# Matthew Curtis Born Luton, England 1964

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## **Selected Exhibitions**;

2012	Global + Local, Museum of Fine Arts St Petersburg, Florida, USA.
2012	SOFA Chicago, co Pismo Gallery USA.
2012	Habatat International Invitational, Michigan, USA.
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2011	'Geometry' Masters Exhibition, Sabbia Gallery, Sydney.
2011	SOFA Chicago, co, Pismo Gallery USA.
2011	Members Exhibition, Craft Act.
2010	'Transparent' Axia Modern Art, Melbourne.
2010	'Sum of Parts', Masters Exhibition, Sabbia Gallery, Sydney.
2010	Australian Survey exhibition; Imago Gallery, Palm Desert, USA.
2010	SOFA Chicago, Thomas R Riley Gallery.
2010	Ranamok glass prize, touring finalist, Australia.
2009	'Symmetry in Nature', Axia Modern Art, Melbourne.
2009	Finalist, Ranamok Glass Prize, Australia.
2009	'Collect' at Satchi Gallery London. Co, Raglan Gallery Sydney
2009	Palm Beach 3, Thomas R Riley Gallery, USA.
2009	SOFA Santa Fe, Thomas R Riley Gallery, USA.
2008	"Matthew Curtis", solo exhibition, Riley Gallery, Cleveland, USA.
2008	"Dialogue", Beaver Gallery, Canberra, ACT, Australia.
2008	"Dividing Lines", Solo Exhibition, Pismo Gallery, Aspen, USA.
2008	Palm Beach 3, Thomas R Riley Gallery, USA.
2008	"Collect" V&A, England, co. Raglan Gallery Sydney
2007	SOFA Chicago, Thomas R Riley Gallery.
2007	"Structural Divisions", Axia Modern Art, Melbourne.
2006	"Australische Impressionen", Gallery Rosenhauer, Goettingen, Germany.
2006	"Australian Glass" Sandra Ainsley Gallery Toronto, Canada.
2006	SOFA Chicago, Thomas R Riley Gallery.
2006	"Collect" V&A, England, co. Raglan Gallery Sydney
2005	"Segmented Structures" solo exhibition, Axia Modern Art, Melbourne.
2005	"Canberra Glass 2005", Beaver Gallery, Canberra.
2005	"Glass Survey Exhibition", Sanske Gallery, Switzerland.
2005	"Collect, V&A", England. co. Raglan Gallery.
2004	"SOFA Chicago", Bullseye Gallery.
2004	"Something Different", Glass Pyramid Gallery, Budapest, Hungary.
2004	"Solo Exhibition" Sanske Gallery Zurich, Switzerland.
2003	"Grid Lines" Solo Exhibition Axia Modern Art, Melbourne, Australia.
2003	"Tactile" Solo Exhibition at Quadrivium Gallery, Sydney.
2003	"National Sculpture Prize" Exhibition, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra.
2003	"Surveying the Surface" solo exhibition at Beaver Galleries, ACT.  "Metarial Cultura" National Callery of Australia, Carborra
2002	"Material Culture" National Gallery of Australia, Canberra.
2002	"Transparent Things" National Gallery of Australia Travelling Exhibition,
2001	in collaboration with Wagga Wagga Regional Art Gallery and The Thomas Foundation.
2001	"Solo Exhibition", Sanske Gallery in collaboration with Creative Glass, Zurich.

2001	"Symmetry x 2" Australian Art Resources, Axia Modern Art, Melbourne.
1999	"Weekend 99", Wheaton Village, Milleville, NJ
1998	"Past Tense/Future Perfect" National Tour, Craft West, Perth.

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### Selected Training, professional positions and activities;

2010 2006	Artist Talk, SOFA Chicao, USA. Artist Talk, Collect at the V&A, London England.
2004/2005	Construction and running of own Hot Studio Queanbeyan, NSW.
2003/2004	Hot glass tutor, Vetreria Artigiana, Switzerland.
2001	Hot glass tutor, Creative Glass Center, Switzerland.
2000	Hot glass tutor, Sydney College of the Arts.
1999	Village Fellowship and demonstration. Milleville, NJ.
1998	Hot glass tutor, Sydney College of the Arts.
1998	T.A for Ben Edols and Kathy Elliott, Corning Studios, NY.
1994-2000	Team working with Ben Edols, Kathy Elliott, Bettina Visintin,
	Thomas Rowney, Denizen Glass Studio, Sydney
1991-1998	Assistant to Robert Wynne, production work and studio construction,
2001 2000 1999 1998 1998 1994-2000	Hot glass tutor, Creative Glass Center, Switzerland. Hot glass tutor, Sydney College of the Arts. Village Fellowship and demonstration. Milleville, NJ. Hot glass tutor, Sydney College of the Arts. T.A for Ben Edols and Kathy Elliott, Corning Studios, NY. Team working with Ben Edols, Kathy Elliott, Bettina Visintin, Thomas Rowney, Denizen Glass Studio, Sydney

#### Awards, Collections;

2012

2011	Arts NSW Travel Grant.
2010	Arts Act New Work Grant. ACT, Australia.
2006	New work Grant, Australia Council.
2004	New work Grant, Australia Council.
2002	New Work Grant, Australia Council Grant.
1999	Thomas Foundation Grant.
1999	Fellowship, Creative Glass Center of America, Wheaton NJ

Arts ACT New Work, ACT Australia.

Etihad Towers, Abu Dhabi, UAE.

Art Trust. Australia.

National Gallery of Australia.

Wagga Wagga National Glass Collection. Australia.

Mobile City Art Glass Museum Collection, America.

Ernsting Stifting, Glass Museum, Coesfelfd Germany.

De Young Museum, Saxe Collection, San Fransisco, America.

Palm Springs Museum, CA. USA. Private Collection of Elton John. Societe General, Singapore.