

Rankin, Heather

b. Whyalla, South Australia

Residence: Australia

Education:

Graduate, South Australian School of Art, 1969

Chinese brush painting, Kuala Lumpur, 1974–1978

Drawing while living in Texas, 1980–1982

Botanical painting with Jenny Phillips, early 1990s

Career:

Art teacher, secondary schools in Australia

Botanical artist, 1990s–

Teacher, Jenny Phillips' Botanical Art School of Melbourne

Membership:

Founding member, Florilegium Society of Australasia

Media:

Watercolor, pencil

Group Exhibition(s):

Exhibited Chinese brush paintings in Kuala Lumpur, 1975

Art of Botanical Illustration, Royal Botanical Gardens, Melbourne, 1994, 1996, 1998

Botanical art exhibition, Eltham Wiregrass Gallery, Eltham, Victoria, 1995

Papillion Gallery, Malvern, Victoria, 1995

Libby Edwards Gallery, South Yarra, Victoria, 1996

22 of the Best, Eltham Wiregrass Gallery, Eltham, Victoria, 1999

Barossa Fine Art exhibition, Angaston, South Australia, 1999

Botanicart Gallery, South Yarra, Australia, 2000

Geelong District Art Gallery, Geelong, Victoria, 2001

One-Person Exhibition(s):

Botanicart Gallery, Botanical Art School of Melbourne, South Yarra, Victoria, 2003

Collections:

Numerous private collections in the United Kingdom, United States, Malaysia and Australia

Commissions:

Numerous private commissions

Work Reproduced In:

Jenny Phillips' Australian Botanical Artists: National Trust Diary 2001. 2001. Women's Committee of National Trust of Australia.

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Eucalyptus conferruminata 1998

Watercolor 58 × 39 cm

Lent by the artist