

Jennifer Goodman Fugue² 2006, oil on linen,150 x 150 cm

Jennifer Goodman wins City of Darebin La Trobe University Acquisitive Art prize 2007 August 2007

Judges

Gordon Morrison, Director, Ballarat Fine Art Gallery Vera Moller, Artist

Our choice for the main acquisitive prize is Jennifer Goodman's Fugue? 2006. This abstract work sits firmly within a strong tradition of geometrical abstraction in Australia, but this painting manages to rework the genre in a manner that combines subtlety, harmony and balance in the most effective manner. We believe this work possesses an almost spiritual power derived from the juxtaposition of rich cool tones. We both offer our congratulations to Jennifer Goodman and the City of Darebin.