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First Linocuts

1. *Ganjil ga Djärrwít (catfish and freshwater mussel)* 1996
Marrnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
linocut, image size 30 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
2. *Bäru (crocodile)* 1996
Gaymala Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1935 – 2005
linocut, image size 26 x 37 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
3. *Daymirri (sacred sea monster)* 1996
Dhuwarrwarr Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1946
linocut, image size 37 x 26 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
4. *Gunbirrīr (freshwater fish)* 1996
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, c1945
linocut, image size 26 x 38 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

First Colour Reduction Linocuts

5. *Dhanggi* 1997
Marrnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
reduction linocut, image size 38x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
6. *Nyujala (ox-eye herring)* 1997
Dhuwarrwarr Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1946
reduction linocut, image size 26 x 37 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
7. *Gänalkmirri (stingray)* 1997
Gaymala Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1935 – 2005
reduction linocut, image size 26 x 37 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
8. *Nyapiliŋu Wapitja (Mangalili female creator spirit with digging stick)* 1996
Naminapu Maymuru-White
Yirritja, Mangalili clan, b1952
reduction linocut, image size 138 x 21 cm
Basil Hall, Studio One, ACT

First Collagraphs

9. *Mända (octopus)* 1999
Manunu Wunumurra
Yirritja, Dhalwanju clan, 1942 – 2015
collagraph, image size 50 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
10. *Larrakitj (ceremonial burial pole)* 1999
Barrupu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 – 2012
collagraph, image size 50 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
11. *Hunting Bäru (crocodile)* 1999
Gaymala Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1935 – 2005
collagraph, image size 50 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
12. *Mädi (rock lobster)* 1999
Dundiwy Wunumurra
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1951
collagraph, image size 50 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
13. *Detj (grasshopper)* 1999
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, c1945
collagraph, image size 50 x 45 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
14. *Nabalco Suite 16* 1999
Gaymala Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1935 – 2005
collagraph, image size 30 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

The Seven Sisters Collaboration

15. *Gäarak (universe)* 2002
Gulumbu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1945 - 2012
screenprint, image size 48 x 33 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
16. *Ganyu (stars)* 2011
Gulumbu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1945 - 2012
etching, image size 50 x 43 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
17. *Gurtha (fire)* 2011
Barrupu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 – 2012
reduction linocut, image size 30 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
18. *Gurtha (fire)* 2001
Barrupu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 - 2012
screenprint, image size 40 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
19. *Seven Sisters Collaboration* 2012
Gulumbu Yunupiŋu, 1945 – 2012
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu, b1945
Barrupu Yunupiŋu, 1948 – 2012
Djerrngu Yunupiŋu, b1945
Djakanngu Yunupiŋu, b1950
Dhopiya Yunupiŋu, b1950
Ranydjipi Yunupiŋu, 1950 – 2016
Yirritja, Gumatj clan
etching, image size 50 x 100 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
20. *Gurtha (fire)* 2011
Barrupu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 - 2012
etching, image size 18.5 x 13.5 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
21. *Ganyu (stars)* 2011
Gulumbu Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1945 - 2012
etching, image size 18.5 x 13.5 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
22. *Bayini (mythical non-Aboriginal woman)* 2012
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1945
etching, image size 25 x 20 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
23. *Seven Sisters* 2014
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, c1945
etching, image size 32 x 30 cm
Adrian Kellett Printers, Victoria
24. *Guny-tjulu (gecko)* 2004
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, c1945
etching, image size 31 x 23 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
25. *Bukmak Mulmu (all grass)* 2009
Nyapanyapa Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1945
etching, image size 25 x 50 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

Midawarr Suite

26. *Räkay #4 (water chestnut)* 2013
Mulkun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhugi-Djapu clan, b1947
woodblock, image size 102 x 38 cm
John Wolseley with Gibson and Gill Printers, Victoria
27. *Räkay #3 (water chestnut)* 2013
Mulkun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhugi-Djapu clan, b1947
woodblock on handmade string bark paper, image size 54.5 x 28.5 cm
John Wolseley with Gibson and Gill Printers, Victoria
28. *Räkay #2 (water chestnut)* 2013
Mulkun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhugi-Djapu clan, b1947
woodblock on handmade string bark paper, image size 54.5 x 28.5 cm
John Wolseley with Gibson and Gill Printers, Victoria

Banduk and Ruby

29. *Yalangbara (sacred site)* 2012
Ruby Djikarra Alderton
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1993
etching, image size 25 x 20 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
30. *Yathiny (marine organism – 'blue button')* 2012
Ruby Djikarra Alderton
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1993
etching, image size 15 x 34 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
31. *Miny'tjinharrha (my design)* 2006
Banduk Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1953
screenprint, image size 68.5 x 46 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
32. *Bawu (flag or snail)* 2010
Marrnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
etching, image size 38 x 50 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory

