



**2026 – 2027
EXHIBITION PREVIEW**

MAIN GALLERY – AUTUMN EXHIBITION

YUKI KIHARA: SALOME, AN ANGEL OF HISTORY

Curated by Jaenine Parkinson

Yuki Kihara *After Tsunami Galu Afi, Lalomanu* (2013)





DAY GALLERY – AUTUMN EXHIBITION

Only Connect:

Joanna Margaret Paul & Janet Elaine Paul

- Curated by Helen Kedgley this exhibition includes both Portraits and Self-Portraits and is one of the first time both artists have shown together.

Joanna Margaret Paul *At the Swimming Pool*. Oil on canvas.

MAIN GALLERY – WINTER EXHIBITION

The Adam Portraiture Award 2026 Finalists Exhibition

- Guest Judge Jude Rae
- New first prize of \$30,000
- Entry now includes a 'live sitting' with the subject

2026 winner Duncan Pepe-Long, Portrait of Soloman, Oil on board.





DAY GALLERY – WINTER EXHIBITION

Pauline Kahurangi Yearbury:

Life in Forms

- A touring exhibition from Te Uru, Curated by Hester Rowan

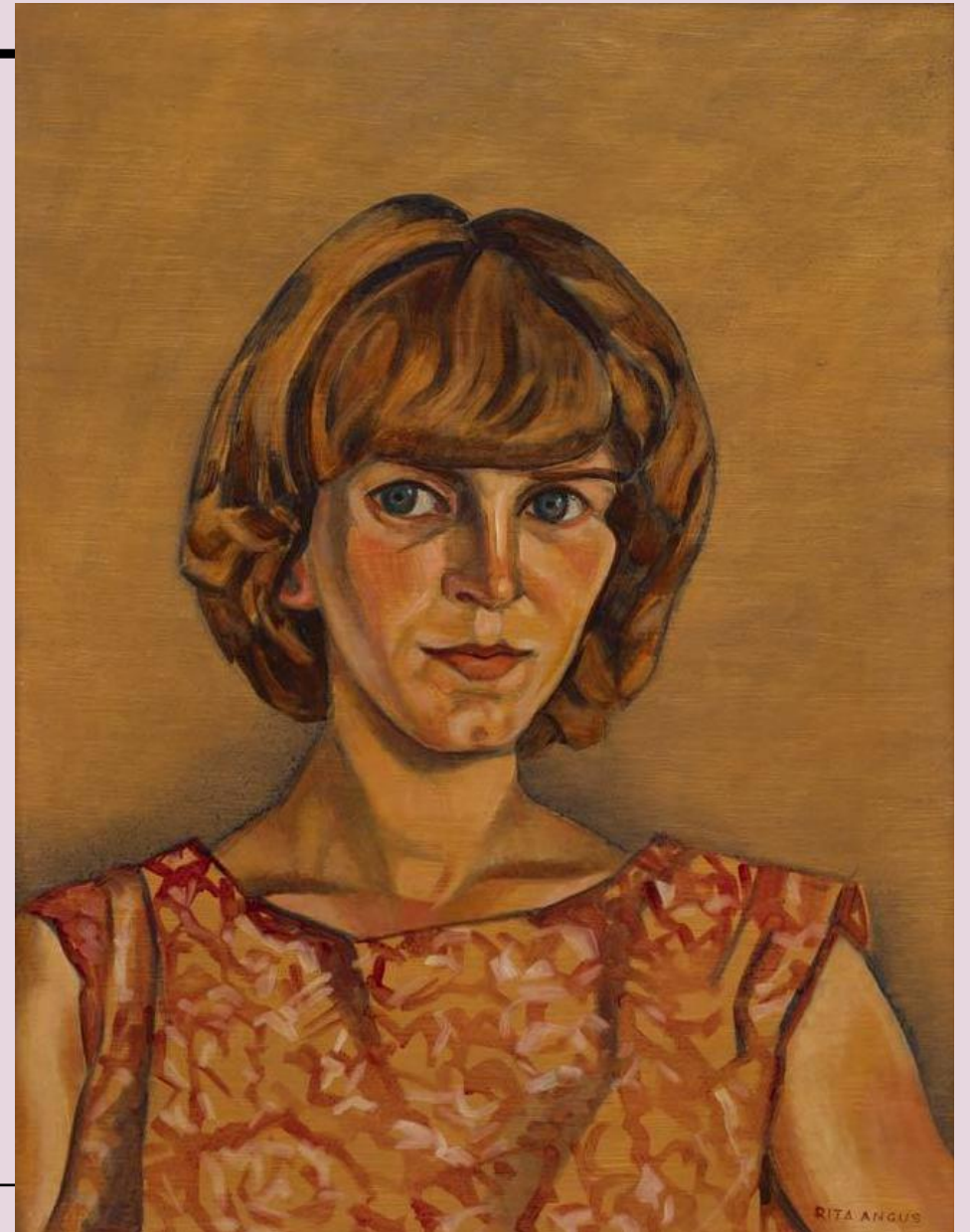
Pauline Kahurangi Yearbury *Ranginui-e-tu-nei* circa 1970.
Incised rimu, wood stain. Fletcher Trust Collection.

