

still: Robert Wilson, William Pope.L, Artist, 2005, HD video, music by Xavier Naudascher, voice by William Pope.L

List of works in Robert Wilson: Moving portraits

Works are listed in exhibition themes, beginning with the works of Robert Wilson, followed by works in the Art Gallery of South Australia collection, unless otherwise specified. Works are ordered chronologically, then alphabetically. Dimensions are height x width x depth.

Nocturnes

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Boris, Porcupine, 2006 HD video, music by Bernard Herrmann

Princess Caroline, Princess of Monaco, 2006

HD video, music by Bernard Herrmann

Sean Penn, Actor, 2006 HD video, music by Mogwai

Works in the AGSA collection

attributed to Felice Beato
Italy, 1832–1909
Lady in winter dress, 1866–67, Japan albumen print, hand-coloured
24.5 x 19.5 cm (image)
Gift of Robert Dein through the
Art Gallery of South Australia
Foundation 2022
20222Ph59

Australia, early 20th century Studio portrait of young woman with closely cut hair and tiered skirt c.1920–30, South Australia? glass plate negative (dry plate) 16.4 x 11.9 cm (plate) R.J. Noye Collection. Gift of Douglas and Barbara Mullins 2004 20041RJN5073

Harold Cazneaux, Australia, 1878–1953 The ermine coat, 1931, Sydney gelatin-silver photograph 28.5 x 22.0 cm (image) South Australian Government

South Australian Government Grant 1978 7813Ph74

Max Dupain, Australia, 1911–1992 Jean with wire mesh, c.1935, Sydney gelatin-silver photograph 47.0 x 34.0 cm (image) Gift of Shane Le Plastrier through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2017 20172Ph3

Olive Cotton, Australia, 1911–2003

Max after surfing, 1939, Sydney
gelatin-silver photograph
25.8 x 19.5 cm (image)
30.4 x 25.2 cm (sheet)
Gift of Shane Le Plastrier through
the Art Gallery of South Australia
Foundation 2015
20158Ph115

Hiroshi Sugimoto, Japan, born 1948 Lightning Fields 227 2009 (printed 2020), New York gelatin-silver photograph 149.2 x 119.4 cm (image) Gift of Andrew and Hiroko Gwinnett, David McKee AO and Pam McKee, Margo and Sam Hill Smith, Jason Karas and Anna Baillie-Karas, John Phillips, Sue Ball and Angela Bonnin, Patty and Mark Chehade, Colin and Robyn Cowan, Rick and Jan Frolich, Peter and Kathryn Fuller, Heather Richmond and Chris Hall and Tracey Whiting AM through the AGSA Foundation and AGSA Contemporary Collectors 2021

Hoda Afshar, Iran/Australia, born 1983

Portrait #7, from the series Agonistes
2020, Melbourne
inkjet print on paper
112.5 x 79.5 cm (framed)
Gift of the Art Gallery of South
Australia Contemporary
Collectors 2021
20217Ph113

The Long Shadow of Happy Days

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941 Winona Ryder, Actress, 2004 HD video, music by Bernard Herrmann

Works in the AGSA collection

Greece

Aphrodite, c.300 BCE marble, 31.0 x 10.0 x 8.0 cm Gift of the Friends of the Art Gallery 1970 701055

Giorgio de Chirico, Italy, 1888–1979 Italian Square (Piazza d'Italia) 1951, Rome oil on canvas, 50.0 x 40.0 cm James and Diana Ramsay Fund 2022 T22077

Tim Noble, Britain, born 1966 Sue Webster, Britain, born 1967 The Gamekeeper's Gibbet 2011, London solid sterling silver gilded in pure gold, metal stand, light projector, 160.0 x 71.0 x 42.0 cm (stand) 240.0 x 240.0 x 360.0 cm (installation)

Gift of Tim Fairfax AC through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2013 20134515

Soul Mountain

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941 Gao Xingjian, Writer, 2005 HD video, music by Peter Cerone

Works in the AGSA collection

Sōko Gesshū, Japan, 1618–1696 Nothingness (mu) c.1650, Kyoto hanging scroll, ink on paper 114.5 x 54.0 cm (overall) 30.5 x 51.0 cm (image) Gift of Shane Le Plastrier through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2017

Indonesia, early – mid 20th century Mask, with radiating headdress (hudoq), 1900–50, Mahakam River region, East Kalimantan wood, white, red and black trade paint, iron nails 70.0 x 62.0 x 15.0 cm
Gift of Peter Elliott through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2010. Donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program 20103A49

Characters & Archetypes

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Brad Pitt, Actor, 2004 HD video, music by Michael Galasso, voice and text by Christopher Knowles

