Royal Queensland Art Society Inc (RQAS Inc)



Fellows By-law

1. <u>Criteria for Conferral of Fellowship</u>

The State Management Committee (hereafter "Committee") may confer the status of Fellow on a member of the Society who has made a significant contribution to the arts. This will be judged by whether the proposed recipient ("the nominee") meets **any three of the following criteria:**

- (i) The nominee has been awarded a degree, diploma or certificate in one of the disciplines of art from a recognized institution.
- (ii) The nominee's art work has been exhibited at group and/or solo exhibitions recognized by the Committee as being of sufficient standard to be classified as creditable.
- (iii) The nominee has received major awards in recognition of his/her achievements.
- (iv) The nominee's work has been exhibited in an exhibition considered by the Committee to be of State or National significance, and/or the nominee has been invited to judge significant art competitions.
- (v) The nominee's work is included in major private, corporate, state, national or international collections, by means of purchase, acquisition, or award.
- 2. Nomination for Fellowship
- (i) A nomination must be in writing on the approved form, signed by the proposer and seconder.
- (ii) The nominee must consent to nomination, and declare his/her support for the objects of the Association and intent to continue that support.
- (iii) The nominee, proposer and seconder must be financial members of the Association.
- (iv) The nomination must be accompanied by a curriculum vitae which should refer to matters which demonstrate the nominee's compliance with the criteria in section 1, together with examples of his/her work (slides or photographs are acceptable). This may be satisfied by the provision of links to relevant web pages.
- (v) The nomination shall be notified by newsletter or email to the members of the nominee's home branch, with advice as to how the supporting documents can be viewed.
- (vi) The Committee will vote on the application at a meeting, or by email, at least 2 weeks after the notification of the nomination. The nomination will be successful if approved by an absolute majority of the Committee members (ie, by a majority of all the members of the Committee, not just a majority of those voting).
- (vii) The nominee will be officially notified of his/her award in writing, by the Secretary of the Committee. Presentation of a Certificate of Fellowship will occur at the Annual General Meeting of the RQAS Inc, or if that is not convenient at some other suitable public event.

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3. Continuing Engagement expected of Fellows

So long as a Fellow remains active as an artist and resident in Queensland, he or she will be expected to remain a financial member (unless also admitted as a life member of a Branch) and to play a role in the artistic leadership of the Society.

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NOMINATION OF PROPOSED FELLOW

Nomination

Nominee's Signature

	members of the Royal Queensland A member and his/her work, nominate	Art Society Inc., and
Name of nominee	for elevation to the status of	Fellow of the Society.
Name of proposer 1	Signature	Date
Name of proposer 2	Signature	Date
Nominee's Consent		
I,Surname	Other Names	
of No. Street	Suburb	P/Code
consent to the above proposal.		
declare that I support the objects of objects and to actively engage in the	the Society, and that I intend to conti Society's activities.	inue to support those
My Curriculum Vitae is on the web a	at	
Images of my significant works are of	on the web at	
criteria for becoming a Fellow and a the Royal Queensland Art Society In	include items that demonstrate your function of your association with not. If you do not have this information 4 pages, and copies of 10 of your more	and engagement with n on the web, please

Date