

Shared Sky

13 March – 30 August 2009

Public Programs

Floor Talk: Exhibition Introduction

Sun 22 Mar, 12pm

To coincide with Cultural Diversity Week (17–23 Mar).

Speakers Stephen Gilchrist, Curator, Indigenous Art & Dr Allison Holland, Curator, Prints & Drawings

Cost Free

Venue Exhibition space, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Artist Floor Talk: Out There – A Remote Possibility

Wed 1 Apr, 3.30pm

Speaker Felicity Spear, exhibiting artist

Cost Free

Venue Exhibition space, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Late Night Thursdays @ NGV Australia

Thu 7 May, 5–9pm

Illuminating personal perspectives on the *Shared Sky* exhibition.

- **6pm Art Chat: Rod Quantock**
- **6.30pm Performance: Kutcha Edwards**

Cost Free

Venue Exhibition space, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Short Talks Afternoon: Starry, Starry Night

Sat 16 May, 1–2pm

- **Star Drawings**
Speaker Dr David Stephenson, Assoc Prof, Photography, Tasmanian School of Art & exhibiting artist
- **Art & Astronomy Through Space and Time**
Speaker Dr Christopher Fluke, Astronomer, Swinburne University of Technology Centre for Astrophysics and Supercomputing

Cost \$18 Adult / \$14 Concession

Venue Theatre, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Bookings essential 03 8662 1555

Floor Talk: Stars of Tagai – The Torres Strait Islanders

Wed 3 Jun, 12.30pm

To coincide with Mabo Day.

Speaker Dr Nonie Sharp, Honorary Research Fellow, Humanities and Social Sciences, La Trobe University

Cost Free

Venue Exhibition space, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Short Talks Afternoon: Night Sky Songlines

Sat 27 Jun, 1–2pm

- **Gulumbu Yunupingu's *Crying Stars***
Speaker Dr Elina Spilia, Indigenous Studies Program, The University of Melbourne
- **Morning Star Poles & the Indigenous Sky**
Speaker Dr Ray Norries, CSIRO Australia Telescope & Dept. of Indigenous Studies, Macquarie University

Cost \$18 Adult / \$14 Concession

Venue Theatre, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Bookings essential 03 8662 1555

Short Talks Afternoon: Nothing's Gonna Change My World

Sat 8 Aug, 2.30–3.30pm

- **Resolution: The Photographic Images of NASA**
Speaker Colleen Boyle, Vocational Education Officer, Museum Victoria
- **Imagining The Space Between Sci Fi and Reality**
Speaker Angela Ndalians, Assoc Prof Screen Studies, The University of Melbourne

Cost \$18 Adult / \$14 Concession

Venue Education Theatre, NGV International, St Kilda Road

Bookings essential 03 8662 1555

Late Night Thursdays @ NGV Australia

Thu 7 May, 5–9pm

- **5pm DJs Glitch and Uli**, playing minimal mood music
- **6pm Art Chat: Rod Quantock** comedian, discusses photographs from the Hubble space telescope and the art of the universe
- **6.30pm Performance: Kutcha Edwards** 'Under the Boorong Sky'
- **7.30pm–close DJs Glitch and Uli** continue

Cost Free

Venue The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

NGV Kids

Artcart: Far Out

Sun 5, 12, 19 & 26 Jul, 12noon–3pm & Tue 7 – Fri 10 Jul, 12noon–3pm

Ages 3+

To coincide with NAIDOC week. Outer space is full of mystery and beauty. Discover some of the fantastic artworks on display and scratch a silver universe into black card – far out! From Tue 7 to Fri 10 Jul, join us for a series of short animation screenings which tell indigenous stories about the night sky, refer below for details.

Cost Free

Venue Foyer, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square

Film: *The Dreaming Series*

Tue 7 – Fri 10 Jul, 1pm

(2000, 6 mins per ep, G)

To coincide with NAIDOC week. Join us for a series of short animation screenings which tell indigenous stories about the night sky. Produced by Aboriginal Nations Australia Pty Ltd.

- **Tue 7 & Wed 8 Jul *Galaxy and The Moon and His Two Wives***
- **Thu 9 & Fri 10 Jul *Southern Cross Story and Southern Lights***

Cost Free

Venue Theatre, The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia, Federation Square