**LITERARY CV for Michelle Worthington**

The Bedtime Band, was released with Wombat Books in November 2011.

The Pink Pirate was partner published by Little Steps Publishing in July 2012 and was a finalist in the 2012 International Book Awards for Paperback Picture Books.

Yellow Dress Day was released by New Frontier Publishing in September 2012 and was shortlisted for the 2013 Crichton Award. It featured at the 2014 Bologna Book Fair as an example of Australian picture book illustration. It is a featured book on Play School, read by Justine Clarke.

Each the Same was published in US and UK by Ambassador Publishing in June this year and was a finalist in the 2013 USA Best Book Awards. Winner of the 2014 International Book Awards for Hardcover Children’s Picture Book.

Hootie the Cutie was released by New Frontier in May 2014. Winner of the 2015 International Book Awards for Hardcover Children’s Picture Book.

Possum Games released in 2014 by Wombat Books.

Noah Chases the Wind released by Redleaf Press in the US and internationally in March 2014. Awarded a Silver Moonbeam Award and Gelett Burgess Award in 2015 for Children’s Literature.

My Brother Tom released by Dragontales Publishing in November 2015 and was a finalist in the 2016 Book Excellence Awards.

The World’s Worst Pirate was published by Little Pink Dog Books in 2017. Notables on the 2018 CBCA Picture Book of the Year Awards and shortlisted for the 2018 Speech Pathology Awards and 2018 NSW Women’s Writers Awards.

Glitch was published by Ford Street Publishing in 2017. Notables on the 2018 CBCA Picture Book of the Year Awards and shortlisted for the 2018 Speech Pathology Awards.

The Three Legged Kangaroo from Uluru and Malibu and the Naughty Elf were published by Big Sky Publishing in 2017.

Pugs Don't Wear Pyjamas was released by New Frontier Publishing in March 2018.

Johnny’s Beard was released by Little Pink Dog Books in October 2018. Shortlisted for the 2019 Speech Pathology Awards.

Little Gnome’s Christmas Wish was released by Clear Fork Publishing in the USA in September 2019.

Trolls Don’t Wear Tutus will be released by Yellow Brick Books in September 2020.

Super Nicholas will be released by Clear Fork Publishing in the USA in March 2020.

Granny Smith will be released by Little Pink Dog Books in March 2021.

2012 Out of the Box Children’s Festival Presenter and Gold Coast Writers Festival Children’s Programme Workshop at Surfers Paradise State School

2013 Queensland Writers Centre How to Create a Picture Book Workshop Presenter and Special Children’s Christmas Party Performer as Fairy Belle, the book fairy

2014 Moreton Bay College Queenslander of the Year for Contribution to the Arts, Queensland Writers Centre How to Create a Picture Book Workshop Presenter, Gold Coast Writers Festival Children’s Programme Workshop at Helensvale State School and Special Children’s Christmas Party Performer as Fairy Belle, the book fairy

2015 Yellow Dress Day featured on Play School on ABC4Kids, Guest Speaker at the Lakes College Creative Writing Awards, Creative Writing workshop presenter at the Lakes College, Creative Writing for Children Workshop series at Mad Hatters Bookshop, Manly and Presenter at NSW Writers Centre Kids and YA Conference

2016 Founder of the Share Your Story Australia, Queensland Writers Centre Introduction to Picture Books Workshop Presenter, Storytelling at Victoria Point Library, Literacy Program Developed with and for all students at Narbethong State Special School and Presenter at Noted Writers Festival

2017 Presenter at CYA Conference, Brisbane, Presenter and Panellist at Sunshine Coast International Readers and Writers Festival, Presenter and Panellist at Sunshine Writers Retreat

2018 International Guest Speaker at Togetherfest in New York City, CBCA Notable Picture book of the Year, Finalist in Speech Pathology Awards, Winner of the AusMumpreneur Award for Business Excellence for Share Your Story, Finalist in the Women’s Writers of NSW Awards. Winner of the Redlands BaR awards for best Start Up Business. MC at the Australian Film Industry Night Awards.

2019 International Guest Speaker at the Charlotte Huck Children’s Literature Festival in Los Angeles. Finalist in the What’s on 4 Kids Australia’s Favourite Author Award. Finalist in Speech Pathology Awards. MC at the Australian Film Industry Night Awards. Judge at the AusMumpreneur Awards.

2020 International Guest Speaker at the Charlotte Huck Children’s Literature Festival in Los Angeles and International Guest Speaker in Galway, Ireland at the International Arts in the Society Conference.