

Damiano Betoli

Melbourne, 1969 - 2021

Solo Exhibitions

2022

2021-1969, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2020

Superpositions, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2019

Superpositions, Mackintonsh Lane, London

2017

Gertrude Edition 2017 - Damiano Bertoli, Gertrude Glasshouse, Melbourne

2016

Continuous Moment: Big Foot's Studio, Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne

2015

Damiano Bertoli: Come to Now, TCB Art Inc, Melbourne

2014

Associates, Neon Parc, Melbourne

Continuous Moment: Sordid's Hotel, Centre for Contemporary Photography, Melbourne

2011

Continuous Moment: Anxiety Villa, IMA@Surfers, Gold Coast
Continuous Moment: Anxiety Villa, Artspace, Sydney

2010

Continuous Moment: Le Desir..., Neon Parc, Melbourne

Continuous Moment: Le Desir..., Milani Gallery, Brisbane

2009

Continuous Moment: Bad Infinity, The Narrows, Melbourne

2008

Continuous Moment: I'm Ok, You're Ok, Contemporary Art Centre of South Australia, Adelaide

Continuous Moment, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong

2007

Goodbye Surfing, Hello God!, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2006

Continuous Moment: Hot August Knife, MOP Projects, Sydney

2005

Continuous Moment: Hot August Knife, Ocular Lab, Melbourne

2003

Continuous Moment, Gertrude Contemporary Art Spaces, Melbourne

2022

Frightened of This Thing That I've Become, 1ST FLOOR, Melbourne

2000
Lagrange, Studio 12, 200 Gertrude Street, Melbourne

1998
Damiano Bertoli, 1ST FLOOR, Melbourne

Group Exhibitions

2026
XX, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2025
1964, 1969, 1977, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2025, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne
Bernhard Sachs: After History, Linden New Art, Melbourne

2024
New Acquisitions Collection Hang, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra

2023
Melbourne Now, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
Neon Parc South Yarra Grand Opening, Neon Parc South Yarra, Melbourne

2020
Uptown, various locations, Melbourne
12 x 12, 72 Smith St. Collingwood, Melbourne

2019
DAMA Projects, Turin, Italy
The Moon, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong
Unfinished Decor, Blindside, Melbourne

2018
NADA Miami, Miami
Spring1883, Windsor Hotel, Neon Parc, Melbourne
Melbourne Art Theatre, RMIT, Melbourne

2017
Raafat Ishak & Damiano Bertoli: Hebdomeros, Sutton Gallery, Melbourne
I Love Pat Larter, Neon Parc, Melbourne
Seeing Voices, touring exhibition, Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne
Misshaped Head, Neon Parc, Melbourne
Future Eaters, Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne
The End of Time, The Beginning of time, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne

2016
Atmospherics - The Geelong Art Gallery Collection, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong
Dancing Umbrellas: An Exhibition of Movement and Light, Heide Museum of Art, Melbourne
Planning for Tomorrow, Contemporary Art Centre of South Australia, Adelaide
National Works on Paper, Mornington Peninsula Regional Gallery, Mornington
2006/2016, Neon Parc, Melbourne
Speaking Volumes, Fremantle Arts Centre

2013
Video Arte Australia y Nueva Zelanda, Centro Cultural Matucana, Santiago, Chile
Melbourne Now, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
Video Contemporary, Sydney Contemporary, Sydney
My Avant-Garde is Bigger Than Yours, KINGS ARI, Melbourne
Like Mike, Charles Nodrum Gallery, Melbourne

Collage: The Heide Collection, Heide Museum of Art, Melbourne
Lie of the Land, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong
Drunk vs Stoned XIII, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2012

Deep Inside, Hamish McKay Gallery, Wellington
Radio Alice, Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne
Post-Planning, Ian Potter Museum of Art, Melbourne
Chinatown, The Sequel, LTD Los Angeles, Los Angeles

2011

New Psychedelia, University of Queensland Museum, Brisbane
When The Dead Help the Living, Light Projects, Melbourne
Reason and Rhyme, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne
Cognitive Dissonance, Cottage Home, Los Angeles
Yebisu International Festival for Art and Alternative Visions, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo
An Exchange with Sol LeWitt, Mass MoCA, North Adams, Massachusetts

2010

Stick It! Collage in Australian Art, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
City of Hobart Art Prize, Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery, Hobart
Event Horizon, Centre for Contemporary Photography, Melbourne
The Nothing, WestSpace, Melbourne, and Chalk Horse, Sydney
Please Don't Let Me Be Misunderstood, Waterside Pavilion, Hobart
Silent Nights, Light Projects, Melbourne
The Narrows Monochromes, The Narrows, Melbourne

2009

Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle Arts Centre
The Gift, ICAN, Sydney
Expandex, Tin Sheds Gallery, Sydney
+/-, Switchback Gallery, Monash Centre for Art & Design, Churchill
Lo Sguardo Di Giano, American Academy, Roma
LOOP '09, Hotel De Las Ramblas, Barcelona
ART LA, Barker Hangar, Santa Monica

