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david ray triumph

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We are a society of spectators experiencing triumph vicariously through the efforts of our heroes. The mundane and the everyday; our disappointments and failures are all fleetingly transcended in our collective participation in victory. We emotionally invest in the enduring archetypal myth of the hero's journey.

The work for this exhibition uses the form of the trophy to express alternate views of triumph. These trophies symbolize for me the unseen or even unpopular triumph, and award recognition where no such trophy exists. I have awarded trophies for coming second, for being part of the crowd, for hope, for the abuse of power, for being delusional about one's abilities and even one just for being you and turning up



Above image: , second, porcelain, underglaze & lustre

20 x 35 x 8cm 2008

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opening: 6 - 8pm Thursday 26 june

exhibition ends: saturday 19 july

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