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Local artist in fringe festival

ARTIST Kerrie Warren will participate in the Melbourne Fringe Festival and paint from the venue that exhibits and sells her work.

Ms Warren will paint at the Gainsville showrooms from 26 September to 17 October, each Sunday 10am till 5pm. She is currently working on the backgrounds which she will complete at the festival. She said her foregrounds would consist mainly of birds, which were her present interest.

Ms Warren, who has been painting seriously for the past four years and has a studio in Newborough, began studies in painting and ceramic sculpture at the Yallourn College of TAFE. She is now studying for a

diploma in Transpersonal Art Therapy at the Ikon Institute in Prahran.

She described her paintings as "contemporary, futuristic and visually stimulating", with bright, positive colors that are full of energy.

She has been commissioned to create paintings and sculpture for a wide variety of boardrooms, foyers and public waiting areas.

During 1997 to 1998 she worked on a number of pieces including Hazelwood Power Station and Latrobe Regional Development Group.

Ms Warren describes her work as "an extension of myself that allows you to view my internal landscapes from your own perspective".