

Uplift Program



Jennis Ardern, *Patchwork Landscapes*, Hub Gallery 2019

UPLIFT 2021 HUB GALLERY GUIDE

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Useful information to note:

- Applications close **30 September 2020**.
- All applicants will be notified of the Expression of Interest (EOI) outcome in November 2020.
- All EOIs will be considered on the quality of work submitted, concept, suitability and appropriateness. The Caboolture Regional Art Gallery exhibition program may be taken into consideration in the EOI evaluation process.
- No fee is required from, or paid to, the artist/s for the use of the Hub Gallery.
- Artists are responsible for the cost of catering an opening event within the requirements of the Caboolture Hub.
- Artists are responsible for the production of a flyer after consultation with the gallery. All printed matter must be approved by the gallery before production.
- Artists are to provide all label information one month before the exhibition opening.
- Caboolture Regional Art Gallery will promote each exhibition where possible in conjunction with the overall exhibition program.
- Caboolture Regional Art Gallery will provide professional support in the installation and exhibition layout.
- Caboolture Regional Art Gallery will provide exhibition signage for each exhibition.

1. Introduction

Throughout the year, the Moreton Bay Regional Art Galleries present small exhibitions through the Uplift Program, highlighting emerging and mid-career artists with connections to the region.

Artists, arts organisations and community cultural groups are invited to submit an online 'Expression of Interest' to present an exhibition of art, sculpture, installation work, photography, 3D works, ceramics, sculpture, cultural heritage, fabric and textile art, video/multi-media film and products from community cultural projects at the Hub Gallery in the Caboolture Hub throughout 2020.

About Caboolture Regional Art Gallery

Caboolture Regional Art Gallery has four galleries: Main Gallery; Long Gallery; Focus Gallery; and Hub Gallery. The Main, Focus and the Long Galleries are used for selected, curated, themed and travelling exhibitions. The Uplift program is presented in the Hub Gallery.

About the Hub Gallery

- The Hub Gallery is available for use by community arts organisations, individual artists and artisans through an Expression of Interest process.
- Expressions of Interest are evaluated by a curatorial team.
- Expressions of Interest for the 2021 calendar are now open.
- Expressions of Interest due by midnight on **30 September 2020**.
- Artists are notified of results in November.

For further information, please contact:

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2. Terms and Conditions

1. The **Hub Gallery** is available only for art exhibitions. Gallery dimensions and a map of the venue are attached. The Hub Gallery is a stand-alone gallery space within the ground floor foyer next to Caboolture Regional Art Gallery. It has a lockable separate entry, art tracking and wire hanging system. Plinths with lockable perspex box lids are also available for loan free of charge, depending on availability. Installation will be provided by experienced gallery assistants.
2. The Hub Gallery is only available for booking of a **4-week period and will be open to coincide with the Caboolture Regional Art Gallery open hours (10am-4pm Monday to Saturday)**. Entry is free.
3. Applicants must be based in the Moreton Bay Region, or if based outside of the area, must be able to demonstrate how the exhibition will directly benefit arts and culture within the region and/or have strong relevancy to the region.
4. All applications will be considered on the quality of work submitted, concept, suitability and appropriateness. The Caboolture Regional Art Gallery exhibition program will be taken into consideration in the Expression of Interest evaluation process.
5. The selection panel reserves the right to accept or reject any Expression of Interest or artwork.
6. The Caboolture Regional Art Gallery delivers an exhibition program that reflects diversity of art-form, cultural expression and relevance to community.
7. Applicant exhibition dates will need to be flexible allowing the gallery to program vibrant and diverse exhibitions for the benefit of the community throughout the year.
8. Successful applicants will receive professional development support and advice on how to present their work, create labels and write artist's statements. The gallery is happy to edit statements within reasonable, previously agreed to timeframes.
9. Successful applicants must develop their own media release and furnish copy for approval by the gallery before disseminating.
10. Successful applicants must develop a flyer and distribute using their own mailing list. Templates are available and all flyers must include the MBRC logo lockup. **The flyer must be checked and approved by gallery staff.**
11. Successful applications are welcome to sell their works. Buyers will contact the artist directly to arrange purchase and collection.
12. Plinths for sculptural works may be available for use from the Caboolture Regional Art Gallery for use in the Hub gallery, depending on availability.

Curatorial Decision

13. The Caboolture Regional Art Gallery Venue Supervisor with a nominated curatorial team representative retains the indisputable right and discretion to change, deny or remove any work of art, signage or wording placed in the Gallery that they deem inappropriate, unsuitable, poorly presented, occasioning concern to risk to the public or offensive to public taste. Artists will be informed of this decision verbally or by email.

Publicity

14. The Caboolture Regional Art Gallery will publicise and promote exhibitions on its website and the biannual Gallery and Museum Guide. The artist/s will be responsible for the development of invitations for the opening and will acknowledge the support of the Moreton Bay Regional Council.

Openings and Catering

15. Opening date and time to be negotiated with the Venue Supervisor. The Mayor is to be invited to officially open the exhibition.
16. Catering is the responsibility of the artist. **Please note that no 'outside' food is to be consumed within Caboolture Hub. Catering is to be provided by internal catering through the L&B Centre or by arrangement with Benny's Café in Caboolture Town Square.**

Hanging the works

17. The Gallery's experienced install team is responsible for the installation of the exhibition.
18. Successful applicants are welcome to be present during installation but final responsibility rests with the Gallery staff. Please note that each individual present in the Hub Gallery during installation must have completed the Site Specific Induction and be wearing appropriate personal protective equipment.

Insurance

19. Council does not insure the works of art in the exhibition. Insurance is the responsibility of the exhibiting artist/s.

General

20. Conditions are subject to change and variation under Council authority.

Hub Gallery Dimensions and Floor Plan

Linear Metres approx. 18-29 linear metres, depending on placement of moveable wall

The Hub Gallery

