Funds and Resources, Creative Volunteering Program.

2003 Management Skills, Event Management.

2001 Small Business and Office Management, Access 97, Excel 97.

2000 TypeQuick, Editing and Proofreading.

Pre 2000 Communication, Leadership, Teaching.

Associations

Current Member;

ArtsHub <http://au.artshub.com>

Illustrators Australia <http://www.illustratorsaustralia.com/>

National Association for the Visual Arts <http://www.visualarts.net.au/>

Australian Chinese Painting Society <http://cajo.com.au/ACPC>

Previous Member;

Australian Graphic Design Association <http://www.agda.com.au>

Art Gallery Society of NSW <http://www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/members>

NSW Writer's Centre <http://nswwc.org.au/>

NSW Society of Editors <http://www.editorsnsw.com/> (listed as 'HealthArt Editing' in 1988NSWSE Editorial Register)

Subscriptions

Art Almanac <http://www.art-almanac.com.au/>

Art Monthly <http://www.artmonthly.org.au/>

Computer Arts <http://www.computerarts.co.uk/>

Australian Writers Centre <http://www.writerscentre.com.au/>