

## **Elena Bozhko Marshall**

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Elena Bozhko Marshall is a ceramic and mix media artist. She possesses a teaching degree and several art related diplomas. She has a diploma in visual art and craft from Canberra Institute of Technology and graduated from the ANU School of Art and design in 2001.

Elena exhibited with the Belconnen Arts centre, the Tuggeranong Arts Centre, ANCA, Multicultural Centre and Civic Library as well as took part in several community projects and workshops for children, seniors and people with special needs. Her involvement with the community and children has helped shape her thinking and style.

Elena's education and rich cultural background, and with extensive travel to more than 25 countries, gives her a good, solid understanding of life and inspiration for her art works. For the past 23 years leaving in Canberra Elena put all her passion for Art (especially ceramics) in teaching young generation in various schools and art centres. She has a small studio at home where she creates her works.

### **EXPERIENCE**

Art Educator (Family Room), National Gallery of Australia. 2010-now

Art and Craft Tutor, After School Program, Red Hill School. 2009 - 20

Art Teacher, Stage designer Russian Orthodox Church school (part time) 2004  
to Present

After School Art and Craft Teacher, Tuggeranong Art Centre. 1998-99

Teacher, Vladivostok Secondary School 1990 to 1994

### **SKILLS**

Certificate 1, Learning Options for Women, Canberra Institute of Technology, Canberra.  
2013

Diploma in Ceramics, School of Art, Australian National University, Canberra. Diploma in  
Visual Art and Craft, 1999-2001

Canberra Institute of Technology, Canberra. 1997-1998

Bachelor of Teaching, (Teaching Methodology and English as a Second Language, 1985-  
1990

Knujand State Pedagogical University, Tadjikistan, USSR.

### **Community projects:**

“100 Bricks” (*12 weeks ceramic workshop with people with needs. Belconnen community centre*) . 2013

“*Clay dreams*” ( *10 week workshop, the wall at Tuggers Art Centre*) 2014 “Home” ( Russian “DOM” display. Centenary Celebration on the lake

shore. ) 2013

Frescoes in the St. John the Baptist Russian Orthodox Church. Team member Several big group exhibitions around Canberra

### **Exhibitions:**

- \* **“Once upon a time. When trees were big” 2020**
  - \* “Creative Alchemy” - BAC 2015
  - \* “Harvest” - BAC 2012
  - \* “Shrine” - ANCA 2009
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- “There Then, Here Now” - Tuggeranong Arts Centre 2000
    - “From Growing Up” - Tuggeranong Art Centre 1999
    - “ Over The Band” - Tuggeranong Art Centre 1998 • Graduation exhibitions - ANU and CIT. 2001, 1998

### **Member of:**

Australian Ceramics Association

Strathnairn Arts