

**NGV GIFTS, BENEFITS & HOSPITALITY REGISTER - 2024-25**

<b>Date offered</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Description of gift, benefit or hospitality</b>	<b>Estimated / Actual value</b>	<b>Offered by (name of individual / organisation making the offer)</b>	<b>Business Benefit (where accepted)</b>	<b>Decision by receiver</b>
03.07.24	Head of Registration	Invitation to retirement lunch at Old Parliament House in Canberra.	\$50	Supplier		Decline
03.07.24	Coordinating Registrar, Collections	Invitation to retirement lunch at Old Parliament House in Canberra.	\$50	Supplier		Decline
03.07.24	Senior Registrar, Exhibitions	Invitation to retirement lunch at Old Parliament House in Canberra.	\$50	Supplier		Decline
08.07.24	Media and Public Affairs Officer	Vinyl record album.	\$100	Industry contact	Not appropriate to accept gift as the estimated value is over \$50. Deemed it would be inappropriate to return without causing potential harm to future support from SONY. Gift was given as an example of a physical public relations gift/send out as a tool and example of strategic press relations, therefore transferring gift to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
10.07.24	Senior Registrar, Loans	Invitation to retirement lunch at Old Parliament House in Canberra.	\$50	Supplier		Decline
17.07.24	Registrar	Invitation to retirement lunch at Old Parliament House in Canberra.	\$50	Supplier		Decline
02.08.24	Assistant Director, Curatorial and Audience Engagement	Printed fabric hanging and a medallion	\$50-100	International government delegation	Gifts are estimated to be over \$50.	Transfer to NGV
06.09.24	Assistant Director, Curatorial and Audience Engagement	Lunar New Year print	Over \$50	International colleague	Declaring and transferring gift as per the gift giving and receiving policy.	Transfer to NGV
09.09.24	Assistant Director, Fundraising and Events	Refreshments provided during studio visit for donors	\$400 in total, for 8 guests	Artist	This is an opportunity for the NGV team to reconnect with Cai Guo-Qiang and his studio, and continue our long-standing engagement with them, as well as discuss prospective opportunities for the NGV to collaborate with the team in the future.	Accept/Retain
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11.09.24	Director	Box of six assorted mini Chinese mooncakes.	\$60	Government contact	The gift was unsolicited and posted to NGV, as a gesture of goodwill and in celebration of the Mid-Autumn Festival. Due to the perishable nature of the items, and out of cultural sensitivity, the gift was transferred to NGV, in line with the NGV Gifts, Benefits & Hospitality policy.	Transfer to NGV
12.09.24	Director	Bottle of maple syrup.	\$30	International colleague	The gift was presented by a colleague visiting from MFA Boston, on behalf of the Director of the MFA, as a gesture of goodwill. Gift accepted in line with the NGV's Gifts, Benefits & Hospitality policy.	Accept/Retain
N/A	Assistant Director, Fundraising and Events	Morning tea	\$600 in total, for 6 guests	Government contact	This is an opportunity for the NGV team to connect with Heather Ridout AO to discuss ways in which the NGV can extend our reach and presence in New York. With our upcoming Australian Indigenous art touring exhibition and The Fox: NGVC, this will be a valuable meeting to gain insights into engagement opportunities and strategies for the American audience.	Accept/Retain
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04.11.24	Associate Director, Governance, Policy, Planning and IT	Invitation to brunch for arts and cultural leaders.	\$30	Supplier		Decline
6.11.24	Associate Director, Governance, Policy, Planning and IT	Book	\$25	Supplier		Decline
14.11.24	Assistant Director, Exhibition Management and Design	Selection of tea, tea pot and tea cups.	\$200	Potential supplier	Gift was over the token value and was received at the same time as correspondence requesting an exhibition partnership.	Transfer to NGV
22.11.24	Assistant Director, Curatorial and Audience Engagement and Senior Curator, Asian Art	2 x Calendars	Estimated \$50AUD	Government contact	Gift is potentially over \$50AUD, declaring according to policy.	Transfer to NGV
27.11.24	Deputy Director	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
27.11.24	Director	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
18.12.24	Assistant Director, Curatorial and Audience Engagement	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
09.12.24	President, Council of Trustees	Book	\$150	Artist	The artist would have been offended by a refusal.	Accept/Retain
16.12.24	Director	Miniature resin sculpture	\$495	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
16.12.24	Head of Exhibitions Management	Purse	\$135	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the value and the NGV's contractual relationship with the studio, this has been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
18.12.24	Curatorial Project Officer, International Exhibition Projects	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
19.12.24	Exhibition Design Assistant	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV

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19.12.24	Senior Exhibition Coordinator	Purse	\$135	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the value and the NGV's contractual relationship with the studio, this has been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
19.12.24	Senior Exhibition Coordinator	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the value and the NGV's contractual relationship with the studio, this has been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
08.01.25	Acting CFO	Invitation to Australian Open and dinner.	\$500	Supplier		Decline
12.02.25	Head of Registration	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
12.02.25	Manager, Exhibitions and Collections Operations	Biscuits in decorative tin	Under \$50	Artist studio	Gift was given as part of Japanese custom of 'omiyage' and was not appropriate to decline. Due to the cumulative value of the number of gifts given, these have been transferred to NGV.	Transfer to NGV
07.03.25	Media and Public Affairs Assistant	Tote bag	\$25AUD	Industry contact	To decline would have caused offence.	Accept/Retain
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17.04.25	Events Coordinator	Box of Easter eggs	\$12	Supplier	Goods were perishable and could not be returned.	Transfer to NGV
21.05.25	Senior Publicist	Miniature football	\$15	Industry contact	To continue a working relationship with AFL and foster further opportunities for collaboration, including other PR and content opportunities related to AFL or specific clubs and their players. There is also a strong potential to continue conversations with the Corporate Partnerships team as AFL could be a prospective partner for NGV.	Accept/Retain
27.06.25	Associate Director, Governance, Policy, Planning & IT	Exhibition catalogue	\$100	International colleague	In line with policy.	Transfer to NGV