## **Biography**

**Reece George** (b. 1967, Perth, Australia) is a contemporary Martu painter based in Woodstock, New South Wales. His canvases are alive with bold colour, desert textures, and characters that smile back, from dingoes in sunglasses and cheeky rabbits peeking through fences, to emus full of attitude.

Blending Indigenous storytelling with humour, George paints with warmth and energy. "Laughter is part of survival," he says, "and I want people to feel that joy when they live with my work." His art draws directly from Martu Country and family memory, from stories told on the verandah by his Granny, Uncles and Auntie's at Beyondie Station, to the Rabbit-Proof Fence that cut through his childhood landscape.

Collectors value his work for both its cultural grounding and its joyful appeal. His paintings are held in private collections across Australia and internationally. In 2025, he made his debut with Wentworth Gallery in Brisbane, with further exhibitions planned in Sydney and beyond.

Today, George continues to share the spirit of Martu Country through works that bring joy, conversation, and resilience into every home they enter.

### Resume

#### **Reece George**

Born in 1967 in Perth, Australia Resides and works in Woodstock, New South Wales, Australia

#### **Education/Training:**

Ph.D. (Marketing), James Cook University, 2020

Ph.D. (Information Technology), The University of Newcastle, 2012

#### **Selected Solo Exhibitions:**

2025, Martu Faces: Stories in Shadow & Light, Wentworth Gallery, Brisbane, Australia 2025, Mardu (One of us), Rosnay Organic Wines, Canowindra, NSW, Australia

#### Art Fairs

2025, [Upcoming fair], The Affordable Art Fair, Represented by Wentworth Gallery, Brisbane, Australia

#### Awards:

2025, Central Belonging Art Award (finalist), Cowra Regional Art Gallery, NSW, Australia

#### **Selected Collections:**

Reece George's work is collected by various private collectors in Australia and internationally.

#### **Selected Press:**

The Urbanite, "Reece George's Contemporary Indigenous Art Shines at Wentworth Galleries" in Online resource (2025) at [https://theurbanite.com.au/] consulted on 12th April, 2025.

David Hinchliffe interviews artist Reece George in Brisbane, Australia. Wentworth Gallery: Brisbane 2025. Watch online.

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