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Festivals Australia grant recipients—National summary of projects— Round 11 September 2020

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State / territory	Recipient	Project title	Project description	Festival	Amount funded (\$) (excl. GST)
WA	Ord Valley Events Incorporated	<i>Art in the Park</i>	An open-air gallery, showcasing 30 Indigenous and non-Indigenous artists from the East Kimberley region alongside culturally informative stations such as bush food and medicine, and traditional dancing.	<i>Ord Valley Muster</i>	\$17,100
SA	Festival Fleurieu	<i>Light on the Cape</i>	The Cape Jervis Lighthouse will be brought to life with digital art projections and a live performance of sea shanties that share the unique stories of the Fleurieu Coast.	<i>Festival Fleurieu 2021</i>	\$28,380
VIC	Castlemaine State Festival	<i>Riel ë Nhyiër - CSF Opening Night Celebration and Community Engagement 2021</i>	Riel ë Nhyiër is a musical celebration of the South Sudanese culture in central Victoria.	<i>Castlemaine State Festival</i>	\$40,100
QLD	Fraser Coast Tourism & Events Ltd	<i>Song to the Ocean</i>	A live music installation featuring original classical music surrounded by light sculptures made during workshops informed by local Indigenous arts and culture and the region's marine life.	<i>Hervey Bay Whale Festival</i>	\$49,749
QLD	Cairns Regional Council, Cairns Festival	<i>Reef Lights</i>	A laser and light projection in key areas of the Cairns CBD reflecting the Great Barrier Reef.	<i>Cairns Festival</i>	\$78,944
NT	Rirratjingu Aboriginal Corporation	<i>Yarrapay Festival Main Stage</i>	The Yarrapay Festival's main stage will feature well-known and aspiring Indigenous performers singing in-language.	<i>Yirrkala Yarrapay Music and Dance Festival</i>	\$27,500

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NT	Creative Accomplice Pty Ltd	<i>Water Tower Series Program</i>	A collaboration with Indigenous enterprises and independent artists will see experimental media works created and screened across water towers in the Northern Territory.	<i>Northern Territory Travelling Film Festival</i>	\$60,000
VIC	Latrobe City Council	<i>TOGETHER: A musical celebration of Latrobe Valley</i>	Community choirs, concert bands and orchestras from across Latrobe City will create a special musical performance to mark the opening of its new performing arts centre.	<i>OPEN (Gippsland Performing Arts Centre Opening & 50 Year Celebration)</i>	\$45,000
QLD	First Nations Fashion and Design Indigenous Corporation	<i>Indigenous Textile and Fashion Project - Barunga Festival</i>	A collaboration with Northern Territory Indigenous communities to create a fashion performance showcasing Indigenous arts and culture, textiles and screen printed fabrics.	<i>Barunga Festival</i>	\$52,140
VIC	East Gippsland Winter Festival (Auspiced by East Gippsland Marketing Incorporated)	<i>Lakes Lights</i>	An augmented and virtual reality installation at the lakeside jetty which will be surrounded by a community-led parade of light.	<i>East Gippsland Winter Festival</i>	\$35,745
VIC	Sandford Festival Committee Inc.	<i>World Music Masterclass</i>	A masterclass in musical techniques and live performance, culminating in showband sessions and a live performance.	<i>Sandford Bush Music Festival</i>	\$3,500
QLD	Great Barrier Reef Festival	<i>Immerse, The Whitsundays - The Heart of the Great Barrier Reef</i>	Workshops will create an art installation of projected reef-themed animations and upcycled plastic sculptures of marine creatures, transforming a fig tree on Airlie foreshore into an underwater wonderland.	<i>Great Barrier Reef Festival</i>	\$25,604
VIC	Goulburn and North East Arts Alliance Inc.	<i>Elements of Sound</i>	Song writing and musical performances based on environmental sustainability and climate change and workshops with primary schools to educate children about the region's First Nation's past.	<i>Across The Arts</i>	\$7,500

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TAS	Situate (Auspiced by Tasdance)	<i>Seed</i>	A public artwork delivered in partnership with <i>The Unconformity</i> festival. A car junkyard is transformed into a walk-through installation that showcases the area's native ecosystems.	<i>The Unconformity Festival – Queenstown</i>	\$36,191
NSW	Dashville	<i>Festival Youth Mentorship</i>	Ten young people from regional NSW will participate in a mentorship program, development workshops and a collaborative live performance.	<i>The Gum Ball Music & Arts Festival</i>	\$36,800
NT	Djilpin Arts Aboriginal Corporation	<i>Djarmalak Daluk - Indigenous Women's Program</i>	Live performances by regional and interstate Indigenous women, inclusive workshops in traditional skills of fibre art and bush medicine, guest-speaker discussion panels, women's dance and healing circles.	<i>Djarmalak - Concerts on Country</i>	\$39,900