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ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

Rosalind Tjanyari



DOB: 12/12/1971

Place of Birth: Indulkana, SA Language Group: Yankunytjatjara

Rosalind was born at the little clinic at the Indulkana community when it was still in its early years of establishment. She has two younger brothers, and they lived together with her parents in a small wiltja (hand built camp house) close to the creek.

Rosalind's mother cared for a large extended family of children in Indulkana, and this tradition has been continued by Rosalind who has been a guardian, nurturer and role-model for many young children within the community, with her home always open to take care for those who need help.

Rosalind's mother Kunmanara (Kanakyia) Tjanyari was a highly regarded ngangkari (Anangu traditional healer) and the influence of her mother's ngangkari practice and knowledge passed down from her mother, grandmother and aunties has shaped Rosalind's understanding of people and places. This is reflected in Rosalind's dynamic artistic practice, where Rosalind alludes to the positive, healing energy associated with Ngangkari that is imbued in specific sites.

Exhibitions

2023 Ngura Wiru (Beautiful Country), Everywhen Artspace, Mornington Peninsula, VIC

2022 Desert Mob, Araluen Art Centre, Alice Springs, NT

2022 Ngura kala kutjuparinganyi — Shifting colours of Country, Outstation Gallery, Darwin

2022 Wiltja – Shelter, Aboriginal Signature, Brussels, Belgium

2022 The Summer Collectors' Show, Everywhen Artspace, Flinders, VIC

2022 Mapakani - Momentum, APY Gallery, Melbourne, VIC

2021 Ngura Kuuti (Spirit Country), Everywhen Artspace, Flinders, VIC

2021 Ngura Pulka – Strong Country, APY Gallery, Adelaide, SA

2021 Kuli - Summer Salon, APY Gallery, Adelaide, SA

2019 Wilurara Ananyi, Short St Gallery, Broome

2018 Old Knowledge, Young Blood, APY Gallery, Sydney

2018 Piltati Wanampi Tjukurpa, APY Gallery, Sydney

2017 Iwantja Arts Exhibition, Short St Gallery, Broome

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2016 Point of Difference - from Desert to Sea, Turner Galleries with Artitja Fine Arts, Perth

2016 Salon des Refusés, Charles Darwin University, Darwin

2016 Iwantja Artists Exhibition, Short St Gallery, Broome

2016 The Blooming Desert, Talapi Gallery, Alice Springs

2016 Cowboy Story, Harvey Art Projects, Idaho USA

2016 SALT, McCulloch and McCulloch, Melbourne

2015 Summer Salon, McCulloch and McCulloch, Shoreham

2015 Artitja Fine Art, Fremantle Western Australia

2015 Nganampa Ngura, Ngananmpa Tjukurpa (Our Land, Our Stories) Artitja Fine Art, Perth

2014 Indigenous Literacy Exhibition, McCulloch and McCulloch, Sydney

2014 Artitja Fine Art, Fremantle Western Australia

2014 Japingka Gallery, Perth Western Australia

2014 Autumn Salon, McCulloch and McCulloch, Shoreham VIC

2014 Right Now with Viscopy, Boomalli, Sydney

2014 Pukulpa Pots, Mr Kitly, Melbourne Victoria

2014 Celebrating Ten, Artitja Fine Arts, Perth Western Australia

2013 Desert Mob, Araluen Art Centre, Alice Springs

2013 Art Mob, Hobart Tasmania

2012 Talapi Gallery, Alice Springs

2010 Booker Lowe Gallery, Houston Texas, USA

2010 Desert Mob, Araluen Art Centre, Alice Springs