



## **RHONDA CAO**

Rhonda Cao loves working with the human form and finds the shape, movement and expression that can be achieved by stylising this form exciting and inspirational. She sees the blend of movement, abstraction and balance challenging and loves exploring where this challenge will lead.

She does not want her work to be representational but she likes her work to have enough suggestion to lead the viewer into using their own imagination to complete the story.

She also likes to include some irreverence in her work to balance the traditional medium of bronze that she usually works in and so will often use iconic Aussie expressions and names for her titles. She would like to think that her work makes people smile and for her, it is really important that people want to touch her work and feel comfortable in doing so.

Rhonda has been sculpting full time for about 13 years now following a career in graphic design and teaching.

## **Exhibitions**

### **2012**

Songs for Sydney	Global Gallery, Paddington
Go Figure	Robyn Bauer Gallery, Paddington
Best of the Best	The Gallery, Eumundi, Qld .

### **2011**

Ephemeral	Annual invitation exhibition, The Strand, Townsville.
Garden Secrets	Robyn Bauer Studio Gallery
Up the Garden Path	Pine Rivers Shire Art Gallery

### **2010**

	The Gallery Eumundi
Group Exhibitions	Robyn Bauer Studio Gallery Martin Galleries Nundah

### **2009**

The Body Study	Martin Galleries
Whimsy (group)	Logan Art Gallery

### **2008**

From the Verandah	Robyn Bauer Studio Gallery
Legends, Lies & Other Lame Excuses (solo)	Robyn Bauer Studio Gallery
Sculptors Queensland	Mt Coot-tha Botanical Gardens
Selected for Stanthorpe Arts Festival	Stanthorpe Art Gallery

### **2007**

Body Torque (solo)	RM Galleries
Palette of Artists	Moving Canvas
Maximal	Robyn Bauer Studio Gallery
Sculptors Queensland	Mt Coot-tha Botanical Gardens
Preview	RM Galleries

### **2006**

Works from the Stable	RM Galleries
Figures of Speech [solo]	Robyn Bauer Studio Gallery
Moving Canvas	Eagle Street One
Grand Opening	RM Galleries

