TRICIA REUST was born in Sydney, NSW, Australia. She attended the Newcastle Art School for over two years, holds a Basic Art Certificate from the Art Instruction School in Minnesota, USA, and is a graduate with Distinction from the Open College of the Arts, Queensland.

Tricia represented parents in education for over twenty-five years, including serving as a board member on the Queensland Schools Curriculum Council, the Queensland Studies Authority and the Non-State Schools Accreditation Board. She was awarded the Centennary Medal for Service to Education and the Arts in 2003.

Tricia exhibits regularly in regional shows and competitions, since moving to Queensland from Michigan in 1987. She is active in the art community, coordinated the Redcliffe Regional Youth Art Awards with artist and friend John Robinson, 1997-2007, and was the inaugural Chair of the Scarborough Fair Arts Association Inc. Tricia teaches, and presents workshops throughout Australia and overseas.

Memberships: the Portrait Society of America; Master Pastellist with the Pastel Society of Australia (PSA) Inc.; Artists in Redcliffe; Redcliffe Art Society; Royal Queensland Art Society; Visionaries; and the Moreton Bay Arts Council.

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AWARDS and achievements include:

2107 Article published May issue Australian Artist

Accepted Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

2nd Place Overall RAS Exhibition of Excellence Redcliffe City Art Gallery Mayor's Choice Award RAS Exhibition of Excellence Redcliffe City Art Gallery 2nd Figure/Portrait RAS Exhibition of Excellence Redcliffe City Art Gallery Highly Commended (HC) RAS Exhibition of Excellence Redcliffe City Art Gallery Accepted COSSAG "We Are One" Brisbane

2016 "Landscape as Story" eBook Published Balboa Press

Published "Incite 4 – Relax. Restore. Renew. The Best of Mixed Media" North Light Books

Published Art Edit magazine – January edition

Accepted Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Invited 15 Artists Exhibition 2016 Redcliffe City Art Gallery

1st Place Overall, Redcliffe Art Society Exhibition of Excellence

1st Portrait, South Coast Pastel National Awards

Runner up, PSA membership awards

Peoples' Choice, and Commended, Portrait, PSA Annual Awards

Accepted Rotary Art Spectacular Brisbane

2015 Published "Incite 3 – The Art of Storytelling. The Best of Mixed Media" North Light Books

Published "Luminous Colour – Showcasing Australian Pastel Artists"

Accepted, Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Accepted, Rotary Art Spectacular, Brisbane

Finalist, Waltzing Matilda Outback Show, Winton

1st Works on Paper, Emerald Art Gallery

1st Painting. UC Redcliffe Art Acts

2nd Landscape Pastel Society of Australia Annual Awards

Peoples' Choice Award COSSAG Brisbane

2014 Published "Incite 2 – Colour Passions. The Best of Mixed Media" North Light

Books

Mayor's Award RAS Exhibition of Excellence, Redcliffe

Accepted, Stanthorpe Art Festival 2014

Finalist, arc Yinnar National Drawing Competition

Finalist, Waltzing Matilda Outback Show, Winton

Accepted RQAS Figurative Competition

Accepted, Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Accepted, Rotary Art Spectacular, Brisbane

1st Portrait, Pastel Society Australia Annual Awards, Brisbane

1st Drawing, Sarina

2nd Portrait, Cloncurry

HC Works on Paper, Emerald

HC Portrait, Sarina

HC Contemporary, Nanango

C Contemporary, RAS Exhibition of Excellence

2013 1st Mixed Media, Woodford

1st Contemporary, Nanango

Published "Incite 1 - Dreams Realized: the Best of Mixed Media" Northlight Books

Finalist, Waltzing Matilda Outback Show, Winton

Accepted, Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

2nd Easel Based Works, Emerald

Accepted, Stanthorpe Art Festival 2013

HC Drawing, Brisbane EKKA

HC Drawing, Bowen

HC Acrylic, Woolgoolga

2012 Best in Show Mortimore National Art Prize

Accepted Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Finalist arc Yinnar National Drawing Prize

