

Colleen Michelle Connors

Colleen is a Canberra artist who has been interested in art since she was a child. Life, like it does for so many woman artists, has interfered in her artistic pursuits for some time.

She loves the buttery texture of oil paints and likes to sketch anything that will sit still, or not as the case may be; animals, people and landscapes.

Colour, line, movement and contrasts, or that precious moment in time that has caught her eye, are all likely candidates for her work.

Paint, paint, paint, she loves it.

Colleen has been influenced with her art by Norman Lindsay and Brett Whiteley to a great extent. This can be seen in her flowing lines with her beautiful acrylic ink nudes and landscapes. Colleen has been experimenting with abstract landscapes with good result.

Training

2005	Tom Parsons Summer School (Canberra)
2003, 04, 05	Sue Taylor short courses in life drawing
2000	Joyanne Cornishe life drawing
1999	Merv Moriarty Winter School in life drawing
1998	Bathurst Summer School
1991	Private tutorship Parramatta
1991	Art Foundation Course NSW TAFE

Exhibitions and Prizes

2006	Solo Exhibition "Not Perfect" Forrest Inn Gallery Canberra
2006	Solo Exhibition "Not Perfect" CJ Harveys, Nimmitabel
2003, 04, 05	Solo Exhibitions in Bungendore
2004	Goulburn Art Show
2003	Canberra Art Show
2003, 04	Calleen Art Show, Cowra
1999, 00	Prizes in Cherry Festival, Young