2008

Structural Decline, Melbourne Art Fair, Melbourne
True Crime – Murder and Misdemeanour in Australian Art, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong
Print Workshop, The Narrows, Melbourne
Informal Rituals, TCB Arts Inc, Melbourne
Nice Stratigraphy, Conical, Melbourne

2007

West Space East, Plastique Kinetic Worms, Singapore
Paper/Scissors/Rock, Westspace, Melbourne
Blueprints for a new Topiary, Metro Arts, Brisbane
NEW07, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne
Relentless Optimism, Carlton Club Hotel, Melbourne
Arthur Guy Memorial Painting Prize, Bendigo Art Gallery, Bendigo

2006

One God, No Masters, Hamish McKay Gallery, Wellington
Motion Pictures, Perth Institute of Contemporary Art, Perth
Endgame: Late- Capitalist Realism, VCA Gallery, Melbourne
Fletcher Jones Art Prize, Geelong Art Gallery, Geelong
Adventures with Form and Space, Balnaves Sculpture Project, Art Gallery of New South Wales,
Sydney Trinity Nine, Trinity College, Melbourne University, Melbourne
Silenzi, Palazzo dei Prigione, Venice
Kids Stay Free, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2005

Short Ride in a Fast Machine, Gertrude Contemporary Art Spaces, Melbourne

Deep Purple, Manning Clark House, Canberra

National Sculpture Prize, Australian National Gallery, Canberra

Re/Thinking, Bus, Melbourne

Ocular Lab: 12, Spacement, Melbourne

2004

Quiet Collision, Viafarini & C/O, Milan

Labrador, Ocular Lab, Melbourne

2004 Australian Culture Now, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne

Papercuts, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne

This Was the Future...Australian Sculpture of the 1950's, 60's, 70's +Today, Heide Museum of Modern Art, Melbourne

Awards, Residencies and Grants

2020

Victorian College of the Arts Print Edition, Melbourne

2019

Australia Council Career Development Grant

2018

Prato Visual Residency, Monash University, Monash

2017

Yarra Art Trams Commission

Gertrude Edition, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne

2015

Australia Council Development Grant

2013

Australia Council Visual Arts Board, New Work Grant

2009

Fremantle Print Award, Fremantle Art Gallery, WA

2003

Arts Victoria, Development Grant

2000

Australia Council, Visual Arts/Crafts Board, Overseas Studio Residency, Milan

1999

200 Gertrude St. Melbourne, Studio Residency

Collections

National Gallery of Australia

National Gallery of Victoria

Art Gallery of Western Australia

Artbank

City of Fremantle

Geelong Art Gallery

Deutsche Bank (Australia)

Private collections in Australia, New Zealand and Italy

Publications

2020

Superpositions, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2018

Continuous Moment - Damiano Bertoli, Surplus Publishing, Melbourne

2017

Excerpts from a conversation (With Mutlu Cerkez), Mutlu Cerkez 1965-2088, Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne, pp.210-215.

2014

Wearing: Nikos Pantazopoulos, Un Magazine 9.1.

2013

Tempo Kolossal in 'Making Worlds: Art and Science Fiction' pp 169-174, Eds. Barikin and Hughes, Melbourne, Surplus,
Stratified and Gratified: Lizzy Newman's Expanded Feel', in 'Elizabeth Newman - More Than What There Is', pp 87-93, Eds. Faye D'Evie & Elizabeth Newman, Melbourne, 3-Ply, 2013

2012

Get that Paper, Un Magazine, issue 6.1 – June 2012, pp. 12- 15
The Downward Spiral. Auckland: DDMYY, 2012. Text by Tahī Moore and Dan Arps.

2011

Affirmation Dungeon. Auckland: Clouds and Michael Lett, 2011. Texts by Dan Arps, Jon Bywater, Matthew Hyland and Narelle Pathways.

2009

Continuous Moment: Bad Infinity', Ex. Cat. The Narrows, Melbourne

2008

Another Soft Machine', (Matt Hinkley) Ex. Cat. NEW08 Australian Centre for Contemporary Art Melbourne
Gestappo Pussy Ranch. Christchurch: Physics Room, 2008. Texts by Dan Arps and Gweyneth Porter.

