

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
**Entry ID:** AWE3752

## Smith, Grace Cossington

(1892 - 1984)

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**Born** 1 January, 1892, Neutral Bay, Sydney New South Wales Australia

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**Died** 24 December, 1984

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**Occupation** Artist

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### Summary

Grace Cossington Smith had her first solo exhibition in 1928, and her work was reproduced in *Art in Australia*. She painted landscapes, streetscapes, and native flowers as well as interior paintings. Between 1932 and 1977, she held eighteen solo exhibitions, and in 1973 the Art Gallery of New South Wales held a retrospective exhibition of her work.

### Published resources

#### Resource Section

Smith, Grace Cossington (1892-1984), Thomas, Daniel, 2006,  
<http://www.adb.online.anu.edu.au/biogs/A110664b.htm>

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

#### Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988

#### Book

Grace Cossington Smith: A Life: From drawings in the collection of the National Gallery of Australia, Thomas, Daniel, 1993

#### Site Exhibition

The Encyclopedia of Women and Leadership in Twentieth-Century Australia, Smart, Judith and Swain, Shurlee (eds.), 2014,  
<http://www.womenaustralia.info/leaders>

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