Published article "Australian Artist" magazine April Issue

TV Episode www.colourinyourlife.com

1st Works on Paper, Emerald Art Gallery

1st Landscape, Cloncurry

1st Portrait, Arts Alliance of Pine Rivers

1st Pastel, Sarina

1st Portrait, Maryborough

1st Miniature, Maryborough

1st Miniature, Bowen

3rd Waltzing Matilda Outback Art Show, Winton

1st Miniature, Aspects Art Show Goondiwindi

Therese Whiting Award, RASart Excellence Awards, Redcliffe

Demonstrated Mixed Media at Art Expo Brisbane Convention Centre

HC Art Unlimited, Dunedoo

HC Portrait, Sarina

Commended (C) Easter Art Competition, Ashgrove

Accepted, Gainsborough Greens Art Prize

2011 Two works selected Mortimore National Art Prize

Best in Show Arts Alliance of Pine Rivers

Accepted, Stanthorpe Art Festival 2011

1st Human Form, Bowen

1st Landscape, Kenilworth

1st Drawing, Nambucca Valley Arts Festival

1st Portrait, Cloncurry

1st Drawing, Cloncurry

1st Pastel, Arts Alliance of Pine Rivers

1st Mixed Media, RASart Excellence Awards, Redcliffe

1st Human Form, Goondiwindi Aspects Show

1st Landscape, Moore Park Beach

1st Still Life, Mary Valley Art Festival

2nd Pastel, Arts Alliance of Pine Rivers

2nd Mixed Media, Arts Alliance of Pine Rivers

Rainbow Framing Encouragement Award, King's College

HC Contemporary, Nanart Festival, Nanango

HC Drawing, Moore Park Beach

C Portrait, Maryborough

Accepted, Gainsborough Greens Art Prize

2010 Selected, Mortimore Art Prize, Small Works

Accepted, Moreton Bay Art Awards

1st Pastel EKKA

1st Still Life, Roma

1st Drawing, Bowen

1st Works on Paper, Bribie Island Matthew Flinders Awards

1st Pastels, Arts Alliance of Pine Rivers

Best of Show (shared) Anglican Awards, Redcliffe

1st Human Form Anglican Awards Redcliffe

2nd Portrait, Laidley

3rd Waltzing Matilda Outback Art Show, Winton

HC Painting, Nanart Festival, Nanango

HC Drawing, RASGO National Competition, Redcliffe

HC Pastel, RASart Exhibition of Excellence

HC Overall, Moore Park Beach

HC Landscape, Moore Park Beach

HC Pastel, Burdekin

C PSA Winter Competition

2009 Demonstrated portraiture 8th International Associations of Pastel Societies

Convention, in Albuquerque, New Mexico

Accepted Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Published article "Australian Artist" Magazine February Issue

Published article "Artists' Palette" magazine Issue #73

Awarded Portrait Commission Qld Nurses' Union (Gay Hawksworth)

1st Hear Me Roar, Zonta Queensland

1st Easel Based Works. Emerald Art Gallery

1st Drawing, Cloncurry

1st Portrait, Maryborough

1st Miniature, Coff's Harbour

2nd Portrait, Laidley

2nd Drawing, Roma

2nd Miniature, Maleny

John Jeffery Award Pastel Society of Australia

Mayor's Choice Award RASart Exhibition of Excellence

HC Pastel Society Australia Winter Competition

HC Miniature, Laidley

HC Still Life, Kenilworth

HC Still Life, Woodford

HC Oil, RAS Members' Exhibition

HC Oil, RASart Exhibition of Excellence

C Miniature, Sarina

C PSA Annual Awards

2008 1st Drawing, Cloncurry

1st Works on Paper, Wandal Heights

2nd Works on Canvas, Wandal Heights

1st Acrylic, Middle Park

2nd Mixed Media, Middle Park

Accepted Pine Rivers Art Award

HC Pastel, Laidley

HC d'arcy Doyle Art Awards (pastel portrait)

HC Miniature, Laidley

C Miniature Capricorn Coast Art Festival

C Pastels, Sarina

2007 3rd Portrait (Pastel), Cloncurry

2nd Miniature, Bowen

Published article "Australian Artist" Magazine August Issue

Published article "Artists' Palette" Magazine April Issue 49

Commissioned to create Sensory Wall, Our lady of the Way, Petrie

HC Pastel, Coff's Harbour

HC Miniature, Sarina

HC Pastel, Sarina

HC Faith in Life, Nambour

2006 Runner Up, Pastellist of the Year, Pastel Society of Australia

1st Portrait, Maryborough

1st Mixed Media, Sarina

Special Commendation, Godfest (pastel) Taree, NSW

1st Pastel, Gin Gin

3rd Portrait, Cloncurry

HC Mixed Media, Gin Gin

HC Portrait, Laidley

2005 Pastellist of the Year, the Pastel Society of Australia

Best of Show, Aust. Soc. Miniature Art (pencil portrait)

1st Contemporary (pastel on mixed) EKKA (Royal Brisbane Show)

2nd People's Choice, Student/Teacher Exhibition - Seaside Artists' Gallery

1st Mixed Media, Maryborough

1st Real Life Human Form, Goondiwindi (pastel)

HC Miniature Hervey Bay

HC Pastel Laidley

Commissioned by Qld Catholic Education Commission – Research Project artwork.

