



Short St. Gallery



Mena Mununggurr

Born	1959
Language	Yolngu
Region	Arnhemland

Biography

Son of award-winning artist Djutjadjutja Mununggurr c1935 -'99. His mother is a Madarrpa woman, old Wapukay c1937. He chooses to reside at the major Djapu homeland of Wandawuy with his wife Burrjtjalk #2 who can assist him with his painting at times and extended family. He is the current senior Djapu man residing at Wandawuy, well versed in traditional law and culture. This seniority was recognised when he was selected by the elders as the Djapu artist in the Wukidi installation. This clan which has supplied artists such as Wongu, Maw, Djutjadjutja and Muqtjpuuy now relies on Mena as senior ceremonial artist.

Group Exhibitions

2019 Tarnanthi 2019 – Art Gallery of South Australia

Collections

Australian National Maritime Museum
Kluge-Ruhe Aboriginal Art Collection of the University of Virginia. USA