

SHELTER SERIES

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Dream Home 2019 cardboard, glue, balsawood
and paint 42cm(h) x 46cm(w) x 16cm(d)
Photo Graeme Wienand



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I had so much fun making these little dwellings out of empty boxes and odds and ends lying about in my studio. I think it is deeply satisfying creating original artwork from single use items that get thrown out. It costs me nothing but time and innovation with what I have.

Shelter Series has been inspired by my love of architecture. I am especially fond of the make shift, old, busted, or derelict. I like looking at the evidence of activity seen in the

character of old buildings. Dog scratch marks on the back door; little balconies protruding from high up windows or holes covered, and walls made with random bits of wood. It makes me ponder the social history of a place and what previous inhabitants were like.

In many of these buildings I can imagine standing at the window and looking out.

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Hideout 2019 cardboard, glue, balsawood, twine and paint 37cm(h) x 35cm(w) x 12cm (d)
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Dimensions variable
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