## EARTH CANVAS ART WORKSHOP WITH ONE OF AUSTRALIA'S LEADING ABSTRACT ARTIST

## Jon Cattapan

### People in the Landscape

### 5 Day Workshop 16-22 November 2025

Chatsworth House is a breathtaking historic property on the Hopkins River, known for its rolling hills, sandy loam soil, and thriving prime lamb and beef cattle farming. Established by John Moffat in the 1860s, it features a magnificent bluestone homestead, substantial stables, and men's quarters famously called the Long Room.

#### **Accommodation & Dining**

Attendees will stay at the Shearers' Quarters, Cottage, Old Schoolhouse, or a neighbouring property, all offering communal dining and shared bathroom facilities. Choose from queen or single shared rooms.



#### **Artist & Non-Artist Experiences**

Artists will enjoy an **immersive painting retreat**, while non-artists can explore the Grampians, farms, regional towns, and galleries - learning about land management at Chatsworth House.

#### **Additional Opportunities**

For those interested, there's an option to participate in **1.5-day art workshops** and lectures.

#### Food & Drink

All accommodation includes **breakfast**, **lunch**, **dinner**, **plus morning and afternoon tea**. BYO alcoholic and evening drinks for your stay.

#### **Costs & Options**

- Full Artist Package \$2,750: 6 nights, tuition & food
- Non-Artist Package \$1,450: 6 nights, twin-share & food
- Single Accommodation Supplement available \$360
- Non-Artist Workshop Options \$330: 1.5-day or 3.5-day workshop sessions

Arrive mid-afternoon on the first day and wrap up after breakfast on the final day - five days of painting, exploring, and creativity at an iconic Regenerative Farm in Western Victoria, near the stunning Grampians.

#### **Bookings & Enquiries**

Contact Gillian Sanbrook at **0428 696 724**Jo Davenport: **0438 218 322** or info@earthcanvas.com.au



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Join renowned artist and educator Jon Cattapan for a five-day immersive workshop, set against the stunning regeneratively farmed landscape of Chatsworth House, east of the Grampians. This unique experience invites both serious artists and creative explorers to deepen their artistic practice, engage in meaningful discussions, and experiment with figurative techniques.

#### What to Expect

**Creative Guidance** - Jon Cattapan will lead daily sessions covering historical and contextual insights, one-on-one mentoring, and group tutorials on constructing figurative artworks within landscapes.

**Inspiring Setting** - The workshop draws inspiration from the thriving Hopkins River conservation areas, offering a chance to study ecology, regenerative farming, flora, and fauna.

**Excursions & Learning** - Enjoy trips to the Grampians and WAMA Wildlife Art Museum, plus insights into land management practices at Chatsworth House.

**Creative Exchange** - Engage with fellow artists and experiment with new approaches to representing people in environments, drawing from Australian art traditions.

#### **Accommodation & Travel**

**Stay at Chatsworth House** in historic quarters, with shared bathrooms and communal dining. Options include queen and single shared rooms.

Getting there: Self-drive, train, or domestic flights to Hamilton.

#### **Booking & Costs**

**Workshop Fees:** Includes tuition, accommodation, and meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner, plus morning and afternoon tea). BYO alcoholic beverages for evenings.

Non-artist options available - including a 1.5-day or 3.5-day workshop experience, farm tours, and visits to nearby towns and galleries.

#### **Secure Your Spot!**

Limited places available - a deposit is required, and full payment 3 October 2025.

#### **About Earth Canvas & Jon Cattapan**

Earth Canvas connects people with the **regeneratively farmed landscape**, using art to explore and express the beauty and nature on productive farms.

Jon Cattapan is an **internationally exhibited artist**, known for his urban topographies and figurative narratives. His work is held in collections across Australia, including the National Gallery of Victoria, the Art Gallery of New South Wales, and the Museum of Contemporary Art Sydney.

Don't miss this incredible opportunity to immerse yourself in art, landscape, and creativity!

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