C Drawing (charcoal and mixed) Port Macquarie

2004 Awarded the commission for the portrait of Redcliffe Mayor

Pastel Society of Australia – Incentive Award for 2004

1st Drawing (charcoal) Goondiwindi

1st Drawing (charcoal) Gin Gin

Champion Local Artist and Reserve Champion, (pastel portrait) Redcliffe Show

HC Drawing (charcoal) Maryborough, and Portrait (pastel) Hervey Bay

C Drawing (charcoal) Port Macquarie

2003 1st Drawing (charcoal/conte portrait) EKKA (Royal Brisbane Show)

1st Portrait (pastel) Cooloola Arts Society, Gympie

1st Drawing (charcoal portrait) Woodford

1st Drawing (charcoal) Cloncurry

HC (pastel over acrylic) St Mary's, Maryborough, Bowen (pastel) and Gatton in Drawing (portrait)

C, Portrait (pastel) Maryborough, and Capricorn Coast in Drawing (portrait)

2002 Commissioned by Redcliffe and Districts Woodcraft Workers for drawings

Comm. for Book Cover - History of the Fed. P&F Qld

1st Drawing (charcoal) and 2nd Portrait (pastel), Cloncurry

1st Portrait (pastel), Sarina

1st Miniature (pastel), Hervey Bay

2nd Beryl Johnston Memorial Award (pastel), Maleny

2nd Drawing and Highly Commended (HC) Miniature, Bowen

HC Portrait (acrylic), Caloundra, Laidley in Miniature (mixed media) and Burdekin in Drawing (pastel)

2001 Comm. by Redcliffe City Council to contribute to Museum Opening

Comm. by Southern Cross Catholic College for Mission Statement Artwork

Work published in Pastel Artist International Magazine Jan/Feb

Rev Bro L Hopgood Encouragement Award (pastel), Maryborough

1st Miniature (acrylic), Kenilworth

HC and C Pastel, Sarina

HC Open (mixed media), Laidley

C Miniature (mixed media), Bowen

2000 Comm. by Red. City Council to produce work for the Olympic Torch Relay

1st Ergon Energy Award (acrylic), Maryborough

1st Portrait (pastel), Capricorn Coast

1st Westpac Miniature Award (mixed media), Bowen

2nd Waltzing Matilda Art Show (pastel), Winton

HC Drawing (charcoal), Maryborough, Kenilworth in Miniature (mixed media) and Bundaberg in Drawing (charcoal)

HC Portrait and C Drawing RAS Members Exhibition

1999 Commissioned by Girl Guides Clontarf for the mural on their hut

1st Drawing and 1st Pastel, Cooloola Art Society Awards

2nd Drawing (charcoal), Hervey Bay

3rd Godfest National Art Awards (pastel), Taree, NSW

1998 Contracted by Red. Historical Society for "Women and Work Project"

Mayor's Award and People's Choice Award (pastel), RAS Members Exhibition 1st Classical Nude (pastel), Sarina

HC Beryl Johnston Memorial Award (mixed media), Maleny, and Woodford in Portrait (pastel)

1997 Mayor's Award (pastel), RAS Members Exhibition

HC Pastel, Redcliffe Anglican Arts Festival

HC Pastel, Sunshine Coast Art Group

1995 1st Drawing (pencil), Pine Rivers

HC Maleny, HC Maroochydore and HC Caboolture - all pastel

1990 C Section 8, Redcliffe Spring Art Contest

1988 HC Sections 8&9, Redcliffe Spring Art Contest

EXHIBITIONS include:

