## TAMAYINYA TJAPANGATI - PINTUPI

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Tamayinya was still young when his family group came out of the desert into Kiwirrkurra in 1984, making national headlines as the 'last' of the desert nomads to make 'first contact' Prior to this they had been living at Marawa, on the south western side of Lake Mackay. It was estimated at the time of arriving at Kiwirrkura that he was 15 years old. Tamayinya completed his first paintings for Papunya Tula Artists in 1987. He is the brother of Yalti and Yukultji Napangati.

## **Selected Group Exhibitions**

- 2016 'The Last Hurrah', Utopia Art Sydney, NSW
- 2013 'Community V', Utopia Art Sydney, NSW
- 2006 'A Particular Collection', Utopia Art Sydney, New South Wales
- 'Papunya Tula the next generation', Walkabout Gallery, Sydney, NSW
   'Rising Stars', Gallery Gabrielle Pizzi, Melbourne, Victoria
   'Living Legends of the Western Desert', Walkabout Gallery, Sydney, NSW
- 2000 Framed Gallery, Darwin, Northern Territory
  'Pintupi Men', Papunya Tula Artists, Alice Springs, Northern Territory

## Collections

Artbank

## Selected Bibliography

Nangara, exhibition catalogue, The Aboriginal Gallery of Dreamings, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, 1996.