Isabella Rossellini, Actor, 2005 HD video, music by Henri Rene and His Orchestra, voice by Robert Wilson

Dita von Teese, Burlesque Performer 2006

HD video, music by Ethel Merman

Works in the AGSA collection

Scipione Pulzone, Italy, 1544–1598 Cardinal Ferdinando de' Medici, later Grand Duke Ferdinando I of Tuscany 1580, Rome oil on canvas, 185.0 x 119.3 cm Mrs Mary Overton Gift Fund 1998

985P39 England

Mirror, c.1815 giltwood, reeded ebony slip, convex mirror glass, 141.0 x 80.0 x 10.0 cm The David Roche Foundation, Adelaide

Utagawa II Kunisada, Japan, 1823–1880

Horitsuka Shoji, block cutter The nun cat (Ama Myochin) (the actor Segawa Kikunojo V), Xll/1852 from The dog storybook, the tale of the eight dog heroes (Hakkenden inu no soshi no uchi), 1852, Edo (Tokyo) woodblock print, ink and colour on paper, 37.0 x 25.6 cm (image) 37.8 x 35.9 cm (sheet)

Gift of Brian and Barbara Crisp in memory of their son Andrew 2005 20054G49

Charles Rennie Mackintosh, designer, Britain, 1868–1928

Two chairs for the Blue bedroom, Hous'hill, Nitshill, Glasgow 1904, Glasgow, Scotland oak, linen 76.0 x 42.0 x 37.5 cm (each) F.G. Halloran Bequest Fund 1994

Léon Bakst, Russia/France, 1866–1924 Indo Persian Dance, Marchesa Casati

(Danse Indo-Persane, Marquise Casati), 1912, Paris gouache on paper 56.8 x 47.4 cm (sheet)

South Australian Government Grant 1934

still: Robert Wilson, Norman Paul Fleming, Auto Mechanic, 2006, HD video, music by Hans Peter Kuhn

Narelle Autio, Australia, born 1969 Plastic gun from the series The summer of us 2009, Adelaide inkjet print on paper 32.0 x 40.0 cm (image) 40.0 x 48.0 cm (sheet) Ed and Sue Tweddell Fund for South Australian Contemporary Art, assisted by the artist, 2011 20114Plb.2.

Pat Brassington, Australia, born 1942 The Long Goodbye, 2017, Hobart pigment print, 90.0 x 72.0 cm (image) Gift of Tracey Whiting AM through the Art Gallery of South Australia Contemporary Collectors 2022

The Sacred Covenant

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Ivory, Black Panther, 2006 HD video, music by Jerry Leiber and Mike Stoller, text by Heiner Müller, voice by Robert Wilson

Kool, 2006

HD video, music by Carl Maria von Weber, arranged by Peter Cerone

Kool, Blue 1 Snowy Owl, 2006 HD video, music by Carl Maria von Weber, arranged by Peter Cerone

Norman Paul Fleming, Auto Mechanic 2006

HD video, music by Hans Peter Kuhn

Elk, 2019 HD video

Works in the AGSA collection

China, 18th century Plate, with bird and lotus flower motif 1700–1800, Jingdezhen, Jiangxi porcelain with underglaze blue decoration, 22.5 cm (diameter) Gift of Alastar Hunter OAM in

memory of his parents Tom and Elizabeth Hunter through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2019. Donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program 20193C20

Zorokusai, Japan, active 19th century *Seal, spotted stag* 19th century, Japan stained ivory, horn eyes 5.2 x 2.3 x 1.0 cm M.J.M. Carter AO Collection 2004 20048477

Stella Bowen, Australia/Britain, 1893–1947
Ford Madox Ford playing solitaire 1927, London or Paris oil on wood panel, 41.2 x 32.8 cm Gift of Ann Croser, Dr Michael Drew, Geoffrey Hackett-Jones, Penelope Hackett-Jones, Dr Michael Hayes and David McKee through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation Collectors Club 2003 20037P24

Jeffrey Smart, Australia, 1921–2013 Studies for 'Garage Attendants' 1965, Rome pen & ink, gouache, wash on paper 29.5 x 27.0 cm (sheet) South Australian Government Grant 1978 783D8

Koen Wastijn, Belgium, born 1963 Puma, 2002, Brussels taxidermy puma, stainless steel light 150.0 x 140.0 x 30.0 cm South Australian Government Grant 2003

Naomi Hobson, Australia, born 1978 Orange "This one's ripped but e'right, e'goes." Baziem from the series Adolescent Wonderland 2019, Coen, Queensland; printed by High Res Digital, Sydney inkjet pigment print on paper 81.0 x 110.0 cm (image) Acquisition through Tarnanthi: Festival of Contemporary Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Art supported by BHP 2019 20196Ph39

