

# MICHAEL CUSACK

Born Dublin, Ireland and emigrated to Australia in 1982.  
Lives and works in the Northern Rivers New South Wales, Australia

## Education

1995-1997 Diploma of Fine Arts, Hunter Institute of Technology, New South Wales

## Selected Solo Exhibitions

2012 Still Life, Martin Brown Contemporary, Sydney  
2011 Transverse Series, Karen Woodbury Gallery, Melbourne  
2010 Aperture, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
2008 Karen Woodbury Gallery, Melbourne  
2007 Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
2006 Martin Browne Fine Art, Sydney  
2005 Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
2005 Martin Browne Fine Art at Silvershot Gallery, Melbourne  
2004 Martin Browne Fine Art, Sydney  
2004 Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
2003 Brian Moore Gallery, Sydney  
2002 Brian Moore Gallery, Sydney  
2002 Ben Grady Gallery, Canberra  
2001 Nick Mitzevich Gallery, Newcastle

## Selected Group Exhibitions

2012 Works from the Studio with Emma Walker, Art Piece Gallery, Mullumbimby  
2012 The Wilson Art award, Trinity Collage, Lismore  
2012 The Alice Prize, Alice Springs  
2012 Acquisitions Show Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah  
2011 Basic Instinct, Karen Woodbury Gallery, Melbourne  
2010 The Industrialists, Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah  
2010 Quirky: from the collection, Newcastle Region Art Gallery, Newcastle  
2010 Paddington Art Prize (finalist), Sydney  
2009 The Blake Prize (finalist)  
2009 New Gallery Artists, Karen Woodbury Gallery, Melbourne  
2009 The Industrialists, QDOS Gallery, Lorne  
2008 Jacaranda Drawing Prize, Grafton  
2008 Wish You Were Here, Tweed River Art Gallery, Murwillumbah  
2007 Winter Collection, Martin Browne Fine Art, Sydney  
2007 Autumn Collection, Martin Browne Fine Art, Sydney  
2006 The Landscape Now, Martin Browne Fine Art, Sydney  
2005 Colour(less), Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery  
2005 Wild Garden, Martin Browne Fine Art at the Yellow House, Sydney  
2005 Tenth Anniversary Show, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
2003 Gallery Artists, Jan Murphy Gallery, Brisbane  
2003 Brian Moore Memorial Show, Brian Moore Gallery, Sydney  
2002 Collectors Choice, Von Bertouch's Gallery, Newcastle  
2002 Still Waters Clear Visions, Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery  
2002 The Year in Review, S.H. Erwin Gallery, Sydney  
2001 New Works 4 Painters, Newcastle Region Art Gallery  
2001 Acquisitions Show, Newcastle Region Art Gallery  
2001 2 Person Group Show, Ben Grady Gallery, Canberra  
2001 Vessel, Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery  
2001 White Christmas, Ben Grady Gallery, Canberra  
2000 New Millennium Show, Von Bertouch's Gallery, Newcastle  
2000 New Works, (with Dallas Bray), Lindsay Street Gallery, Newcastle  
2000 A Contemporary Perspective, Port Stephens Arts Centre  
2000 Edge, Nick Mitzevich Gallery, Newcastle  
2000 Wish List, Nick Mitzevich Gallery, Newcastle  
1999 Selected Works, Lindsay Street Gallery, Newcastle  
1999 Collectors Choice, Von Bertouch's Gallery, Newcastle  
1998 Bread Installation, (with Stephen Garrett), Hunter Institute of Technology  
1998 Selected Works, Lindsay Street Gallery, Newcastle  
1998 Collectors Choice, Von Bertouch's Gallery, Newcastle

## Awards

2002 Newcastle Art Prize (Highly Commended)  
2000 Maitland Art Prize (Highly Commended)  
2000 Newcastle Art Society Mattara Art Award  
1999 Weston Art Prize (Highly Commended)  
1999 Weston Regional Art Prize  
1998 Weston Major Art Award

## Collections

ABN AMRO  
Artbank  
BHP Billiton  
Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery  
Lismore Regional Art Gallery  
Macquarie Bank  
Newcastle Region Art Gallery  
Newcastle Regional Museum  
Newcastle University  
Tweed River Art Gallery  
Private collections in Australia, Hong Kong, United Kingdom and Ireland