

## **Rob McLeish**

Born 1976, Melbourne, Australia. Lives and works in Melbourne, Australia.

### **Education**

2011 Master of Fine Art, Monash University, Melbourne  
1998 Bachelor of Graphic Design, Swinburne University, Melbourne

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2025  
*SNARES*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2021  
*Headless*, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne  
*Distortions*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2016  
*Correction Flute(s)*, Neon Parc, Melbourne  
*Thanks Criticism!*, Kansas Gallery, New York

2013  
*Lapsink*, Neon Parc, Melbourne  
Art Contemporary Los Angeles Art Fair, Neon Parc, Los Angeles

2012  
*Concept Fatigue*, DB, Sydney

2011  
*Gravity Stole My Eyelid*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2010  
NADA Art Fair, Neon Parc, Miami  
*Keep Art Evil*, Monash University, Melbourne  
*Bung Eye*, Studio 12, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne

2009  
*Pissing In The Infinity Pool*, Ocular Lab, Melbourne

2008  
*Afterparty*, Westspace, Melbourne  
*Out To Pasture*, Gertrude Slide, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne

2007  
*Step Into The Light*, TCB, Melbourne

### **Selected Group Exhibitions**

2026  
XX, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2024  
*Melbourne Sculpture Biennale*, Villa Alba Museum, Melbourne

2023  
*Frozen Blood*, Neon Parc, Melbourne  
*Air Like Wine*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2018

*From Will To Form*, TarraWarra Biennial, TarraWarra Museum, TarraWarra

2017

*Verus Rodin: Bodies Across Space And Time*, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide

2016

*Vitreous Humour*, Kansas Gallery, New York

*10 Years Of Neon Parc!*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2015

*An Imprecise Science*, ArtSpace, Sydney

*Basil Sellers Art Prize* - touring, Samstag Museum, University of South Australia, Adelaide

2014

*Sequester*, Australian Embassy, Washington DC

*Basil Sellers Art Prize*, Ian Potter Museum, Melbourne University, Melbourne

2013

*Reinventing The Wheel: The Readymade Century*, Monash University Museum of Art, Melbourne

2012

*Parallel Collisions*, 2012 Biennial of Australian Contemporary Art, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide

*Figure and Ground*, Utopian Slumps, Melbourne

*The Drawing Room*, Breenspace, Sydney

2011

*City*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2010

*Gertrude Studios 2010*, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne

*Tape Worm*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

*Flowers In The Attic*, TCB, Melbourne

*Autumn Masterpieces*, Center for Contemporary Photography, Melbourne

*Canadian Pharmacy*, Neon Parc, Melbourne

2009

*Gertrude Studios 2009*, Gertrude Contemporary, Melbourne

*OMFG!*, C3, Melbourne

*Don't Trust The Artist*, Ivan Dougherty Gallery, University of NSW, Sydney

2008

*Life, Death, Thereafter*, Silvershot, Melbourne

*Young Old Hot*, TCB, Melbourne

2007

*Good Mood*, Sophie Gannon, Melbourne

2006

*Flaming Youth*, Orange Regional Gallery, Orange (NSW)

*Hello Lovers (Thanks Fans)*, Bus Gallery, Melbourne

*Poor Yorick*, Virginia Wilson Art, Sydney

2005

*To Think We Almost Made It (The Anti-Heroic Gestures of True Romantics)*, Firstdraft, Sydney

*Salon de Freehands*, Seventh Gallery, Melbourne

## **Collections**

National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne  
Art Gallery of Ballarat, Ballarat  
Monash University, Melbourne  
ArtBank  
Private Collections

### **Awards, Grants & Residencies**

2009  
Gertrude Contemporary, Studio Artist, Melbourne

2016  
ArtSpace, Sydney