

JACQUELINE COATES STUDIO NEW MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Kim Valois, A Sydney based student tells;

"Jacqueline's teaching is sensitive and responsive, she is very generous with her energy and her constructive criticism.

Left; Kim's result from her first Jacqueline Coates Paint a large canvas, Oct 07, Sydney.

She has the ability to see where the student is and gauge what they can handle and need to do next to progress their skills, abilities, and artistic expression.

I have enjoyed immensely the tutelage and support from Jacqueline, through three formal 3-day workshops and several shorter one-on-one painting tutoring/mentoring sessions. She has considered carefully where I am with my skills before each workshop or session and worked to provide teaching for moving forward and also some unexpectedness, to push me out of my comfort zone. She has been available for advice via email.

What I have accomplished in the past 15 months studying with her is simply amazing ! I credit Jacqueline for being so warm, open, honest and supportive--she continues to provide honest and generous feedback, suggestions, and ideas of how to develop my work and my abilities when I want it. I have left every workshop or session with Jacqueline with fantastic artwork that receives great compliments from all and a sense of accomplishment that has me continuing a wonderful artistic journey.

I strongly recommend Jacqueline's teaching and mentoring, especially for its ability to help generate both results and a strong sense of accomplishment."

Left; Kim's result from Paint a Large Canvas Workshop Stage Two, April 08, Kapunda
Below Left; Kim's Painting from Stage Three Paint a Large canvas painting from life, June 08, Sydney. Below centre; Spring Waratahs (Dec 08) and... Right; Koi, (April 08) paintings
Kim created in her studio and corresponded with Jacqueline via email. Above right; Pears Still Life in oils exercise, April 08 Kapunda.



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