MAIN GALLERY – SPRING EXHIBITION

Portraits from the Parkin Collection

- Portraits from the Collection of well-known Wellington Philanthropists Chris & Kathy Parkin
- Curated by Dr Anna Rigg

Rita Angus *Portrait of Judy Jones* 1965. Oil on board.





DAY GALLERY – SPRING EXHIBITION

Terry Stringer & Lois White: A Portrait

- Curated by Linda Tyler, this exhibition explores the friendship between Terry Stringer and Lois White and includes drawings, watercolours and sculptures.

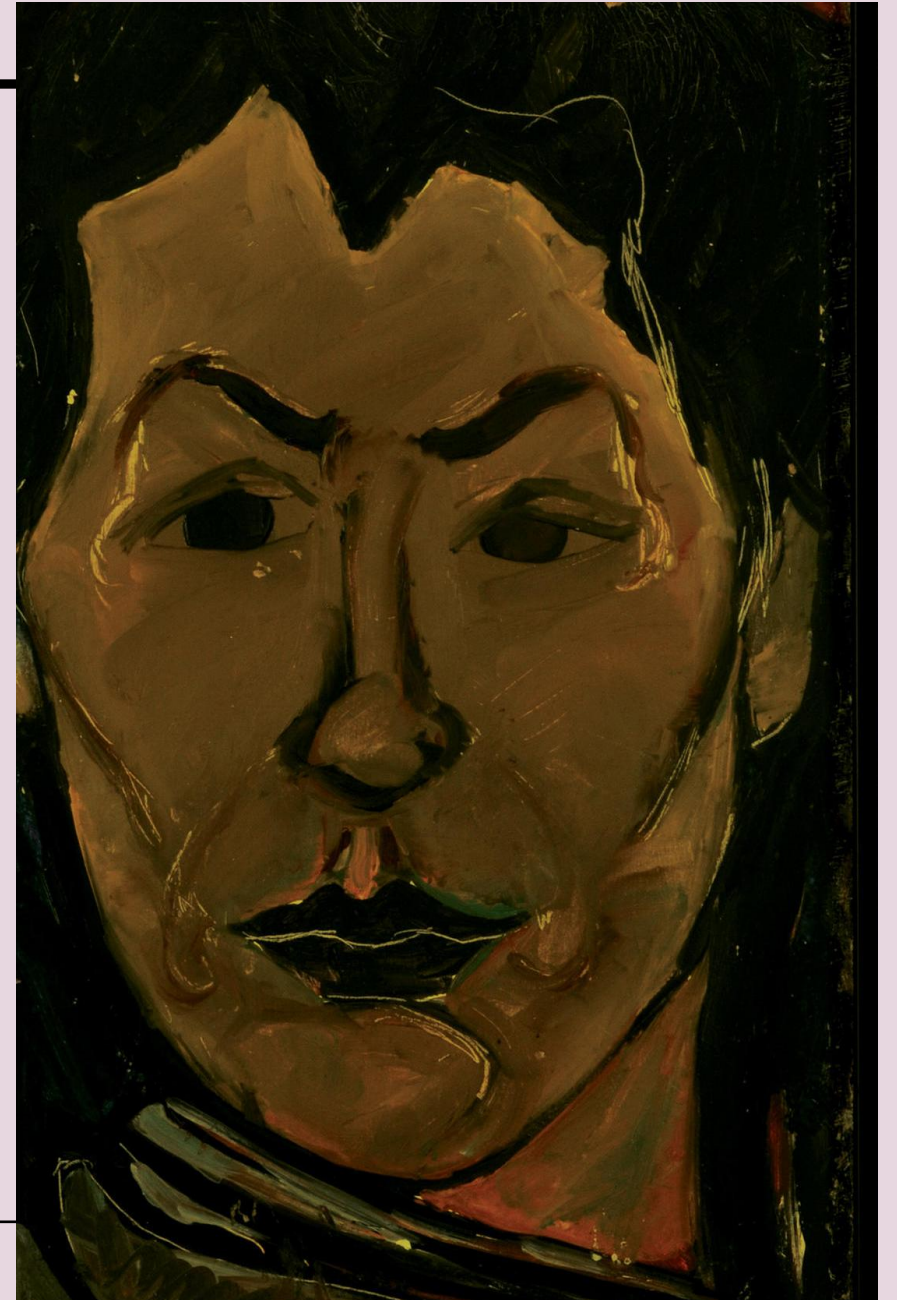
Bronze Sculpture of Lois White by Terry Stringer

