



Eileen Gordon & Grant Donaldson

Eileen Gordon, born Norway 1961, with glassblowing experience in UK & Australia since 1979.

Eileen's skill & design sense is reflected in the wide range of unique glass art, limited editions & commissioned pieces she has produced. Eileen has won numerous awards & her glass is in demand from collectors & galleries worldwide.

"...my passion for colours, shape & form is greatly inspired by the environment around me – nature, ocean & sunsets. Every where you look there's a new idea. The challenge is always how you will capture the moment and freeze it. The greatest pleasure for me is the challenge of manipulating the ever recalcitrant molten glass."

Eileen Gordon

Grant Donaldson born Australia 1959 has been glassblowing since 1990 following a career as a farmer.

Grant's artistic creativity using layers of colours, is inspired by the vast and diverse Australian landscape.

Grant has in past years been commissioned by the Crown Casino, Melbourne and by the Australian Prime Ministers Department for gifts to be presented to foreign visiting dignitaries.

"...my work reflects my love and connection to the land. I use simple forms as my 'canvas' to express my interpretation of the landscape."

Grant Donaldson

Eileen I. Gordon - Edited Version

Eileen Gordon was born in Bergen, Norway in 1961 from Scottish parents who are both skilled glass engravers.

Permanent Collections

Devonport Museum and Art Gallery
Footscray Town Hall
'The McGaughey Glass Collection' Latrobe Regional Gallery

Group Exhibitions

1981 The West Australian Stained Glass Ehibition, Concert Hall, Perth, W.A.
1982 The Craft Center Art Glass Group Show, Melbourne, Vic.
1983 Second National Glass Biennial, Wagga Wagga City Art Gallery, NSW.
1983 "Craft in the West", Editions Gallery, W.A.
1983 Ausglass - Second National Exhibition, Adelaide, S.A.
1983 Two Man Show, Limeburners Gallery, McLarenvale, S.A.
1983 Royal Show Craft Awards, S.A.
1983 "Glass Works", Australian Craft gallery, Qld.
1984 "Women Glass Makers", Distelfink Gallery, Vic.
1984 Potters Cottage group show, Vic.
1984 "Transport Treasures", Aldgate Crafts, S.A.
1984 "The Three Conebinations", MGM Gallery, Melbourne, Vic.
1985 Handmark Gallery, Hobart, Tasmania.
1986 First Aquisition Exhibition, Devonport Museum and Art Gallery, Tasmania.
1993 Kiwanis Art and Craft Exhibition, Shepparton Art Gallery, Vic.
1995 Mornington Peninsula Craft Event, Mornington, Vic.
1996 "Sea In Glass" Peninsula Galleries, Sorrento, Vic.
1997 "The Gordon Family" Glass Artist Gallery, Glebe, NSW.
1998 Without Pier, Family Exhibit, Sandringham, Vic.
1999 Azecra Kimono Dept. Store, Osaka, Japan.
1999 Munich International Craft Fair, Germany.
1999 Interior DesignEx Show, Melbourne, Vic.
2000 Munich International Craft Fair, Germany.
2000 "Translucence", Johnstone Gallery Revisited, Brisbane, Qld.
2001 Munich International Trade fair, Germany
2001 Without Pier, Sandringham, Vic.
2001 Ausglass Conference "Members Exhibition", Melbourne.
2001 Commissioned for 16 vases for the CHOGM Candidates.
2002 Commissioned for 3 vases for Crown Casino, Melbourne.
2002 Munich International Craft Fair, Germany
2002 SOFA – Chicago, USA
2002 The Journey. Eileen Gordon and Grant Donaldson, Skepsi on Swanston Vic.
2003 Ausglass Conference Members Show
2003 "The Gordon's", Family Exhibition, Kirra Australia, Melbourne
2005 Members exhibition, GAS conference, Adelaide
2006 Flair Exhibition, Perth, WA

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