

# Alicia Poppett

Curriculum Vitae

## **Born 1978 -13 October (Sydney)**

Alicia grew up in Gerringong on NSW South Coast.

After studying a **Diploma in Fine Art**, Alicia moved back to Sydney at the age of 24 to experience the action of the city and the opportunity that it can bring. Since arriving in Sydney Alicia has introduced painting to many students through adult short courses at Art on King in Newtown.

A highlight of Alicia's Art career has been receiving a commission from **Channel Seven's** programme '**Home and Away**'. She painted numerous works for a character which became long standing features on the set.

Earlier this year Alicia's work was selected for the Finalists exhibition for The **Brett Whiteley Traveling Scholarship** coordinated by the **Art Gallery of NSW** (on display until 30 November 2008 Brett Whiteley Studios).

Alicia is currently in her first year studying a **Bachelor in Fine Arts** at **National Art School**.

## **Education**

2000-2002 Diploma Fine Arts - Wollongong TAFE

2002- 2003 Certificate IV Film and Television Production - North Sydney TAFE

2008- Current Bachelor Fine Art - National Art School Darlinghurst

## **Selected Finalist's Exhibitions**

2008 Brett Whiteley Traveling Scholarship, Brett Whiteley Studio's

2008 Paddington Art Prize, Mary Place Gallery Paddington

## **Teaching Experience**

2007- Current Manly Art Gallery and Museum – Art Programme for Children

2003- 2007 Art on King Studio's – Adult Education Courses in Painting