

Approved grants 2023-24 – Creative grants

Recipient	Project description	Cash approved	Value-in-kind approved
107 Projects Incorporated as auspice for Melissa Gilbert	A community-driven weaving project at Carriageworks that will unify cultures and amplify Female First Nations stories exploring the theme of legacy.	\$20,000	Nil
A Jones-Fernandez & M.M Rinaldi	A series of art installations by culturally diverse artists supported by monthly public programs and viewed 24/7 in a street-facing window in Chinatown.	\$20,000	Nil
Antenna Documentary Institute Limited	An annual curated program of discussions, masterclasses and workshops for documentary professionals to network and develop their filmmaking practice and industry knowledge, at the Powerhouse Museum, Ultimo.	\$25,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$25,000 (Year 2 - 24/25)	Nil
Australian Design Centre	An exhibition and development opportunity for early career artists and curators to enhance their skills, and for new audiences to discover craft and design at the Australian Design Centre.	\$15,000	Nil
Brand X Productions Incorporated	A 12-month program to showcase artists in a street facing window exhibition space and foyer café at City of Sydney Creative Studios.	\$15,000	Nil
Chronology Arts Limited	A curated monthly performance evening for queer artists at Surry Hills supported by artform research and development workshops at Darlinghurst.	\$20,000	Nil
Dong Nam A Brothers & Co. Pty Ltd	The creation of a public mural in Chinatown South that reflects the Asian Australian migrant story and the traditional and contemporary Asian experience.	\$40,000	Nil

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Elizabeth Margaret Muldoon	The transcription and publication of oral histories that tell the individual stories of eight Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women involved in the Redfern Black Movement interspersed with their collective history.	\$25,000	Nil
Ensemble Offspring Ltd	A week-long intensive workshop for five emerging Australian composers followed by a public performance to be held at Pier 2/3, Hickson Road, Dawes Point.	\$19,000	Nil
Griffin Theatre Company Ltd as auspice for Stuart Davis	The creative development of an immersive theatrical piece based on real events at a Surry Hills nightclub for African-American servicemen during WW2, to be held at The Seymour Centre, Chippendale.	\$30,000	Nil
Heaps Decent Ltd	A free weekly program of activities for young people covering all the essentials of contemporary music production, to be held at Glebe, Redfern, Haymarket and Sydney CBD.	\$10,000	Nil
Lamorna Grace Nightingale	The production and presentation of four new music programs by artists from diverse social, cultural and artistic backgrounds at Waterloo.	\$30,000	Nil
M87 Pty Ltd as auspice for Madelaine Grima	A monthly hip-hop event promoting inclusivity by providing a safe space for diverse artists to perform and showcase their talents at Knox St Bar, Chippendale.	\$11,000	Nil
Maeve Tib Teresa Marsden	The research and development of a new theatre work adapted from original storytelling projects at Hayes Theatre, Potts Point.	\$20,000	Nil
Marrugeku Incorporated	A two week research project and capacity building program at Carriageworks that engages dance with the Country it is danced on and the cultures of the people who make it.	\$20,000	Nil

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Mayu Iwasaki	To present the Australian premiere of a Japanese play about a family's experience of the atomic bombing of Hiroshima including two weeks of performances at the Old Fitz Theatre, Woolloomooloo.	\$15,000	Nil
Milk Crate Theatre	The development of a new immersive performance investigating the psychological theories behind the pursuit of comfort, with a series of performances at Carrigageworks.	\$20,000	Nil
R.S Halwala & T.I Stevenson	A monthly showcase of improvised comedy acts at Meraki Arts Bar, Darlinghurst to elevate and invigorate Sydney's comedy scene.	\$15,000	Nil
Redfern Surf Club Pty Ltd	A series of weekly live music performances showcasing emerging artists from diverse backgrounds in a safe inclusive space in Alexandria.	\$20,000	Nil
Shelley M Watters	A sculptural installation, workshop and artist talk by an early-career artist exploring the impact of gender-based violence in our community, to be held at 107 Projects, Redfern.	\$13,000	Nil
Spineless Wonders Publishing Pty Ltd	A quarterly project for local communities and visitors to explore some lesser-known aspects of Sydney's history through public talks, workshops, performance and creative engagement throughout the local area.	\$30,000	Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$659
Starry Arts Pty Ltd	An art education program for children with disability combining art and technology to produce a short movie of the students' ideas and artworks, to be held at University of Technology, Sydney and Sydney Lower Town Hall.	Nil	Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$5,293

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Sydney Theatre Company Ltd	The delivery of theatre-based literacy workshops for teachers from underprivileged schools in the local area to develop arts-rich teaching strategies, for students to improve literacy and confidence, and to gain access to subsidised tickets.	\$10,000	Nil
The House That Dan Built Incorporated as auspice for Katrina Douglas	The development and delivery of a participatory virtual reality performance exploring the collective responsibility of climate change, to be held at The Church Space, Alexandria.	\$20,000	Nil
The Performance Space Ltd as auspice for Latai Taumoepeau	The development and presentation of performances at Redfern public housing, Sydney University and Carriageworks telling stories of the Pasifika experience in the City of Sydney.	\$20,000	Nil
The Red Rattler Theatre Incorporated as auspice for Worship Queer Collective	A series of weekly workshops and one-on-one mentorships for emerging artists who identify as LGBTQI+ and Asian/QTBIPOC for the development of live performances at The Bearded Tit, Redfern.	\$15,000	Nil
University of Technology Sydney	The production of immersive and interactive recreations of Australian popular music spaces at UTS Data Arena, Broadway by using a mix of interviews, print, digital, stills, moving images, sounds and objects.	\$15,000	Nil
We Are Warriors Pty Ltd	Monthly creative workshops for local Indigenous youth and the creation of a new documentary showcasing Indigenous talent and City of Sydney youth, to be held at Ultimo, on Gadigal Country.	\$22,000	Nil
Wear it Purple Incorporated	A four day workshop for LGBTQIA+ teenagers to develop a short performance-based work to be performed as part of Mardi Gras 2024 at The Rebel Theatre, Dawes Point.	\$15,000	Nil

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Wedge-Tail Pictures Pty Ltd	The production of a documentary film on the lives of renters, focussing on key workers, artists, young families and students, to be shot primarily around the local area.	\$20,000	Nil