

THE PAPER TRAIL

10 exhibitions across Sydney to celebrate the Fair's 10th anniversary

["Art on paper is at the same time, durable and fragile, spontaneous and considered."](#)

From cutting edge graphic design in Ultimo to traditional masterprinter exhibitions across the Harbour at Mosman, 10 regional galleries around Sydney invite you on **The Paper Trail**, a **Sydney Art on Paper Fair 2005** satellite event exploring the extremes of art on paper.

The Paper Trail launches **Thursday 30 June** with a cocktail party at the **Sofitel Wentworth Sydney** (a SAPF major partner) with an exhibition of selected works from galleries showing at the SAPF (28-31 July).

This is a **Sydney Art on Paper Fair 2005** satellite event, supported by the Regional Galleries Association and the Sofitel Wentworth Sydney.

Sydney Art on Paper Fair director Akky van Ogtrop curated the special launch exhibition at Sofitel Wentworth featuring a series of works from one of the world's most fantastical graphic artists, **M.C. Escher**, as well as **vintage posters** and new works by renowned Sydney artist **Jim Croke** and insightful social commentator/cartoonist **Michael Leunig**.

"The Paper Trail shows how art on paper can be both cutting edge and beautiful in its traditions," says the Paper Trail Co-ordinator and Manly Art Gallery director Therese Kenyon. "From print-making, drawing and water colour on paper to digital design and posters, The Paper Trail features high-tech contemporary works in one gallery and the ultimate in traditional art in another."

Highlights of The Paper Trail include the 'Art on Paper – Hazelhurst Art Award' held at the **Hazelhurst Regional Gallery, Gymea**. First prize of \$12 000, selected from the 150 works exhibited, will be awarded to the finest contemporary work at the opening, Friday 8 July.

In the **Palm House Gallery** at the Botanical Gardens, The Paper Trail leads you to 'Palm on Paper', where works made out of palm fibres or on the theme of the palm tree will be showcased.

Over the Bridge, at the **Mosman Art Gallery** The Paper Trail goes back in time, examining the creative practice of Diana Davidson, artist and masterprinter with over 30 years experience collaborating with distinguished Australian artists Arthur Boyd, Elisabeth Cumming, Robert Dickerson, Russell Drysdale and many more.

The Brett Whitely Gallery in Surry Hills will show drawings, prints, collages and paintings by legendary Australian artists **Brett Whiteley**, **Russell Drysdale**, **William Dobell** and **Sali Herman**.

At **Manly Art Gallery and Museum** a touring exhibition from the Print Council of Australia, links artists across Australia who communicated via phone, post, email or fax to collaboratively create works on paper.

The pivotal career of Swiss graphic designer **Armin Hoffman** will be celebrated at the **UTS Gallery**, Ultimo with twentieth century design posters collected by 3 Deep Design.

The **Tin Sheds Gallery** at the University of Sydney will feature contemporary Australian works curated by Jacqueline Rose and Jasmin Stephens, teasing out the relationship between the drawn, the written and the uttered.

Then in Marrickville, at the **Addison Road Gallery and Community Centre**, resident curator Terry Cutcliffe will show his selection of works on or of paper by 12 artists from the Ultimo Project Artists Co-operative in the centre to coincide with the MOST Marrickville Open Studio Trail weekend (16 & 17 July).

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The Paper Trail Galleries

UTS GALLERY

Level 4, 702 Harris Street, Ultimo
Ph: 02 9514 1284
DATES: 28 June - 29 July 2005

HAZELHURST REGIONAL GALLERY & ARTS CENTRE

782 The Kingsway, Gymea 2227
Ph: 8536 5700
DATES: 9 July – 21 August 2005

TIN SHEDS GALLERY

Wilkinson Bldg. Faculty of Architecture,
148 City Rd. University of Sydney 2006
Ph: 9351 3115
DATES: 22 JULY TO 13 AUGUST 2005

MOSMAN ART GALLERY

Cnr Short St and Myahgah Rd,
Mosman 2088
Ph: 99784042
DATES 23 JULY – 28 AUGUST 2005

PRIMROSE PAPERWORKS COOPERATIVE LTD

Palm House Gallery at the Botanical
gardens.
Ph: 9949 5607
DATES: 22 July to 4 August 2005

BRETT WHITELEY STUDIO

2 Raper St Surry Hills 2010
Ph: 9225 1881
DATES: 28 May to 25 September 2005

MANLY ART GALLERY & MUSEUM

West Esplanade Manly
(next to Oceanworld)
Ph: 99491776
DATES: 29 JULY TO 4 SEPT 2005

THE ULTIMO PROJECT INC. ARTIST RUN COOPERATIVE AND ADDISON RD GALLERY

142 Addison Rd Marrickville 2204
OPEN STUDIO WEEKEND SAT 16 and
SUN 17 JULY
DATES: 15 JULY – 6 AUGUST 2005

COLLEGE OF FINE ART UNSW

COFA Gallery, Albion Ave and Selwyn Sts
Paddington 2021
Ph: 9385 0888
DATES: 11 July to 16 July 2005

SAPF at SOFITEL WENTWORTH SYDNEY,

61-101 Phillip Street, Sydney
DATES: 29 JUNE to 13 August 200

