

SIMON BOWLEY

CURRICULUM VITAE

1959 Born Sydney
1977 Higher School Certificate
Studied Ceramics Canberra School of Art

1980-82 Established ceramics studio at Canberra, making wheel-formed stoneware.
1983-84 Certificate III Ceramics East Sydney Technical College
1985 Taught ceramics at remote schools throughout Qld. N.T. & W.A. with Australia Council and Aboriginal Arts Council assistance.
Established Kinka Pottery and Gallery at Duffy's Forrest, Sydney with four other potters, supplying galleries and fulfilling orders.
1991-03 Established ceramic studio at Wildes Meadow, NSW, making a range of wheelthrown and handbuilt pottery.
1993 Worked for six months in Germany at Topferei Am Murbmberg making salt glazed tableware and one off pieces.
1995 Spent eight months making individual pieces at The Experimental Workshop of Ceramics, Coyoacan, Mexico.
1996-05 Producing and exhibiting from Wildes Meadow studio, including a wide range of wheel and hand-formed ceramics, decorated using texturing, wax resist and slip techniques under mid-range and stoneware glazes.
1998-05 Part time teacher in Ceramics at Goulburn TAFE, including Diploma of Fine Art, Certificate III Ceramics, Certificate I Visual Arts, Aboriginal Arts & Cultural Practices and TVET secondary students (mainstream and special needs). Aboriginal Arts and Cultural Practices at Goulburn Correctional Centre.
1999-05 Part time teacher Moss Vale TAFE. Certificate III Ceramics and Certificate I Visual Arts, Ceramic Strand.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPEMENT

1999 Vital initial teaching and learning course, Goulburn TAFE
2002 Teaching indigenous students, one day workshop Nowra TAFE
2002 Tanja Woodfire, Ceramics conference.
2002 Attend Documenta, Kassel Germany.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

1984 East Sydney Technical College Ceramics Exhibition
1986-90 Kinka Pottery Yearly Exhibitions
1989 Breewood Gallery, Katoomba
1990 Clay Things Gallery, Balgowlah
1990-91 Australian Craft Show, Solo Exhibition, Sydney
1993 Topferei Am Murbmberg, Germany
1995 Taller Experimental de Ceramico, Coyoacan, Mexico
1996-99 Robertson Pottery
1996-01 Fitzroy Visitors' Centre - Annual Solo Exhibitions
1996-05 Gallery "J", Bowral
1996-03 Hume Pottery, Berrima

COLLECTIONS

Work held in private collections in
Australia, Germany, England, Mexico and the U.S.