Gods of Our Time

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Mikhail Baryshnikov, Dancer and Choreographer, 2004 HD video, music by Michael Galasso

Robert Downey Jr, Actor, 2004 HD video, music by Tom Waits

Zhang Huan, Artist, 2004 HD video, music by Michael Galasso

William Pope.L, Artist, 2005 HD video, music by Xavier Naudascher, voice by William Pope.L

Works in the AGSA collection

Roman

Aphrodite, 100–200 CE marble, 110.0 x 48.0 x 30.0 cm Morgan Thomas Bequest Fund 1950

Thailand, 19th century Standing Buddha, 1850–90, Thailand wood, lacquer, gold 160.0 cm (height)
Gift of Lesley Lynn in memory of her parents Lorna and F.C. Pearce through the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2006 2006859

Christian Waller, designer
Australia, 1894–1954
Prophet Isaiah, Apostle St Peter, Sundar
Singh, 1936, Melbourne
glass, lead, 305.0 x 46.0 cm (left), 345.0
x 46.0 cm (centre),
305.0 x 46.0 cm (right)
Gift of James Ramsay AO and
Diana Ramsay AO and the
James and Diana Ramsay Fund to
commemorate the occasion of the
Gallery's Extensions 1996
953A21A(a-c)

Michael Riley, Australia, 1960–2004 *Untitled (clouds)* from the series *Flyblown*, 1998, Sydney type C photograph 82.0 x 108.0 cm (sight) South Australian Government Grant 2000 20006Pb9

Past Lives

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Lady Gaga: Death of Marat, 2013 HD video, music by Michael Galasso, voice by Lady Gaga, text by Marquis de Sade

Lady Gaga: Mademoiselle Caroline Rivière, 2013 HD video, music by Michael Galasso

Works in the AGSA collection

Roman

Balsarium, 50–200 CE glass, 13.5 x 6.0 x 6.0 cm Bequest of Sir Samuel Way 1916 C895

attributed to Pierre Langlois, cabinet-maker, France/Britain, working c.1759–1781

Commode, 1765–70, London mahogany and kingwood veneers, gilded bronze, deal carcass, oak drawers, 87.0 x 134.0 x 48.0 cm

Gift of Gladys Penfold Hyland in memory of her husband Frank 1964

Louise-Adéone Drölling
France, 1797–c.1836
Woman artist giving a drawing lesson
(Self-portrait), c.1815, Paris
oil on canvas, 72.0 x 58.0 cm
N.F. Rochlin Bequest Fund 2021

Jean Auguste Dominique Ingres France, 1780–1867 Odalisque, 1825, Paris; printed and published in 1826 by Delpech in Album Lithographiques lithograph on paper 17.5 x 23.8 cm (sheet) 13.1 x 21.0 cm (image) V.B.F. Young Bequest Fund 1994

Timothy Horn

Australia/United States of America, born 1964
Gorgonia 5 (full fathom five)
2015, Burlington, Vermont,
United States of America
nickel-plated bronze, mirrored
blown glass, 213.0 x 244.0 x 22.8 cm
James and Diana Ramsay Fund
assisted by Helen Bowden in
memory of her husband John
Bowden 2015
20154512

The Averted Gaze

Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Lucinda Childs, Dancer and Choreographer, 2005 HD video, music by Peter Cerone, voice by Lucinda Childs

JT Leroy, Writer, 2006 HD video, music by Lou Reed

Wouter Bird On Hand, 2017 HD video

Work in the AGSA collection

Anne Ferran, Australia, born 1949
Scenes on the Death of Nature I and II
1986 (printed 1989), Sydney
two gelatin-silver photographs
115.7 x 158.6 cm (left sheet)
115.7 x 136.0 cm (right sheet)
South Australian Government
Grant 1989
898Ph5(a&b)

Romance was born, fashion house, Australia, established 2005 Anne Plunkett, designer, Australia, born 1981 Luke Sale, designer, Australia, born 1982 Lone Star Fern Dress with Embroidered Bird Tapestry Cloak 2021, Sydney vintage sari trims, vintage quilt, lace swatches, vintage tapestry, beads June Porter Fashion Fund 2021 2021/A58(a-d)

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Robert Wilson

United States of America, born 1941

Jeanne Moreau, Actress, 2005 HD video, music by Ludwig van Beethoven, voice by Robert Wilson, text by Daryl Pickney

Works in the AGSA collection

attributed to Marcus Gheeraerts the Younger and studio Magdalen Poultney, later Lady Aston c.1620, London? oil on canvas, 231.7 x 136.0 cm Morgan Thomas Bequest Fund 1948

still: Robert Wilson, Lucinda Childs, Dancer and Choreographer, 2005, HD video, music by Peter Cerone, voice by Lucinda Childs