

## ALEXANDRA PLIM

**Hello! My name is Alexandra.** I live in the Inner West of Sydney, Australia, with my partner and two children.

I am an expressive abstract artist, based in the inner western suburbs of Sydney. I paint intuitively with acrylics, often incorporating a variety of mixed media. My work is energetic and playful, using colour, texture and bold marks to add drama and movement.

In addition to being an artist and mum to two young children, my first love is performance. I am a professionally trained actor, having completed an Advanced Diploma in Acting for Screen and Stage. I have performed on stage, in Australia and Edinburgh, appearing in theatre, at fringe festivals and the odd TV commercial.

My performance training and experience continues to influence and energise my artistic practise. On the best painting days I am a city girl dreaming of far away places: majestic gorges, arid expanses of land and foliage you can get lost in.

Colour drives me. Every canvas is a new place to experiment with different colours and mixes. Along the way, forms and marks pose questions and I respond.

I am truly addicted to the irreverent process of creating a painting. Much like rehearsing a play or improvising on stage, painting requires me to be in the moment. And it's a wonderful feeling.

I am lucky enough to have my own little studio now in my home, where I can escape to paint, which is a dream come true! And productivity is at an all time high and I have completely and utterly run out of wall space! So if you see a painting you like and fancy putting it on your wall, please get in touch.

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2019 Out There, Gallery 371, Sydney  
2018 Land of Dreams, Art Gallery on Darling, Sydney

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 Small Works, Fenton and Fenton, Melbourne  
2019 Mini Series, The Corner Store Gallery, Orange  
2019 Colour is Key, Fern Street Gallery, Gerringong  
2019 Landscape, The Corner Store Gallery, Orange  
2019 Betwixt and Between, Purple Noon Gallery, Sydney  
2019 Her Story, Art Gallery on Darling, Sydney  
2018 Just a Square, Darling Mills Studio Gallery, Mittagong  
2018 Everything in Between, The Space Gallery, Sydney

## AWARDS

2019 Greenway Local Artist Prize, Winner  
2019 Kennedy Art Prize, Finalist  
2019 Hunters Hill Art Prize, Finalist  
2018 9 x 5 Landscape Prize, Finalist  
2018 Hornsby Art Prize, Finalist  
2018 Little Things Art Prize, Saint Cloche, Finalist  
2018 Hunters Hill Art Prize, Finalist

**EVENTS**

2020 The Other Art Fair, Sydney

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2018 The Other Art Fair, Sydney

**COLLECTIONS**

Private collections in Australia, UK, Italy, USA, Nicaragua

**EDUCATION**

2004 Bachelor of Arts (Design for Theatre and Television), Charles Sturt University

2007 Advanced Diploma Acting, Actors College of Theatre and TV