MAIN GALLERY – SUMMER EXHIBITION

Philip Trusttun: Tail of The Comet

- Portraits & Large-Scale Portraits from a Senior New Zealand artist.
- Themes in the exhibition include, his wife Lee, Disability, Family, Everyday Life and Sport.

Philip Trusttun *Portrait of the Artist's wife, Lee Trusttun.*





DAY GALLERY – SUMMER EXHIBITION 2026 -2027

The 2026 Liz Stringer Curatorial Intern Exhibition

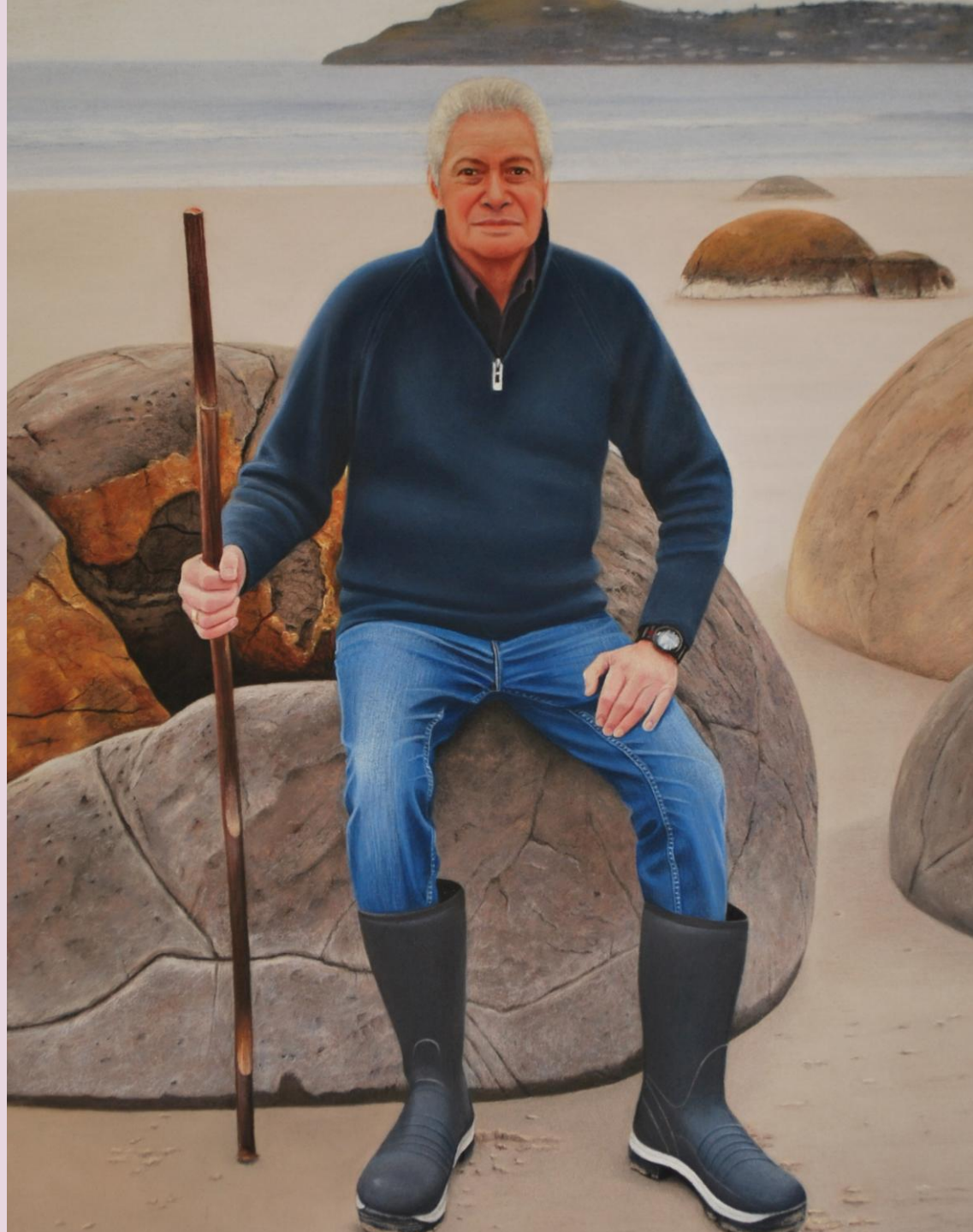
- Lucy Squire
- NZ Woman Printmakers Exhibition
- Lucy Squire is the 11th Liz Stringer Curatorial Intern and moved to Wellington from Whangarei for the Internship. Interns learn a broad range of news skills and always bring fresh perspectives and new connections to the Gallery.

