

22 November 2013 – 23 March 2014 | The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia and NGV International

## Satellite Events

*Melbourne Now's* Satellite Events program sees the exhibition extend beyond the gallery walls and head into the city to further showcase the unique creativity in its studios, streets, laneways, gardens and homes.

Highlights include:

- As part of *Melbourne Now* over fifty of Melbourne's finest street artists collectively worked to repaint Hosier and Rutledge Lanes and bring them back to their former glory. Entitled **ALLYOURWALLS** the project began the weekend of 9 November with the upper levels of the lanes painted for the first time. From the 27 – 29 November the entire street level view of the Lanes will be transformed as the artists work to reinvigorate the spaces;
- **On Top of the World: Flags for Melbourne:** Forty-one flags, designed by 16 Melbourne artists, are flown across Melbourne sites including the Town Hall, Manchester Unity Building, Flinders Street Station, Royal Exhibition Building, Royal Botanic Gardens, the Westgate Bridge and from working cranes across four building sites in the CBD. The crane flags, entitled 'Four letter words', are designed by artist and musician Jon Campbell and emblazoned with words such as LOVE, SING, VIEW, LOOK and YEAH. Duplicates of the complete set of 41 flags fly cathedral-style in the NGV's Great Hall for the duration of *Melbourne Now*.
- Three of Melbourne's most recognised sound and light experimentalists, Robin Fox, Marco Fusinato and Oren Ambarchi come together to present **Disruptions**, an audio-visual performance of epic proportions at the Corner Hotel, Richmond;
- **Open Studios** invites participants into artists', dancers' and designers' studios across the city in February and March to view their inner workings and to gain insight into the creative processes that goes on behind-the-scenes;
- Conducted by Melbourne architects, **Melbourne Designed** takes audiences on a tour of their recent projects. Architects involved include SIBLING and Assemble with more to be announced in the coming weeks;
- In January and February **Stairs, Doors, Floors, Walls: Melbourne Now on Foot** explores the often overlooked aspects of architecture that connect, ornament and move the city through the eyes of architects including SIBLING, Annie Wu, Sampling the City and Assemble Papers;
- In February **Roll Your Eyes: Melbourne Now by Bike** allows participants to see the city through the eyes of Melbourne based artists such as designer-illustrator Beci Orpin, Room11 Architects and Kate Stokes & Haslett Grounds;



- For *Melbourne Now* a mass public drawing class with multiple instructors from the fields of architecture, communication, industry and interior design will gather at the big screen of Federation Square;
- **Women in Design** is an exhibition that celebrates the role women have played and continue to play in Melbourne's design industry, located at 45 Downstairs as part of *Melbourne Now*;
- The **Royal Botanic Runway** sees the Guilfoyle's Volcano in Melbourne's Royal Botanic Gardens transformed into a striking runway for an event that brings together fashion, the environment and the arts. This runway event will feature Australian designers, including those that now work on an international stage, including Martin Grant, Collette Dinnigan, Akira and Aurelio Costarella.

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Hosier Lane looking towards  
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