Djalkiri

33. *Yalata (Dhudi-Djapu clan country)* 2010
Mulkun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhudi-Djapu clan, b1947
etching and screenprint, image size 50 x 62 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
34. *Garranjalı (sacred crocodile nesting ground)* 2010
Djambawa Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrpa clan, b1952
etching, image size 50 x 62 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
35. *Gurrtpi (stingray)* 2010
Marirra Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrpa clan, b1937
etching and screenprint, image 50 x 62 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
36. *Birrkuda (Yirritja honey design)* 2010
Mulkun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhudi-Djapu clan, b1947
etching and screenprint, image size 38 x 50 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
37. *Dhangi (billy goat plum tree)* 2010
Marnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
etching and screenprint, image size 38 x 50 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory

Etchings

38. *Wäkun (sea mullet)* 2009
Boliny Wanambi
Dhuwa, Marrakulu clan, 1957-2011
sugar lift etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
39. *Gurrtpi (stingray)* 2009
Yalmakany Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrpa clan, b1957
sugar lift etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
40. *Garrapara (Dhalwanju clan land)* 2009
Nawurapu Wununymurra
Yirritja, Dhalwanju clan, b1952
sugar lift etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

Narra – Young Ones Portraits

41. *Darra 2010*
Burthi Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1994
photographic linocut, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
42. *Darra 2010*
Djakala Wurramarrba
Dhuwa, Dharrpuynu clan, b1994
photographic linocut, image size 21 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
43. *Darra 2010*
Burthi Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1994
photographic linocut, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
44. *Darra 2010*
Munuy'nu Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1994
photographic linocut, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
45. *Darra 2010*
Bulmirri Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1989
photographic linocut, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
46. *Darra 2010*
Milika Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1994
photographic linocut, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
47. *Darra 2010*
Djuwaka#2 DJ Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1991
photographic linocut, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

Early Screenprints

48. *Djirikitj (quail)* 1998
Gaymala Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1935 – 2005
screenprint, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

49. *Garma – Gapan Gallery* 2004
Marnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
screenprint, image size 59 x 49 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
50. *Love Me Safely* 2005
Marnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
screenprint, image size 64.5 x 51 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
51. *Michael Long* 2002
Marnyula Mununggurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
screenprint, image size 47 x 33 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
52. *Djet (infant sea eagle)* 1997
Djambawa Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrpa clan, b1953
screenprint, image size 67 x 49 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
53. *Bathi Malany (dilly bags)* 2001
Naminapu#2 Maymuru
Yirritja, Mangalili clan, c1979
screenprint, image size 39 x 47 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
54. *Yirritja Woman* 2013
Gunybi Ganambarr
Dhuwa, Naymil clan, b1973
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
55. *Dhuwa Man* 2013
Gunybi Ganambarr
Dhuwa, Naymil clan, b1973
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
56. *Darra (self)* 2012
Mikey Gurruwiwi
Dhuwa, Galpu clan, b1998
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
57. *Djarmarrkuji II (children II)* 2012
Gandhurrminy Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1986
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
58. *Milkarri (tears)* 2012
Dhalmula Burarrwaja
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1995
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
59. *Matpana (Indian almond tree)* 2012
Gumarrwuy Yunupiŋu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1995
photographic screenprint, image size 21 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
60. *The Hunter* 2012
Ruby Djikarra Alderton
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1993
photographic screenprint, image size 21 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
61. *Märi (paternal grandfather)* 2012
Djuwakan#2 Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1991
photographic screenprint, image size 21 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
62. *Sunset Tower* 2012
Ishmael Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1990
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
63. *Sky and Earth* 2012
Barrata Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjingu clan, b1987
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
64. *Petrol Sniffer* 2012
Mikey Gurruwiwi
Dhuwa, Galpu clan, b1998
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

Gunybi Portraits

54. *Yirritja Woman* 2013
Gunybi Ganambarr
Dhuwa, Naymil clan, b1973
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
55. *Dhuwa Man* 2013
Gunybi Ganambarr
Dhuwa, Naymil clan, b1973
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

The Yuta Project

56. *Darra (self)* 2012
Mikey Gurruwiwi
Dhuwa, Galpu clan, b1998
photographic screenprint, image size 30 x 21 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
65. *Garrapara (coastal headland in Blue Mud Bay)* 2008
Gawirrin Gumana
Yirritja, Dhalwanju clan, 1935 – 2016
etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory

