

RACHEL CARROLL

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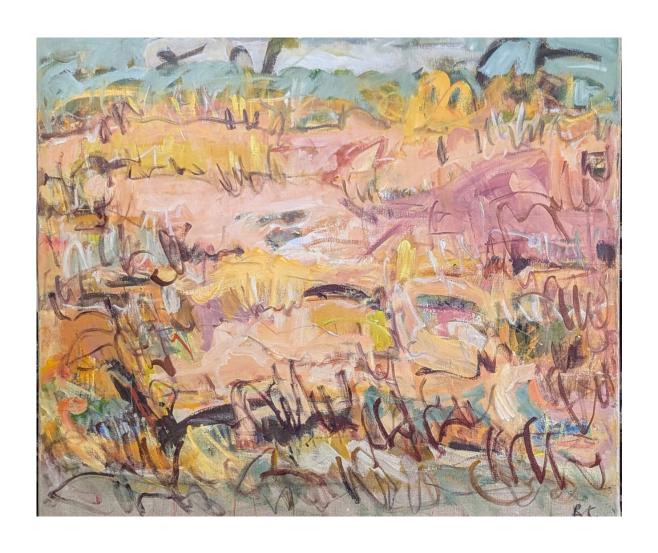
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Through mark-making and painting, this exhibition explores Carroll's reconnection to the vastness of the land, resonant histories and enduring cultural narratives, which emerged following the artist's first encounters with Arrernte Country.

A recent journey to Arrernte country has taken me to a whole new place of passion, this new series of semi-abstract landscapes began from walks to Uluru, and along the Larapinta trail, in the Northern Territory. For the first time I stood in Arrernte Country and truly understand how it is the centre of our Country. All the paintings in this exhibition are a journey into the landscape, a journey that starts at our feet, that then moves up through the grasses, each grass has so many purposes, such as food, a resource to make something or a healing agent. Then with reverence our gaze is sent upward to the red sandy hills before us. This is my journey, but equally I wish to take the viewer on this journey. Being at the centre of our country was an awakening moment. That moment of understanding, that we as a nation only get a glimpse of some of the knowledge and some of the stories the Elders can share. If we could tap into this well of knowledge for the benefit of all, locally and globally. To understand the land and the knowledge it contains comes through their stories and their dreaming, it is a profound understanding of nature and how it can be cared for but how it can be a healing and a nurturing resource. It Is with great excitement that I seek to share my newfound love of our country and its elders. We are so lucky to have the oldest culture and people on our doorstep. I hope we cherish it more.

Rachel Carroll

2025



Walk in the Light, 2024

Oil on Linen 128 x 100cm \$3,000



A Walk Through Arrernte Country, 2024

Acrylic on Canvas 40.5 x 55.5cm \$750



Movement at Dusk, 2024

Oil on Canvas 90 x 65 cm \$1200



Walk in the Light II, 2023

Mixed Media on Canvas 110 x 110 cm \$2800



Study II, 2023



No. 19 – Arrernte Country: A Walk Toward Uluru, 2024



Looking for the Trail, Arrernte Country, 2024

Acrylic on Canvas 85 x 128cm \$3500



On Approach, 2024

Mixed Media on Linen 128 x 100cm \$3500

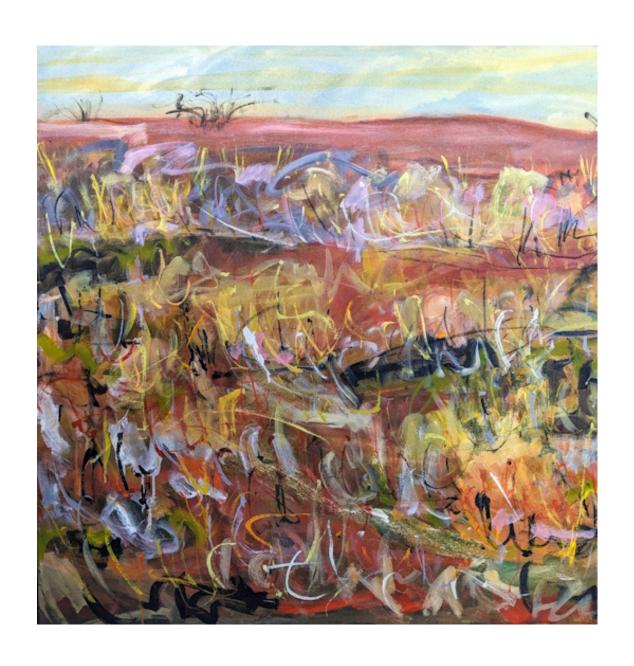


Study 1, 2024
Oil on Board
43 x 35cm
\$500



After Dusk Arrente Country, 2024

Acrylic on Canvas 56 x 70cm (Diptych) \$1200



Dawn I, 2024

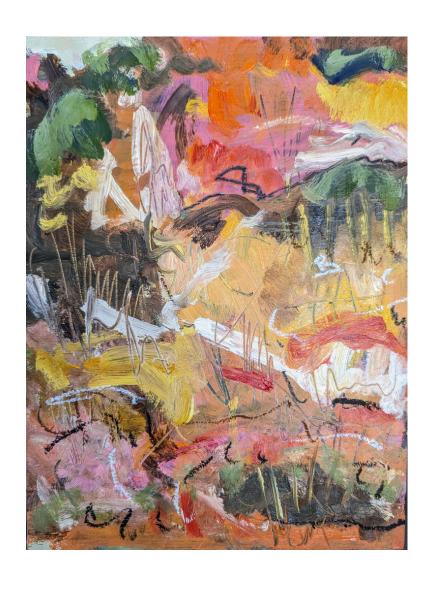
Acrylic on Canvas 100 x 100cm \$2500



Dawn II, 2024Acrylic on Canvas
100 x 100cm
\$2500



Dawn III, 2024
Acrylic on Canvas
100 x 100cm
\$2500



No. 16 – Arrernte Country: A Walk Toward Uluru, 2024



No. 5- Arrernte Country: A Walk Toward Uluru, 2024



No. 4- Arrernte Country: A Walk Toward Uluru, 2024



No. 1- Arrernte Country: A Walk Toward Uluru, 2024