

# Madeleine Mercer



# Artist Resume

## 2025

- **Djirra woven logo redesign**  
*Re-designed a logo for a subbrand of Djirra - org supporting First Nations women who have experienced domestic violence. The subbrand focuses on the connections made through weaving.*
- **Lendlease "Reconciliation Award" Winner**  
*Was awarded a prize for my woven works "Kunuwara and swan" as part of the 13th Koorie Heritage Trust art show.*
- **Big Dreaming Exhibition**  
*Co-curated First Nations only exhibition celebrating the diversity of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in Naarm.*
- **'How I See You' - Woven Exhibition**  
*First Solo exhibiton - 10 part woven collection created over 4 months, Held at the Koorie Heritage Trust.*
- **National Weaving Salon Exhibition**  
*Was awarded a place in the exhibition of the first National Weaving symposium, and associated salon exhibiton. Showcasing my woven work "unkown", a woven skull.*
- **Kurdinthe National Weaving Symposium**  
*Attended the first national weaving symposium, held in Tarntanya.*
- **Flagstaff Station Mural**  
*Large scale permanent artwork mural across Flagstaff station.*
- **Sportsgirl National Campaign**  
*Created a digital artwork for a national campaign centring Country - in particulat threatened interspecies relationships.*
- **City of Kingston First Nations Exhibition**
- *Time, memory and Country digital art exhibition, at Kingston Arts.*

## 2024

- **NIYEC dream design conference**  
*Attended First Nations conference envisioning education systems and positive fascilitation strategies*
- **Sacred Heart Mission Weaving Workshop**  
*Weaving workshop for women in the Sacred heart mission homeless womens program.*
- **Freedom for Falsteen event**  
*Co-curated, co-hosted and created Set design, artwork creation and graphic design for a fundraiser music event for Palestine.*
- **GLAAS inc NAIDOC Exhibition**  
*NAIDOC week exhibition showcasing my Glass works form the First Nations workshops, hosted by melbourne Polytechnic.*
- **Little Rocket NAIDOC week Installation**  
*Painting of the NAIDOC "Keep the Fire Burning - Blak Loud and Proud" sculpture collaborative painting, and artwork featured in little rocket NAIDOC art exhibition.*
- **Parade College Logo redesign**  
*Decolonising and reclaiming the sovereignty of Country by redesigning elements of the Parade College school logo.*
- **Whyndham City Council Public Art**  
*Hand crafted woven and sewn scultures hung in light well of Koomail Tardy, and Bembit bagrook Community Centres.*
- **Deakin University weaving workshops**  
*Multiple weaving workshop held during Cultural immersion for school of Optometry and Medicine - up to 100 participants each workshop.*

## 2023

- **Maribyrnong City Council Mural**  
*Large scale public mural in heart of Footscray created in collaboration with Hasib Hourani - a proud Palestinian man to honour and uplift our sovereign fight against Colonial genocide.*
- **Melbourne City Library Weaving workshop**  
*Queen Vic Market new space Weaving workshop held on the opening day of the new Melbourne library space.*

- **Wyndham City Council Murals and Weaving Workshops**  
*Large scale public murals installed as part of larg scalle artistic intervention.  
Multiple weaving workshops held with community to build relationships and create works to be installed in the space.*
- **Platypus Shoes Mural**  
*Mural creation and art direction of the Nation wide NAIDOC campaign - For Our Elders both in stores and online.*
- **City of Kingston Exhibition**  
*My work "Our Creators" and "The Good Shephard" were shown in the NAIDOC - For Our Elders exhibition.*
- **Melbourne Fashion Week**  
*Woven accessories showcased on the Ganbu Marra runway, and Trading Blak runway.  
Styling models and working back of house with Moth Production and Ana Keshan on Ganbu Marra Runway.*
- **Melbourne Girls College Mural**  
*Library Mural, inspired by the works of Oodgeroo Nunnucal*
- **Melbourne City Mission Weaving Workshop**  
*Hester Hornbrook Academy Weaving workshops for Indigenous students experiencing home and mental health disadvantages.*
- **Ex-hi-beat exhibition**  
*Group exhibition showcasing textile works at First Nations owned gallery; Honey bones.*
- **Craft Victoria Installation**  
*'Hung out to Dry' Woven instillation at Craft Victoria gallery.*

## 2022

- **Koorie Krismas Market**  
*Creating and selling hand made goods at the Koorie market held by Koorie Heritage Trust, at Federation Square.*
- **Koorie Art Show Exhibition**  
*10th Koorie Art Show exhibiting my woven works 'Hung out to Dry', which were purchased by the Koorie Heritage Trust.*
- **Living Museum of the West x Tropadero Projects Exhibition**  
*'Two Houses' group show showcasing woven and textile instillation works.*
- **Readings Bookstores Puzzle Commission**  
*Map-artwork puzzle commission for Readings Bookstores.*
- **Mixed Business x RONE Art Shop**  
*Hand made woven goods, and prints available in shopfront for RONE exhibition, Flinders st.*
- **Craft Victoria Exhibition**  
*Woven instillation 'Hung out to Dry' commissioned for adn shown in Craft Victoria gallery space.*
- **Kiss My art Collective Exhibition**  
*Group show as part of 'Kiss my Art Collective' - Aretha Browns' art collective, held at Schoolhouse studios.*
- **Platypus Shoes Mural**  
*Opportunity to create a self directed mural within the changing rooms of Southland shopping centre, Platypus Shoes store*
- **Apple x Aretha Brown Collaboration**  
*Graphic design work and project mamnagement for Aretha Brown commission for Apple music. Creation of multiple digital artworks for varied Apple specifications.*
- **Orchard Park Primary x Sam Richards Collaboration**  
*School house logo designs - co-created 4 designs incorporating native animals and cultural elements to each house colour, with Sam Richards, Wurundjeri artist.*
- **St. Mary's College, Melbourne Unversity Commission**  
*Jumper design for Indigenous student scholarship fundraiser.*
- **VACSAL Weaving Workshop**  
*Facilitating a Weaving workshop as part of a VACSAL program for women out of prison. during NAIDOC week.*