

Short St. Gallery



Lorna Kantilla

Date of Birth 16/01/1977 **Region** Tiwi

Lorna's work with natural ochres is lively and spontaneous and has a feeling of movement through the use of full and flowing strokes. Sometimes the paint is transparent, sometimes opaque and thick. Generally, Lorna's paintings are non figurative, using lines, dots and sometimes circles. Lorna uses the same elements in her work on silk.

Exhibitions

2013	`Good Strong Powerful` an Artback NT touring exhibition 2011-2013 in conjunction with artists from Bindi in Alice Springs and Dion Beasley from Tennant Creek. Final show at Chan Contemporary Art Space, Darwin 8 th August-1 st September 2013.
2013	'Stable Ground' in conjunction with Good Strong Powerful exhibition at the Chan Contemporary ArtSpace,
2011	"Ngaruwanajirri: helping one another" Charles Darwin University Art Gallery, Casuarina, NT. A retrospective exhibition of works by all Ngaruwanajirri artists.
2010 2010	"White" artworks from many communities, Short St Gallery, Broome, WA. Natural ochre paintings on Arches paper by Loma. Nomad Art, Manuka, ACT. June 2010.



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2010	Natural ochre paintings on Arches paper by Loma, Estelle Munkanome and Alfonso Puautijmi. Outstation Art, Parap, N.T.
2010	"Arampini: Artists from the Tiwi Islands". Paintings by Ngaruwanajirri artists and artists from Munupi Arts (Melville Island).
2010	Raft Artspace Christmas Show. Raft Artspace, Alice Springs N.T. with works by Loma, Alfonso Puautjimi and Estelle Munkanome.
2009	A Ngaruwanajiri exhibition of paintings and carvings Plus carvings from other Tiwi Art workshops. Loma Kantilla, Estelle Munkanome, Alfonso Puautijimi. Raft artspace, Darwin, N.T.
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2008	New work from the Tiwi Islands. SoMA Galleries, Norwood, S.A.
2008	Ngaruwanajirri- New Works. Alison Kelly Gallery, Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria.
2008	"My Country Two" Noosa Blue Resort and The Studio, Cooroy, Queensland.
2008	Not for sale exhibition including two works on paper Recent works by Loma Kantilla, Estelle Munkanome and Alfonso Puautjimi. Raft Artspace, Darwin, N.T.
2008	"Tokwampini Tiwi Bird Carvings" Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney, N.S.W.
2007	"Tiwi Art" Raft artspace, Darwin N.T. December 2006 – February 2007.
2007	Short St Gallery, Broome, W.A. A three man show with natural ochre paintings on Canvas
2007	"Yırrinkiripwaja" Ngaruwanajirri Group exhibition, FAC Gallery, University of Wollongong, N.S.W.
2007	Works on paper and canvas by Alfonso Puautjimi,Estelle Munkanome, Loma Kantilla Raft Artspace Darwin N.T
2007	"Ngaruwanajirri Yikurri" Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney, N.S.W.



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2006	"From the Edge", Ivan Dougherty Gallery, College of Fine Arts, University of
	N.S.W.
2006	"Jarrumwani" (Tracks) Alison Kelly Gallery, Melbourne, Victoria. 20th April
	2006. Supreme Court, Darwin N.T
2006	"All the Tiwi Mob" Short St Gallery, Chinatown, Broome W.A.
2006	3 Ngaruwanajirri artists with works by artists from Jilamara, Munupi And Tiwi
	Design.Raft Artspace, Darwin N.T.
2005	"Ngaruwanajirri 2005" works on paper. Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney.
2005	"Ngaruwanajirri artists at Raft II" Raft Artspace, Darwin, N.T
2003	"Ngaruwanajirri Yirrara" Aboriginal and Pacific Art , Sydney
2000-2004	"Good Food, Sea Food"Travelling Exhibition with Art Back Nets 2000-
	2004.
2002	"Tayikuwapi" Coomalie Cultural Centre ,Batchelor NT.
2002	"Ngaruwanajirri" - Paintings by Tiwi Artists , Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney
1998	"Works on Paper"—Travelling exhibition with Art Back Nets, 1996-2000.
	National Aboriginal Art Award NT Art Gallery 1998.

Collections:

Bachelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education.

Charles Darwin University Art Collection.

University of Wollongong Art Collection.

Newcastle University Art Collection, Newcastle, NSW.