2017 My Country – Moreton Bay Arts Council

Too Close To Call! – Pine Rivers Regional Art Gallery

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

RASart Exhibition of Excellence Redcliffe Art Gallery

Nearly Famous – Moreton Bay Arts Council

We Are One – COSSAG Brisbane

2016 St Vincent's Private Hospital Brisbane – ongoing over 2 dozen works in the

Residential and Dining Room

15 Artists, Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

"Light as Air" with AIR –Aspire Gallery Paddington Qld

My Country – Moreton Bay Arts Council

AIR "Colours" – Redcliffe Old Fire Station Gallery

RQAS Studio Showcase Exhibition, Petrie Terrace, Brisbane

Visionaries, Australian Catholic University, Banjo

RQAS Drawing Awards, Petrie Terrace, Brisbane

Rotary Art Spectacular Brisbane

Art Fair, Hillier Skuse Gallery Bundall

RAS Members Redcliffe City Art Gallery

2015 RAS Members Redcliffe City Art Gallery

In the Eye of the Beholder – Moreton Bay Arts Council

AIR – St Vincent's Private Hospital, Brisbane

Visionaries, Australian Catholic University, Banjo

RQAS Easter Exhibition

AIR on Fire – Redcliffe Old Fire Station Gallery

Rotary Art Spectacular, Brisbane

Outback Art Show, Winton

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

RQAS Members Exhibition, Petrie Terrace Gallery, Brisbane

Rotary Signatures Exhibition, Samford

Soroptimists Exhibition, Mt. Coot-ha, Brisbane

Colour My Country, Moreton Bay Arts Council

Flights of Fancy, Pine Rivers Regional Gallery

Stanthorpe Art Festival 2014

RQAS National Figurative Competition, Petrie Terrace Gallery, Brisbane

Deck the Walls, Petrie Terrace Gallery, Brisbane

Florals, Tosari Galleries, Toowoomba

Solo, Reception Floor, St Vincent's Private Hospital, Brisbane

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Outback Art Show, Winton

Colour My Country, Moreton Bay Arts Council

PSA Annual Awards, Petrie Terrace Gallery, Brisbane

Exhibition of Excellence, RAS, Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Outside In, St Vincent's Private Hospital, Brisbane

2013 Coalescence (Solo) Pine Rivers Regional Art Gallery

Outback Art Show, Winton

Stanthorpe Art Festival 2013

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Light as AIR – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Queensland Flying Arts Regional Exhibition

Moreton Bay Arts Council - Sails on Suttons, Redcliffe

Redcliffe Excellence in Art – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

PSA "Animalia" Mt Coot-ha, Brisbane

Advent Art Exhibition, Brookfield Spirituality Centre

Soroptimists Art Exhibition, Brisbane

2012 Arc Yinnar National Drawing Prize

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Window Exhibition, Pine Rivers Regional Art Gallery

Mortimore Art Prize National Exhibition

RAS Exhibition of Excellence – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Stanthorpe Art Prize – Stanthorpe Regional Art Gallery

Across the Threshold – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

A Second Chance – Firhill St, Ashgrove

A Window Opens – COSSAG Brisbane

Rotary Spectacular – Brisbane Riverside Centre

Moreton Bay Region Art Awards – Pine Rivers Regional Art Gallery

2011 Mortimore Prize National Exhibition

RASart Exhibition of Excellence, Redcliffe Art Gallery

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Still Life, Real Life – Pine Rivers Art Gallery

Fresh AIR – Redcliffe Art Gallery Foyer

Moreton Bay Arts Council Exhibition – Redcliffe Cultural Centre

CathARTic – Brisbane

Cultiva – Martin Galleries, Nundah

The First Fifty RAS – Stagedoor Gallery, Redcliffe Cultural Centre

Moreton Bay Region Art Awards – Pine Rivers Regional Art Gallery

From the heart – Riverside Centre, Brisbane

2010 Mortimore Prize National Exhibition

Journeys – Artists In Redcliffe, Graydon Gallery, New Farm

Earth Wind Fire & Water – Studio 56 and Redcliffe Potters, RAG Foyer

Small Works – Studio 56 Art Gallery, Redcliffe

Pastel Society Australia - Winter Competition, ACU, Brisbane

Rotary Senses -Brisbane Cultural Centre

RASGO National Competition – Golden Ox, Redcliffe

Reviewing the Stories – Visionaries, ACU, Brisbane

Cycle of Life – COSSAG, St Stephens Cathedral, Brisbane

Moreton Bay Region Art Awards – Pine Rivers Art Gallery

How Artists See People – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Psalms and Wisdom – Visionaries, St Andrews Uniting Church, Brisbane

Exhibition 2009 – **Solo**, Royal Qld Art Society, Brisbane 2009

Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition

Tutors/Demonstrators Expo IAPS New Mexico

I Am – Womens' Legal Service, Studio 13, Brisbane

Hear Me Roar – Zonta, Sails Restaurant, Redcliffe

Studio 56 and Redcliffe Potters – Redcliffe City Art Gallery Foyer

PSA – Winter Competition, Martin Galleries Nundah

Crux – Aust. Catholic University, Banyo and Mueller College, Rothwell

RAS Members' Exhibition – Stage Door Gallery, Redcliffe

The Human Figure – Martin Galleries, Nundah, Old.

