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AU\$ 6,400.00

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AU\$ 14,000.00

Irene Briant Heavenly Body, 2024 copper & aluminium 43 x 43 cm (BG10395)

AU\$ 2,400.00

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Amanda Davies

The painter and the model, 2024 oil on linen, framed 30.5 x 40.5 cm (stretcher size) 33 x 43.5 cm (frame size) (BG10368)

AU\$ 5,000.00

Amanda Davies *P. studio (facing north)*, 2024 oil on linen, framed 30.5 x 35.5 cm (stretcher size) 33 x 38 cm (frame size) (BG10365)

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(BG10758)

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AMBER KOROLUK-STEPHENSON A Hopeful Mirage I, 2022



oil on linen 112 x 91.5cm (BG8985)

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Literature

A Hopeful Mirage

By Pippa Mott

Amber Koroluk-Stephenson's paintings have always provoked the question of 'where are we?', with liquid boundaries between domestic and

exterior domains, patchwork perspectives, and conspicuously constructed *mises en scène*. Throughout *A Hopeful Mirage*, however, a heightened emphasis on 'where are we going?' emerges. The exhibition is a tragicomic meditation on the psychic inertia of a world in flux. Responding to events both local and international, Amber's landscapes incorporate a new dimension of turbulence. Plumes of bushfire smoke unfurl on the horizon and ghost trees loom on dammed lakes. Elsewhere, palm trees are whipped into a frenzy by gale-force winds and trails of blood-red fire-retardant spill from the skies.

Throughout the body of work, children's toys such as balancing and stacking games, and minimalist wooden trees are placed with a precision that belies their anomaly. *The Cautious Optimist* features a paper sunflower whose cheerful smile is at odds with the fire raging in the background. *Castles Made of Sand* depicts a sandcastle standing perilously close to an advancing tide that has already claimed a fallen palm. In the context of Amber's compositions, these emblems of infant naivety and world building impulse find their parallel in the 'ignorance is bliss' mindset that has on a broader societal level perpetuated dire ecological consequence. Amber explains that 'the works play with these toys and references to childhood as cautionary tales; representing loss of innocence and the need to rethink our collective roles in ensuring some semblance of stability and prosperity for the future.'

Theatrical devices such as curtains and *trompe-l'œil* effects are employed in a tightly controlled manner. Reinforced by the presence of smoke and mirrors, a potent visual metaphor is crafted. In this setting, the gendered and domestic associations of Amber's archetypal rubber gloves (now loaded with insinuations of hygiene and pandemic preparedness) also imply slight-of-hand. *A Hopeful Mirage I* offers a glimpse of the inner surface of a white glove. Revealed as yellow, it transpires that the glove has been turned inside out. Instances of inversion and multiplication are recurrent throughout the series, further serving to disorient the viewer (though never without an illusionist's flourish).

Within the exhibition space Amber's motifs and designs transcend the canvases - taking physical form and in some cases enveloping the architectural surrounds as wallpaper. 'Sonny', her imperviously optimistic sunflower alter-ego, springs to life in front of a bi-fold screen adorned with bushfire scenery. Many works come in pairs characterised by binary compositions and inverted scenarios. Single canvases contain manifold destinies (or climate futures), with variable backdrops appearing like the coulisses of a theatre. In *A Hopeful Mirage*, the notion of choice – of both action and attitude – comes to the fore. Central to the exhibition is the paradox of optimism; a stance that can permit blind complacency or the motivation to effect change in the world.



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PHILIP WOLFHAGEN Fathoms down, 2021



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NICOLA GOWER WALLIS A Cow Shaped Hole in the Universe, 2023



gouache on paper, framed 120 x 89 cm (BG9547)

AU\$ 5,400.00

Description

Nicola Gower Wallis

A Window Illuminated

I have never considered myself a student of realism. I've never quite reached the pinnacle of drawing a really good horse, or managed to draw a convincingly straight line. And perhaps it was then, in commiserating with a wonky looking cat, that my attachment to medieval art really began. It's only been recently, so preoccupied with attempting to express my own stories within a single frame, that I have truly come to appreciate the

forms and techniques behind those ancient paintings and tapestries. How succinctly they express a narrative, so stylishly removed from the constraints of the true and factual.