Gabrielle Belz, Maumaharamana Motuhake, Limited Edition Print

MAIN GALLERY – AUTUMN EXHIBITION 2027

- Gertrud Kauders & European Modernism in Aotearoa
 - Curated by Dr Anna Rigg
 - A Czech painter of Jewish descent. Kauders disappeared in 1942 and was killed in a Nazi extermination camp. About 680 of her artworks were discovered unexpectedly in Prague in 2018 and the majority were returned to New Zealand where family members now reside.
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- Gertrud Kauders, Portrait of a Woman





DAY GALLERY – AUTUMN EXHIBITION 2027

Raewyn Helms-Davis

Taukiri - Identity

Portraits of Nagai Tahu

Raewyn Helms Davis, Portrait, Te Kaitiaki O Moeraki

- Open for entries in late 2026
- Judges to be appointed

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- A black and white photograph of a young boy riding a horse. The boy is positioned in the center-left of the frame, looking upwards and to the right with a joyful expression. He is wearing a dark, long-sleeved jacket, dark pants with a light-colored patterned stripe down the side, and a light-colored cap. He is holding a large flag with a crescent and star emblem, which is waving in the wind. The flag is attached to a wooden pole. The horse is dark-colored and is seen from the side, with its head and neck visible in the foreground. The background is a cloudy sky. The overall mood is one of adventure and freedom.



DAY GALLERY – WINTER 2027 HAND COLOURED PHOTOGRAPHY

- Portraits from Tairawhiti Collections
- Curated by Peter Ireland and Dudley Meadows
- An exhibition of portraits exploring the history of hand coloured photography in Aotearoa
- Cover Image from the book: *Hand Coloured Photography's Parallel Universe*

MAIN GALLERY – SPRING 2027

ADRIENNE MARTYN

PHOTOGRAPHY

- Photographic Portraits
- A survey exhibition on tour from the Hocken Library
- Curated by Robyn Notman

- Adrienne Martyn, Shaun Burdon Painter 1981, Silver Gelatin Print





DAY GALLERY – SPRING 2027

PAUL OLDS: PORTRAITS

- Locating Paul Olds within New Zealand Modernism, Portraits from local Wellington Collections featuring well known Personalities
- Curated by his daughter Miriam Olds Spence

- Paul Olds, Gisi Hirschfeld, c. 1965. Oil on canvas, 395 x 290 mm.

MAIN GALLERY – SUMMER 2027

PHILIP CLAIRMONT: ROOM FULL OF MIRRORS

- Survey exhibition focusing on Portraits
- Curated by his son Orlando Clairmont

- Philip Clairmont, Vicky 1969. Oil in Wood





DAY GALLERY – SUMMER 2027

LIZ STRINGER CURATORIAL INTERNSHIP

- To be appointed in 2027
 - Our annual paid internship
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- Philip Markham – Portrait of Jon Trimmer, 2014 / From the New Zealand Portrait Gallery Collection