2007

Twin Lizzy, Ex. Cat. 'The Unprecedented Dark Light of the New Letters', Elizabeth Newman, Ocular Lab Inc, Melbourne, and CAST, Hobart

2005

The Sounds of Science, Artlink, Vol 25, No. 1, Adelaide

2002

For Many Artists of My Generation - Mutlu Cerkez', Ex. Cat. NEW05, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, Melbourne
Good Secret, Raafat Ishak, Ian Potter Museum of Art, Melbourne Art Fair Rose Nolan, MAKE, Special Edition, London

2001

In the Before Time, Emily Floyd, Artissima, Exhibition Catalogue, Torino Baby Mess; the Work of Katherine Huang, LIKE, Summer, Melbourne Excerpts from a Conversation... Mutlu Cerkez and Damiano Bertoli, HOT ROD, Melbourne/Oslo

2000

Cityscape Melbourne, Flash Art International, No. 212, 2000, Milan 1999 Ways of Living, review, LIKE, winter 1999, Melbourne

1998
Rubik #1, 1998, Melbourne

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2019
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2018
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2017
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Day, C. 'Future Eaters', exhibition catalogue, MUMA

2016
Butler, R. 'Desire chasing it's own tale', Ex. Cat. 'Continuous Moment: Big Foot's Studio', Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne
Cramer, S. 'Damiano Bertoli' <http://dancingumbrellas.heide.com.au/tagged/Damiano-Bertoli>

2015
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Rainforth, D. 'Damiano Bertoli's 'Associates', Art and Australia, <http://www.artandaustralia.com/news/reviews-commentary/column-damiano-bertolis-associates>

2014
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Hill, W. 'Associates: An interview with Damiano Bertoli', Das Superpaper, Issue 32, pp. 36-41
Material, No. 3, Eds. John Nixon & Danny Lacy, Melbourne
Johnson, H. 'The Now is not Present', Exhibition Catalogue, 'Continuous Moment: Sordid's Hotel, Centre for Contemporary Photography, Melbourne
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2013
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Newton, G. 'Like Mike', Exhibition Catalogue, Various Venues, Melbourne, p. 81

2012
Papas, N. 'Radio Alice', Exhibition Catalogue, Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne
Hughes, H. 'Radio Alice', Exhibition Reviews, Art Guide, Nov/Dec, pp 49-50
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Keehan, R. 'The Set-up: Performative performance in ten uneasy stages', Column 8, Artspace, Sydney, p.6

2011
Discipline, Number One, Winter, 2011
Hughes, H. 'Continuous Moment: Le Desir...' Eyeline, # 73, p. 87
Wise, K. 'When The Dead Help the Living', Ex. Cat, Light Projects, Melbourne
Webb, P. 'Continuous Moment: Le Desir', Exhibition Reviews, Art Guide, Jan/Feb pp 31-2

2010
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Modra, P. 'Reviews', M, The Age, September 26, p19

Rule, D., 'Around the Galleries', The Age, September 25, A2, p20
Daly, A., 'Meeting With The Monster: Hair, Sex, Shame', Un Magazine 4.1, Melbourne, p52-3
Feary, M., 'Beyond What Lies Beyond,' Ex. Cat. 'Event Horizon', CCP, Melbourne
Rule, D., 'Around the Galleries', The Age, 1st May, A2, p22
Croggon, N. 'Continuous Moment: AndAndAnd...' Ex. Cat, 'The Nothing', Westspace, Melbourne

2009

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Bertoli, D. Titmarsh, M. Trendall, J. 'The Uncanny X-Men', Ex. Cat, eXpandex, Tin Sheds Gallery, Sydney

2008

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Daw, K. & Sullivan, L. Eds. 'Bureau', VCA Margaret Lawrence Gallery, p85
Sullivan, L. 'True Crime- Murder and Misdemeanour in Australian Art', Ex. Cat, Geelong Art Gallery
Feary, M. 'Structural Decline', Ex. Cat, Melbourne Art Fair

2007

Garifalakis, T. 'Year Of The Pig', Ex. Cat, Neon Parc
Bertoli, D. 'New 07 Interviewed, Broadsheet, vol 36. No.1,p14.
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Webb, P. 'Relentless Optimism', The Age, February 14th
Clemens, J. 'Continuous Moment: I'm OK, You're OK', Ex. Cat, Relentless Optimism, Carlton Club Hotel
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2006

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2005

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2004

Daniel Palmer, '2004: Australian Culture Now', Art in Australia, Vol. 42, No.2, Summer, 2004
Zara Stanhope,' In Conversation With', Un. Magazine, issue 2, 2004, Melbourne

2003

Stuart Koop, 'A Slow Quiet Collision: Notes Toward a New Serialism', 'Quiet Collision', C/O & Viafarini, Milan

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2002

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Ihor Holubizky, 'Mutable Spaces', Eyeline, Vol 48, 2002 Brisbane, p46

Josh Milani, Mutable Spaces Exhibition Catalogue, Metro Arts, Brisbane

2000

Daniel Palmer, Final Fantasies, Flash Art International, No. 213, Milan

1999

Lara Travis, 'System*', Review, LIKE, Winter 1999

Tom Nicholson, 'System*' Exhibition Catalogue, Linden Gallery, Melbourne

1998

Zara Stanhope, 'Graphic', Exhibition Catalogue, Monash University Gallery, Melbourne