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RESIDENCE: Australia

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EDUCATION:

B.A., Visual Arts, University of Western Sydney, 1998

B.F.A. (Honors), Plant & Wildlife Illustration, 1999

Grad. Dip. V.E.T. (Adult Education), Certificate IV
Assessment and Workplace Training, University
Technology Sydney, 2001

CAREER:

Professional botanical artist and educator

MEMBERSHIP:

American Society of Botanical Artists

Botanical Art Society of Australia

Friends of the Royal Botanic Gardens Sydney

National Association for the Visual Artists, Australia

MEDIUM:

Watercolor

GROUP EXHIBITION(S):

Mura Gallery, Newtown, Sydney, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002,
2003

Aerial, Terrestrial, Aquatic, Royal Botanic Gardens Sydney,
Sydney, New South Wales, 1999

Fusion, Newcastle Regional Museum, 1999

MargaretSeniorIllustrationAwardExhibition, Newcastle, 1999

Plants & Wildlife, Maitland Art Gallery, 1999

AnnualAwardsExhibitionoftheBotanicalArtSocietyofAustralia,
Penrith Regional Gallery & Lewers Bequest, 2000;

Finks Gallery, 2001; Rozelle Writers Gallery, Sydney,

2002; Mosman Regional Gallery, 2003; Ewart Gallery,

Willoughby, 2004; Palm House, Royal Botanic Gardens

Sydney, Sydney, New South Wales, 2005, 2006

Botanica, Annual Botanical Art Exhibition of the Friends of

The Gardens, Lion Gate Lodge, Royal Botanic Gardens

Sydney, Sydney, New South Wales, 2001, 2002, 2003,

2004, 2005, 2007

CommonGround, MargoHardyGallery, UniversityofWestern
Sydney, Milperra, 2001

Terra Aqua, Margo Hardy Gallery, University of Western
Sydney, Milperra, 2001

Vaucluse Garden Festival, Sydney, 2002

Canberra Botanical 2004 and 2005, CSIRO Discovery
Gallery, Canberra, Australian Capital Territory, 2004,
2005

Marlborough College, Wiltshire, England, 2006, 2007
Tutors' Exhibition, UCOL, Wanganui, New Zealand, 2006,
2007

ONE-PERSON EXHIBITION(S):

Simply Botanical, Oriel Gallery, Brisbane, Queensland, 2003

HONOR(S)/AWARD(S):

Prizewinner, Walker Ceramics Award for Outstanding
Achievement and Development in Ceramic Art, 1998

Prizewinner, Community Business Innovation Award,
University of Western Sydney, Sydney, Dept. Business &
Commerce, 1998

Merit Award, Port Hacking Potters Group, Sydney, 1998

First Prizewinner, Plants & Wildlife, 1999

Highly Commended, Australian Entomological Society,
Insect Illustration Competition, Newcastle, 1999

Featured Guest Artist, Canberra Botanical 2005, 2005

COLLECTIONS:

International corporate collections in France, Hong Kong,
New Zealand, the United Kingdom, and the United
States

Numerous private collections in Australia and worldwide

COMMISSIONS:

Nature & Health Magazine, current regular series of
medicinal herbal paintings

Numerous private commissions

WORK REPRODUCED IN:

Artist's Palette Magazine, no. 18, 2001; no. 42, 2006; no. 46,
2006

Botanical Art Society of Australia Newsletter, no. 19, 2005;
no. 22, 2006

The Garden: Newsletter of the Friends of the Royal Botanic
Gardens Sydney, 2001, 2002, 2007

Nature & Health Magazine, August 2005+

Our Gardens Journal, Garden Clubs of Australia, 2 issues,
2004

Queensland Homes Magazine, Spring 2003

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Queensland, Australia)

Beautiful art keeps blossoming. 2002. Wentworth Courier
(Eastern suburbs, New South Wales, Australia)

Blooming brilliant. 2003. Macquarie College Magazine
(New South Wales, Australia)
Botanical art external course: Leonie Norton; Painting
in paradise: Botanical art in Fiji. 2006. Artist's Palette
Magazine No. 46.
Fitzgerald, H. 2005. Botanical Art Society of Australia
Newsletter 19.
Naturally beautiful. 2001. Artist's Palette 18: 54–63.
Norton, L. 2006. Botanical artist profile. Botanical Art Society
of Australia Newsletter 22.
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Gardens Sydney. Botanical Art Society of Australia
Newsletter 20.
Oriell Gallery: Simply Botanical. 2003. Brisbane Guide
to the Arts
Profile: Leonie Norton botanical artist. Spring 2003.
Queensland Homes
Saul, M. 2005. Education forum. Botanical Artist [American
Society of Botanical Artists newsletter] 34: 10.
Simply botanical. 2003. Courier Mail (Brisbane, Queensland,
Australia)
Tutoring in botanical art. 2006. Artist's Palette Magazine
No. 42.
What is botanical art? Feb. 2005. Artwave [Waverley
Woollahra Art Center newsletter]

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Cyathea cooperi, Australian tree fern 2005
Watercolor 52 × 64 cm
Hunt Institute collection

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Grevillea 'Moonlight' 2005
Watercolor 70 × 92 cm
Hunt Institute collection