

The Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum thanks the following sponsors for their generous & vital contribution to the 2011 Rio Tinto Alcan Martin Hanson Memorial Art Awards & Exhibition.

Overall	Section 1	Section 2	Section 3
 Elizabeth & Leo Zussino 	 Christian Thomsen Gladstone Picture Framing	 Murray & Wendy Schoenfisch 	 TREVOR McMASTER REFRIGERATION 
			

Submissions of Entries:
 Wednesday 26 to Saturday 29 October,
 10am - 5pm

Pre-selection: Sunday 30 October

Judging: Friday 4 November

Sponsors' Preview: Friday 4 November, 6.30pm

Judge's floor talk & artists' gold coin donation lunch.
 Discussion and walk-through of the exhibition
 Saturday 5 November, 11.30am

Judge's illustrated talk:
 Saturday 5 November, 2pm

Presentation of Awards and exhibition opening:
 Saturday 5 November, 6:30pm

Exhibition closes: Thursday 8 December, 5pm

Collection of works:
 Friday 9, Saturday 10 and Monday 12 December
 between 10am & 5pm

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Important Dates 2011

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Rio Tinto Alcan



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Martin Hanson (1923-76) was MLA for Port Curtis from 1963 until 1976. Hanson was a popular & highly respected local businessman & also patron of the Gladstone Artists Club. As a tribute to Mr Hanson the Club established the Martin Hanson Memorial Art Awards & Exhibition in 1976.

The Artists Club continued to administer the successful & expanding Awards until passing the administration to the Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum in 1993.

From 1976 until her death Mary Hanson (1924-1998) officially opened the exhibition of entries and presented the annual Art Awards in memory of her late husband. The Hansons' daughter, Elizabeth Zussino continues the family commitment to the Awards.



Photo: Carl Warner

Dr Campbell Gray commenced as Director, University of Queensland Art Museum in March this year, after 14 years away from Australia as Director, Brigham Young University Museum of Art in Utah, USA.

With a practical and academic background in museum studies he is building on the relationships between the museum and the academic activities of the University, and is enhancing the University's contribution to Australian audiences through Art Museum-initiated and touring exhibitions and programs.

Martin Hanson

2011 Judge

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Sections of Entry

TOTAL PRIZE MONEY \$22,450

Rio Tinto Alcan Martin Hanson Memorial Art Award \$10,000

All entries in all sections are eligible for this Award.

Wide Bay Australia Ltd. Local Artist Award \$1,200

(Acquisitive)

Works in all media by residents of the local region (see Conditions 4 & 5).

South Gladstone Rotary Club Inc/Multitrade Youth Emergent Artist Award \$750

Works in all sections by Queensland residents, aged 15 to 25 years (by 30 October 2010) are eligible.

Murri Artist Award \$750

Sponsored by Elizabeth and Leo Zussino.

Works in all sections by Aboriginal, Torres Strait or South Sea Island artists of the local region (see Condition 3).

SECTION ONE:

Easel Paintings - mixed media, acrylic, oil, collage, print, canvas, masonite, etc on non-paper based supports

Queensland Energy Resources Ltd. Award \$2,000

Christian Thomsen Award \$750

Gladstone Picture Framing (Open Order) \$500

SECTION TWO:

Works on Paper - drawing, watercolour, collage, mixed media, photography & print-making etc on paper based supports

Queensland Alumina Ltd. Award \$2,000

The LauraLou Jay Memorial Award \$750

ConocoPhillips Award \$500

SECTION THREE:

Three Dimensional & Fibre Works - pottery hand built/wheel thrown, sculpture including maquettes, carving, assemblage, timber, metal, stone, plastics, fibre etc

Gladstone Ports Corporation Award \$2,000

Trevor McMaster Refrigeration Award \$750

Gladstone Printing Services Award \$500

Conditions of Entry

1. Entry fee is \$11 (inc. GST) per artwork & is non-refundable. No more than two (2) works per artist may be submitted. All artists are to be 15 years or over.
2. All entries are eligible for the **Rio Tinto Alcan Martin Hanson Memorial Art Award**. Although an artwork may only be entered into one section, it may also be eligible for the **Local Artist, Youth Artist and Murri Artist Awards**, in addition to the **Rio Tinto Alcan Martin Hanson Memorial Art Award**.
3. To be eligible for the **Murri Artist Award**, the entrant must be a Murri artist & resident, of at least three months duration, within the boundaries of Gladstone Regional, North Burnett Regional and Banana Shire Councils.
4. To be eligible for the **Wide Bay Australia Ltd. Local Artist Award** the entrant must be a resident of at least three months duration within the boundaries of the Gladstone Regional, North Burnett Regional and Banana Shire Councils.
5. Works not for sale must be clearly marked NFS & will not be eligible for the acquisitive **Wide Bay Australia Ltd. Local Artist Award**.
6. All works & concepts must be the original, unaided work of the entrant & created during the twelve months prior to 30 October 2011.
7. Entry fee, together with completed entry form & appropriately labelled artwork must be received by 5pm Saturday 29 October 2011 for assessment by the preview panel that will select works for exhibition. Late entries cannot be accepted.
8. Workshop projects, commercially produced kits, designs, etc, works that have won major awards or prominently featured in major local exhibitions are not eligible.
9. A collaborative work is seen as an entry by each individual collaborator.
10. The Gallery/Museum reserves the right to reproduce entries for publicity, catalogue & archival purposes in association with the Awards.
11. The Gallery/Museum exercises all due care in exhibiting & handling entries, but works shall, at all times, remain at the risk of the entrant. No liability for any loss or damage; either in transit or while in the custody of the Gallery/Museum will be accepted.

12. All entries must be able to be handled safely by two people & be ready for display with "D" rings attached, 10cm from top of frame for larger works & 5cm for smaller works. Plinths are available for 3D works, however suitable stands or supports must be included where necessary. Clear instructions must accompany works that require assembly.
13. No work to be removed or photographed during the currency of the exhibition.
14. Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum will have first option to purchase works for the permanent collection.
15. A commission of 20% (+10% GST on commission) will be taken on all works sold.
16. Arrangements & expenses pertaining to the delivery & collection of entries are the responsibility of the entrant. All works must be delivered to & collected from the Gallery/Museum (door to door).
17. All works together with entry forms should be addressed & delivered to the Gallery/Museum between 10am - 5pm from Wednesday 26 October to Saturday 29 October 2011 to:

2011 Rio Tinto Alcan Martin Hanson Memorial Art Awards, Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum Cnr Goondoon & Bramston Street, GLADSTONE QLD 4680

18. Return freight must be prepaid. Consignment notes, pre-paid vouchers or postage stamps etc. must be enclosed with entry form.
19. All works will be viewed by the Judge but only those selected by the preview panel and judge will be exhibited. The Judge's decision will be final & no correspondence will be entered into.
20. **Entries must be collected 10am - 5pm, Friday 9, Saturday 10 & Monday 12 December 2011. No responsibility will be taken for unclaimed entries. Entries not collected by the due date will be sent to auction after one month.**

All entrants are invited to join the **Judge's floor talk and lunch, 11.30am**, followed by the **public lecture at 2pm**, and **presentation of awards & official opening, 6:30pm, on Saturday 5 November 2011.**

Please RSVP by **2 November**.

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Monday to Saturday, 10am to 5pm.