



BIO

Ian Mutch is an Australian artist and storyteller, exploring beauty through nature, play, characters and details.

Applying a variety of techniques and mediums, Ian creates a whimsical world through paintings, illustrations designs and installations. His work has won awards, given life to public spaces and featured for well known brands and publications.

Formally trained as an Art Director and Designer, Ian has co-published Kingbrown Magazine and been an industry speaker at Semi Permanent Sydney, Agideas Melbourne and Perth Festival.

Ian has written and illustrated a picture book for children titled "More and More and More" published by Fremantle Press, and continues to enjoy working in the realm of story telling for all ages.

Past clients include: Nandos, Havana Club, Mirvac, Metronet, Columbia Pictures, Microsoft, Rio Tinto, Aldi, Tiger Beer, Colonial Brewing, Eagle Bay Brewing, Woolworths, St John Ambulance and various shires.

Exhibitions: Perth, Sydney, Melbourne, Byron Bay, Singapore, Bangkok, New York, London.

SELECTION OF ART INSTALLATIONS:

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| 2021 Mandurah Station Car Park | 2018 French Alps, Samoens, France |
| 2021 Opal Lane, Busselton WA | 2018 Aldi facade artwork, Busselton, WA |
| 2020 Collie Mural Trail, 51 Steere St Collie WA | 2017 Central Park Level 44-45, Perth WA |
| 2020 Main Street, Margaret River, WA | 2017 HeartWalk CDB, Kalgoorlie WA |
| 2020 Yellowren Artspace, Tokyo, Japan | 2017 The Esplanade Level 11, Perth WA |
| 2020 Busselton Central Shopping Centre, WA | 2017 Outside the Box, Bunbury WA |
| 2020 Screenwest reels, Yagan Square, Perth | 2017 Emergence Creative Festival, WA |
| 2020 St Johns, Busselton, WA | 2016 Colonial Brewing, Melbourne Vic |
| 2019 Freerange Education, South Africa | 2016 Town of Claremont, WA |
| 2019 Komati Gorge lodge, South Africa | 2016 Old Lane, Chinatown NorthBridge WA |
| 2019 Mantel Group, Melbourne Vic | 2016 CentrePoint, Dunsborough WA |
| 2019 Like Minded Art, Denver, USA | 2016 ReDiscover, Bunbury WA |
| 2019 Morley Senior High School, Perth, WA | 2016 Busselton Jetty Whales, WA |
| 2019 Full Circle, Myoko Kogen, Japan | 2015 Form WA, Public Festival |
| 2018 Piara Waters, Mirvac, Perth WA | 2015 St John of God Hospital, Midland, WA |
| 2018 Vasse Village, canopy glazing, WA | 2015 Empress Hotel, Melbourne |
| 2018 Platypus Shoes, Perth WA | 2014 Urbanscapes Festival, Malaysia |
| 2018 City of Melville, AH Bracks Library, WA | 2014 Columbia Pictures (Annie film set), NYC |
| 2018 Jimbaran Bay, Bali, Indonesia | 2013 Nandos, William Street, 140ART Perth |

AWARDS:

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| 2021 Finalist, Jury Art Prize, Courthouse Gallery, Port Hedland WA |
| 2019 City of Busselton Art Award Highly Commended - "Finding Naturaliste" |
| 2019 Wilderness Society Environment Award for Children's Literature "More and More and More" |
| 2015 AIBA Silver, best packaging - Small Ale |
| 2015 ARTSWA, ArtFlight, Melbourne solo exhibition |
| 2013 Create Design Awards, Finalist Print Creative, Highly Commended |
| 2012 Fremantle Print Award, Finalist. Artwork acquired Little Creatures collection |
| 2012 Create Design Awards, Finalist - Illustration |
| 2009 Tiger Translate, Australia winner |

ACCREDITATIONS

BA Design / Advertising, Curtin University
Elevated Work Platform (EWP)
White Card (construction)
Public Liability + Products Insurance 20M (ArtSource MAX)
Working with Children check

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & WORKSHOPS

2020 | YellowWren Community ArtSpace, Tokyo Japan
2019 | FreeRange School, South Africa - Mural creation
2019 | Cowaramup Primary School - drawing & stories
2019 | Rapids Landing Primary School - drawing & stories
2018 | Christ Church Grammar - Career in art
2017 | Grace Christian School, Bunbury - Outside the Box
2017 | City of Bunbury - Setagaya Exchange, Nature art
2016 | St Mary MacKillop College - Art & mural creation
2016 | Bunbury Regional Art Gallery - Kids holiday art
2016 | Global Cruise Lines - Cruise ship travel & drawing
2015 | Geographe Primary School - Art & mural creation

KEYNOTES & PRESENTATIONS

2021 | Pecha Kucha Community, Dunsborough WA
2020 | YellowWren Community ArtSpace, Tokyo Japan
2019 | Perth Readers and Writers Festival
2019 | Margaret River Readers and Writers Festival
2016 | Colonial Brewery, Melbourne Vic.
2016 | HeartWalk Community Q+A, Kalgoorlie WA
2014 | Semi-Permanent, Sydney / Perth
2010 | Design Institute of Australia (WA) Forum, Perth
2009 | AgIdeas, Melbourne

COLLECTIONS

Private collections in Australia, Japan, USA and Europe.
Little Creatures Collection. City of Busselton public works

EXHIBITIONS

2021 | Margaret River Region Open Studios, WA
2019 | Busselton Art Award, ArtGeo Gallery
2019 | 12 x 12 Exhibiton, Stockroom Gallery, Melbourne
2017 - 2020 | Margaret River Region Open Studios, WA
2019 | Small Works, Brunswick Street Gallery, Melbourne
2019 | Solo show "More and More" Dunsborough
2019 | Solo show "More and More" State Library, Perth
2017 | Margaret River Wine 50th Anniversary art exhibition
2016 | 80s Vinyl, Kult Gallery, Singapore
2016 | South West Art Now, BRAG WA
2016 | ReDiscover group show, Bunbury WA
2016 | Danger High Voltage solo show, Sugarman, WA
2015 | Kingbrown 10, Rivington Design House, New York
2015 | Solo show, Dunsborough, WA
2015 | Solo show, J.A.P. Space, Melbourne
2015 | Public Salon, Form WA
2015 | Supergraph Picks, Melbourne
2015 | Kingbrown 10, Spares Store, Melbourne
2014 | Solo show, Sugarman, WA
2014 | Solo show, Hay Shed Gallery, WA
2014 | Supergraph, Melbourne
2013 | Tote show, Jakarta, Indonesia
2013 | Kingbrown 09, Singapore, Sydney
2013 | Solo show, Belgrave Cartel, Sydney
2012 | Kingbrown 08, Klughaus Gallery, New York
2012 | The Drawing Arm, Sydney
2011 | Petit Travaux, Retrospect Galleries, Byron Bay
2011 | East West, The National Grid, Sydney
2011 | AAK Exhibition, London, UK
2011 | Signature South West, ArtGeo, WA
2010 | ChaChing / RVCA, Wise, WA
2009 | Tiger Translate Sydney, NSW

REFEREES

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