

Simon O’Carrigan

(b. 1985 Bendigo, lives Melbourne)

Education

- 2007 B.F.A. (Hons), Monash University, Caulfield, Melbourne
- 2006 B.F.A. (Painting), Victorian College of The Arts, Melbourne

Solo Exhibitions

- 2011 *Down To The Well*, Daine Singer Gallery, Melbourne
- 2010 *Persistence of Vision — Part Two*, Blindside Artist Run Initiative, Melbourne
The Bear Cycle, Melbourne Propaganda Window, Melbourne
Persistence of Vision — Part One, C3 Contemporary Art Space, Abbotsford
- 2009 *The Bear Cycle*, Seventh Gallery, Fitzroy
Terminal, Platform Artists’ Group, Melbourne
The Petrol Can Rider, Bus Gallery, Melbourne
- 2008 *Somnambulist*, Victoria Park Gallery, Abbotsford
The Drowned World, Shifted Gallery, Richmond
- 2007 *Elisions*, Runt Gallery, Caulfield

Group Exhibitions

- 2012 *Silence*, 100th Gallery, South Yarra (Curated by Matteo Rubbettino)
- 2011 *Disappearance*, Kings Artist Run, Melbourne (Curated by Simon O’Carrigan)
Basic Instinct, Karen Woodbury Gallery, Richmond
- 2010 *Exquisite Palette*, St Luke Artist Colourmen, Collingwood
- 2009 *City of Hobart Art Prize*, Tasmanian Museum & Art Gallery, Hobart

- Small Worlds*, Singapore (Various venues) (Curated by Jacqueline Felstead)
- Off The Wall Emerging Artist Showcase*, Art Melbourne '09, Carlton
- CCP Kodak Salon*, Centre for Contemporary Photography, Fitzroy
- 2008 *Melbourne, And Other Myths*, City Museum, Melbourne
- Painting '08*, Brunswick Street Gallery, Fitzroy
- 2007 *The Bigger Picture*, Monash University, Caulfield
- Hatched '07*, Perth Institute of Contemporary Arts, Perth
- Proud*, VCA Margaret Lawrence Galleries, Southbank
- 2006 *People and Places*, Mad Gallery, Lancefield
- Proud*, VCA Margaret Lawrence Galleries, Southbank
- 2005 *The Self Portrait Show*, Artholes Gallery, Fitzroy
- Proud*, VCA Margaret Lawrence Galleries, Southbank
- Painters and Rockers*, Victorian College of the Arts, Southbank
- Slips of the Mind*, Victorian College of the Arts, Southbank

Commissions

- 2009 *Knife*, Animated music video
- 2008 *Be Famous & Die*, Animation for City Museum / Martyn Pedler / Tape Projects

Screenings

- 2011 *Take One*, Channel 31, Melbourne
- 2010 *MUFF (Melbourne Underground Film Festival)*, 1000£ Bend, Melbourne
- Revelation Film Festival*, The Astor Theatre, Mt Lawley
- AUSthetic*, Federation Square, Melbourne

- The St Kilda Film Festival*, Palace George Cinemas, St Kilda
- Melbourne International Animation Festival*, ACMI, Melbourne
- Australian International Animation Festival*, Forum 6 Cinemas, Wagga Wagga
- The Animation Club*, Channel 31, Melbourne
- 2009 *Australian International Animation Festival (AIAF)*, Mercury Cinema, Adelaide
- AIAF*, Civic Playhouse, Newcastle
- AIAF*, Latrobe University Visual Arts Centre, Bendigo
- Electric Shorts (Melbourne Fringe Festival)*, Loop Bar & Cinema, Melbourne
- Sydney International Animation Festival*, UTS University Hall Cinema, Sydney
- Melbourne International Animation Festival*, ACMI, Melbourne
- 2008 *Brisbane International Animation Festival*, State Library of Queensland, Brisbane
- Canberra Short Film Festival*, Dendy Cinemas, Canberra
- Electrofringe*, curated by Tape Projects, Civic Playhouse, Newcastle
- DVD Zine #04*, curated by Tape Projects, launched in Carlton
- 2007 *Tape Projects*, curated by Tape Projects, Taiwan
- 123 TV*, Channel 31, Melbourne
- 2006 *DVD Zine #03*, curated by Tape Projects, launched in Melbourne
- 2005 *123 TV*, Channel 31, Melbourne
- 24seven*, Glitch Bar, North Fitzroy
- Kiss My ... After Effects*, Public video projections, Carlton & Fitzroy

Published Texts

- 2011 (*ongoing articles*), Figure Ground Zine, <<http://figuregroundzine.wordpress.com>>

2009 *Flipbook / Lockgroove (review)*, Un Magazine, vol 3.1, Melbourne

Bibliography

Din Heagney, 'Down To The Well' (catalogue essay), *Down To The Well* at Daine Singer Melbourne, 13-29 October 2011

'Simon O'Carrigan – The Petrol Can Rider', *Ozanimate*, <<http://www.ozanimate.com/?p=712>>, 9 July 2010

'Kafka Inspires Hand-drawn Film', (video interview), *ABC Arts Online*, 6 July 2010, <<http://www.abc.net.au/arts/stories/s2946353.htm>>

'Jump Cut', *3CR 855am Community Radio*, 9 July 2009.

'The Conversation Hour: Drawing You In', *ABC 774am Local Melbourne Radio*, 17 June 2009.

Patrick Collins, 'The Petrol Can Rider by Simon O'Carrigan', *Three Thousand*, Melbourne (online), <<http://www.threethousand.com.au>>, 24 June 2009

'Animated Discussion on Fame and Misfortune Gets Screen Test', *MX*, Melbourne, 22 June 2009

Rohan Trollope, 'The Weekend Starts Here (Art)', *The Age*, Melbourne, 11 July 2008

'Not Drowning, Animating', *MX*, Melbourne, 2 July 2008

Max Olijnyk, 'Melbourne, And Other Myths', *Three Thousand*, Melbourne (online), <<http://www.threethousand.com.au>>, 2 April 2008

Adrian Elmer, 'Tape Projects', *Cyclic Defrost*, Melbourne (online), Issue 18, 2007

'Art Acclaim Builds from Trickle to a Flood', *Blue Mountains Gazette*, Katoomba, 19 September 2007

Awards, Grants, Residencies

2011 *NAVA Janet Holmes A Court Artists Grant*

2010 *City Of Melbourne Young Artists' Grant*

City of Yarra Young Artists' Grant

2009 *CCP Kodak Salon, Most Innovative Use of Photomedia*

2008 *City Of Melbourne Arts Grant Program*

2006 *NAVA Ignition Prize*