Stations of the Cross – Visionaries, TUC Townsville

Face Value – Martin Galleries, Nundah Qld.

RASart Exhibition of Excellence, Redcliffe City Art Gallery

2008 **Bald Archy National Touring Exhibition**

Stations of the Cross – St John's Anglican Cathedral Brisbane

Hidden Spaces Secret Places – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Lines of Colour 2 – Graydon Gallery, New Farm

Rejoice - (Visionaries) Australian Cath. Uni, Banyo Campus

Pastel Society Australia – Graydon Gallery, New Farm

Redcliffe Potters and Friends – Redcliffe Art Gallery Foyer

2007 Go Wild – Redcliffe City Art Gallery

Artist of the Month – Seaside Artists Gallery

Water – (Visionaries) FA17Gallery, Aust.Cath.Uni, Banyo Campus

Lines of Colour – Graydon Gallery, New Farm

Little Gems – Watercolour Society Queensland, Nundah

A Florentine Affair – **Solo**, Waterlily Restaurant, Margate

Pastel Society Australia, Graydon Gallery, New Farm

Bald Archy Traveling Regional Galleries Exhibition

2006 Pastel Society Australia, Impressions Gallery, South Bank

15 Artists, Redcliffe City Art Gallery

ARTchose, Seaside Artists Gallery

All That Glitters (AIR Group), Stage Door Gallery, Redcliffe City

Pastel Perspective (Pastel Society Australia) Arts Factory, Brisbane

Bald Archy, NSW Regional Galleries Traveling Exhibition

2005	Featured Artist – Solo Exhibition, Seaside Artists Gallery, Kippa Ring Aust. Society Miniature Art, Gold Coast Art Gallery (annually since 1998)
	Creating Our Own Space (AIR Group), Stage Door Gallery, Redcliffe City Student/Teacher Exhibition, Seaside Artists' Gallery, Kippa Ring
	Pastel Perspective (Pastel Society Australia) Watling Galleries, Brisbane
	Art Nooks Gallery – Solo Exhibition, Deception Bay
2004	Recent Works – Solo Exhibition, Seaside Artists Gallery, Kippa Ring
	Pastel Society Australia, Bruce Watling Gallery, Brisbane
	Mainly Portraits – Solo Exhibition, Stage Door Gallery, Redcliffe City
2003	Beyond the Cliché, Redcliffe Arts and Life Festival, Stage Door Gallery
	Featured Artist - Solo Exhibition, Scarb. Fair Art Gallery
	Bald Archy, NSW Regional Galleries Traveling Exhibition (& 02, 01)
2002	Flying Arts Traveling Exhibition - DPI Art Awards
	Shirley Hannon Portrait Awards, Bega Regional Gallery
	"Paper & String", Redcliffe City Regional Gallery
2001	Fisher's Ghost Art Award, Campbelltown City Bicent. Art Gallery, NSW
	The Nude In Art - Solo Exhibition, Scarborough Fair Art Gallery
2001 & '00	Archibelle Portrait Exhibition, Charles Ginn Gallery, Paddington Qld.
1999	People And Places In Pastel - jointly with Jill King, Scarb Fair Art Gallery
	15 Artists Exhibition - Redcliffe City Council - by invitation
1996	Tricia's Been Busy - Solo Exhibition, Scarborough Fair Art Gallery
	Joint Exhibition, Metro Arts Gallery, Brisbane
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Regularly sends work and is hung in shows and Regional Galleries throughout Qld, and completes several portrait commissions each year.

COLLECTIONS

Caloundra City Council Art Collection Redcliffe City Council Art Collection Ward and Harms, Yeppoon Redcliffe Mayoral Portrait Collection Newport Electrical, Sarina Mike Coward Private Collection James MacDonald Private Collection Private Collections in Australia and Overseas Gold Coast City Art Gallery Collection Redcliffe Historical Society Ergon Energy, Maryborough Frawley Art Collection Cloncurry Arts Council