

These Moments of Pleasure

by Daniel Skeffington

13 - 16 May 2021

Daniel Skeffington (Lake Macquarie, NSW) was Artist in Residence at Canberra Potters from April to May 2021. The Artist in Residence program has been a long-running initiative to provide an opportunity for emerging and established artists to explore and further develop their art practice in a wholly supported and nurturing, purpose-designed environment. Artists are encouraged to move beyond their existing art practice to interrogate their existing work or to create a completely new body of work.

Skeffington's stay at Canberra Potters has been an exploration of new forms, new glazes and new techniques. "I made a decision to embrace the challenge" says Skeffington. "I've also looked at a new story. In these questioning social norms times, I'm interested in tolerance. If there were more celebration of our similarities and more embrace of our differences there might be more moments of pleasure." In some pieces Skeffington references sculpture from Roman/Greco times, which once represented those societies as a collective of people, but also as individuals having their own unique standout personalities.

Skeffington has developed a new glaze palette featuring titanium and strontium which deliver a certain drama to each piece, tried his hand for the first time at sculptural form, experimented with various clay types and employed the historical Japanese surface treatment of 'Mishima' otherwise known as rope rolling.

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| 1. Bowl
Mishima detail. 2021
\$250 | 7. Bowl
Mishima detail with Raku glaze. 2021
\$300 |
| 2. Bowl
Shino glaze with red stain. 2021
\$250 (price includes rise) | 8. Bowl
Finger detail with Shino glaze and red stain. 2021
\$350 (price includes rise) |
| 3. Jar
Rolled detail. 2021
\$400 | 9. Cherry Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$350 |
| 4. Bowl
Shino glaze with red stain. 2021
\$400 | 10. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 |
| 5. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$400 | 11. Sashimi Plate
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 |
| 6. Jar
Finger detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$400 | 12. Centrepiece
Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$600 |

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| 13. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 | 22. Aperitif Plate
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 |
| 14. Sashimi Plate
Finger detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$400 | 23. Bowl
Chung Glaze with red stain. 2021
\$300 |
| 15. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
NFS | 24. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$350 (price includes rise) |
| 16. Jar
Finger detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$600 | 25. Aperitif Plate
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 |
| 17. Bowl
Mishima detail with Tenmoku glaze. 2021
\$400 (price includes rise) | 26. Bowl
Shino Glaze with red stain. 2021
\$400 (price includes rise) |
| 18. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$450 (price includes rise) | 27. Jar
Mishima detail with Titanium glaze. 2021
\$400 |
| 19. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 | 28. Bowl
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$350 (price includes rise) |
| 20. Mantelpiece
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$800 | 29. Bowl
Mishima detail with Tenmoku glaze. 2021
\$400 (price includes rise) |
| 21. Mantelpiece
Mishima detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$200 (note cracks) | 30. Cherry Bowl
Mishima and resist ring detail with Titanium and Strontium glazes. 2021
\$500 |

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