Berndt Etchings

66. *Manjatharra Miny'tji (Macassan patterns)* 2008
Gulumbu Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1945 – 2012
etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
67. *Djapu Design* 2008
Marrnyula Munungurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1964
etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
68. *Mawindi (Macassan visit)* 2008
Galarrwuy Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1948
etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
69. *Baniyala Story (Madarrrpa homeland story)* 2008
Nongirrja Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa clan, b1939
etching, image size 25 x 50 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
70. *Dhambaliya (Bremer Island)* 2008
Dhuwarrwarr Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjinju clan, b1946
etching, image size 25 x 50 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
71. *Yothu Yindi (mother/child relationship)* 2008
Barrpu Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 - 2012
etching, image size 25 x 50 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
72. *Gapu Murjurru (waters between Djarrakpi and Yilpara)* 2008
Nyangu Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa clan b1936
etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
73. *Limbarriki (Madarrrpa clan sacred rock)* 2008
Marrirra Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa clan b1937
etching, image size 50 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
75. *Waterhole* 2013
Djerrkjuru Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjinju clan, b1945
soft ground etching, image size 59 x 24 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
76. *Biyyay (goanna)* 2010
Mul Kun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhudi-Djapu clan, b1947
soft ground etching, image size 21 x 47 cm
Heather Burness, Grey Lady Press, ACT
77. *Lipalipa (canoe)* 2010
Gundimulk Wanambi
Dhuwa, Marrakulu clan, b1957
soft ground etching, image size 21 x 39 cm
Heather Burness, Grey Lady Press, ACT
78. *Dhamula (white-breasted sea eagle)* 2013
Nyangu Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa clan, b1939
soft ground etching, image size 49 x 39 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
84. *Macassan Boat* 2008
Laklak#2 Ganambar
Dhuwa, Dätiwuy clan, b1965
collograph, image size 25 x 50 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
85. *Mowdarri (species of tree)* 2015
Nyapanyapa Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1945
Etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
86. *Teacup* 2013
Nongirrja Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa, b1939
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
87. *Wawurritjpal (sea mullet)* 2011
Wukun Wanambi
Dhuwa, Marrakulu clan, 1962
etching, image size 48.5 x 48.5 cm
Basil Hall Editions, Northern Territory
88. *Lightning and the Rock* 2014
Nongirrja Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa, b1939
screenprint, image size 59 x 25 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
89. *Garrimala (Galpu clan country)* 2011
Malaluba Gumana
Yirritja, Dhalwanju clan, b1955
linocut, image size 54.5 x 41.5 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
90. *Yukuwa (yam)* 2013
Djirirra Wununjmurra
Yirritja, Dhalwanju clan, b1968
lithograph, image size 30 x 35 cm
Tamarind Institute, New Mexico, America
91. *Yathiny (marine organism – 'blue button')*
2015
Djalinda Yunipinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1954
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
92. *Rulyapa (waters between mainland and Dhambaliya)* 2013
Ruby Djikarra Alderton
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1993
etching, image size 25 x 20 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
93. *Marraju (clan country on Arnhem Bay)*
2015
Garawan Wanambi
Dhuwa, Marrakulu clan, b1965
etching, image size 40 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
94. *Darrpiya (ancestral octopus)* 2014
Burthi Marika
Dhuwa, Rirratjinju clan, b1994
linocut, image size 27 x 29 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

String Figure Prints

74. *Dapal (caterpillar)* 2013
Dhunhdhuna Bulpunu Munungurr
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1936
soft ground etching, image size 59 x 25 cm
Heather Burness, Grey Lady Press, ACT

Japanese Woodblocks

79. *Ranga (ceremonial digging stick)* 2007
Naminapu#2 Maymuru
Yirritja, Mangalili clan, b1979
Japanese woodblock, image size 30 x 15 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
80. *Yoku (corm of waterlily)* 2007
Naminapu#1 Maymuru-White
Yirritja, Mangalili clan, b1952
Japanese woodblock, image size 30 x 15 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
81. *Miyapunu (turtle)* 2007
Nyapanyapa Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, b1945
Japanese woodblock, image size 15 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
82. *Djirikitj (quail)* 2007
Barrpu Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 - 2012
Japanese woodblock, image size 15 x 30 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

Layers and Levels

83. *Darrangi (leafy plant)* 2010
Mul Kun Wirrpanda
Dhuwa, Dhudi-Djapu clan, b1947
collograph, image size 30 x 50 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory

Early Screenprints

95. *Dhanbul wu Yolju Marryun (Morning Star Ceremony)* 2001
Dundiwy Wununjmurra
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1951
screenprint, image size 48 x 40 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
96. *Larrakitj ga Wan'kurra (hollow log and bandicoot)* 2006
Barrpu Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1948 – 2012
screenprint, image size 66 x 46.5 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
97. *Bäru (crocodile)* 2004
Gaymala Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, 1935 – 2005
screenprint, image size 62 x 45.5 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
98. *Yolngu Cultural Way of Life* 2002
Dundiwy Wununjmurra
Dhuwa, Djapu clan, b1951
screenprint, image size 46 x 62 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
99. *Dhambilinu ga Bonba (blue-tongue lizard and butterfly)* 2003
Nongirrja Marawili
Yirritja, Madarrrpa, b1939
screenprint, image size 52 x 64 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory
100. *Hunting Dhäwu (hunting story)* 2001
Nyapanyapa Yunupinu
Yirritja, Gumatj clan, c1945
screenprint, image size 47 x 39 cm
Yirrkala Print Space, Northern Territory