Spend enough time in any place and the landscape itself begins to form an odd little patchwork of memory and myth: currawongs drunk on spoiled apples at Koonya, the vile tyranny of a neighbour's marauding chicken, the Dunalley Fish Market on a Saturday afternoon, the madness of the Bream Creek show.

These works are an embrace of the wonky, the slight wrongness that comes from a story being retold too many times, the fuzziness of shapes seen at dusk in the wintertime, all washed out by the window of a house glowing brightly. Thanks! Nicola

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At least twenty species of orchid, all endemic to lutruwita/Tasmania, are found on the slopes of kunanyi of which eleven are illustrated in this painting:

Spider orchids

Calendenia cracens D.L.Jones 1996 Elegant Calendenia.

• Calendenia echidnachila Nicholls 1933 Fawn Spider Orchid Described by William Nicholls and published in Papers and Proceedings of the Royal Society of Tasmania.

• Calendenia caudata Nicholls 1948 Tailed spider orchid. Described by William Henry Nicholls in 1948 and the description was published in The Victorian Naturalist.

Bird orchids

• Chiloglottis gunnii Lindl. 1840 Tall bird orchid. Formally described in 1840 by John Lindley in his book The Genera and Species of Orchidaceous Plants. The specific epithet (gunnii) honours Ronald Campbell Gunn, who collected the type specimen which was sent to William Jackson Hooker who forwarded it to Lindley.

Chiloglottis triceratops D.L.Jones 1998 Three-horned bird orchid.

• Chiloglottis grammata G.W.Carr. 1991 Small bird orchid.

Leek orchids

• Prasophyllum alpinum R.Br. 1810 Alpine leek orchid. First formally described in 1810 by Robert Brown and the description was published in Prodromus Florae Novae Hollandiae et Insulae Van Diemen.

• Prasophyllum amoenum D.L.Jones 1998 Dainty Leek orchid.

Greenhood orchid

• Pteristylis dubia R.Br. 1810 Blue-tongued greenhood. Description was published in 1810 in Robert Brown's Prodromus Florae Novae Hollandiae et Insulae Van Diemen.

Sun orchid

• Thelymitra erosa D.L.Jones & M.A.Clem. 1998 Striped sun orchid.

Beech orchid

• Townsonia viridis (Hook.f.) Schltr. Beech orchid. Described by Joseph Dalton Hooker who gave it the name Acianthus viridis and published the description in Flora Antarctica. In 1911 Rudolf Schlechter changed the name to Townsonia viridis.

Thank you to Malcolm Wells for his expertise in identifying and helping me to locate the species used in this painting.

STEPHANIE TABRAM Marys Island, 2023



acrylic on linen 137 x 183 cm (stretcher size) (BG9662)

AU\$ 22,000.00

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Description

Lately I've been interested in whether AI could offer artists new pathways for creativity or perhaps slowly render us redundant, so when I needed some direction on a topic I knew very little about - that is, football of most codes and shapes - I fed it my idea to see what it could teach me. The result was an unsettling expression of collective knowledge manipulated into a distorted and disembodied illustration of the game, as apparently seen from an artist's perspective; dismissing the details of who, what and which ball for an entirely aesthetic display of athleticism. In doing so, the images were often beautiful but soulless, lacking the human passion of a real footy game, or indeed a Caravaggio painting. AI had constructed its

own reality, with some amusing results including several balls in the one game, adding international basketball kits and generating terrifying characters with muscular arms for legs. In unpicking the errors I ended up appreciating more about the game than if I hadn't attempted a shortcut (mainly by enjoying YouTube medleys of greatest AFL marks - all in the name of research) and while AI gave me a unique perspective this time around, I think my job might be safe for now.

RAYMOND ARNOLD Queenstown Gravel Oval - Lost Miners memorial game, 2024



acrylic on canvas, framed diptych: 66 x 102 cm (BG10277)

AU\$ 6,500.00

Description

Views to the North across Queenstown's (in)famous gravel oval. Geometry 'rounding out' randomness and chaotic time. Former sea beds tilted into gradients to be worn down by ancient glaciers flowing down the valley from Tyndall Range. The diptych Queenstown Gravel Oval - Lost Miners memorial game also 'locking in' a memorial game on a wet Saturday to remember fellow players Craig Gleeson, 45, and Alistair Lucas, 25, who died after falling about 35 metres down the main shaft.

RICHARD WASTELL Surf's up. Schouten Island from Shelly Point camp, 2024



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