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Festivals Australia Grant Recipients

National Summary of Projects—Round 7 September 2018

State/ territory	Recipient	Project title	Project description	Festival	Amount funded (\$) (ex GST)
VIC	Ballarat International Foto Biennale Inc.	Who are these strangers and where are they going?	In an Australian first, influential Indigenous curator Djon Mundine OAM will curate a mid-career survey exhibition of celebrated Badtjala artist Dr Fiona Foley.	Ballarat International Foto Biennale	\$44,000
WA	The Denmark Arts Council Inc.	Honouring the 2019 United Nations Year of Indigenous Languages	This project celebrates and honours the 2019 United Nations Year of Indigenous Languages by bringing together Indigenous voices from around the world. Local Noongar Elders will host visiting artists, speakers and thinkers, with language the linking theme.	Denmark Festival of Voice	\$35,500
NT	Nightcliff Seabreeze Festival	Threading the Foreshore	The project will engage 8–10 visual and constructive artists to engage with community groups, schools and youth after-school-hours venues to create a range of art installations along the Nightcliff foreshore using re-usable and recycled materials.	Nightcliff Seabreeze Festival	\$20,000
NT	The Darwin Festival Ltd	Bunggul: Djarimirri (Child of the Rainbow) Live	'Bunggul: Djarimirri (Child of the Rainbow) Live' is a free outdoor performance by the Darwin Symphony Orchestra of the final album from multi-award-winning Northern Territorian musician Gurrumul.	Darwin Festival	\$100,000

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QLD	Townsville Intercultural Centre Ltd	Harmony in Diversity	This project will facilitate a range of art and performance based activities bringing Indigenous, refugee and migrants together, culminating in a public art exhibition, workshops and a dance performance reflecting the cultural diversity of the region.	25th Anniversary of Townsville Cultural Fest	\$40,000
QLD	Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council	Yothu Yindi and the Treaty Project	Yothu Yindi and the Treaty Project will headline the Yarrabah Band Festival, supported by a line-up of artists including Baker Boy, Kate Ceberano and Mojo Juju, as well as a number of community performers including the Yarrabah Brass Band.	Yarrabah Band Festival	\$45,000
TAS	Detached Cultural Organisation Ltd	Base Camp Art Walk	This project allows participants to view interactive artworks and performances as part of the Base Camp Art Walk.	Dark Mofo Festival	\$100,000
TAS	Auspicious Arts Inc.	Tin Camp	Guided by artist Warren Mason, Aboriginal community members will build a replica of a 1940s–50s Aboriginal Tin Camp. First Nation Story Tellers will be engaged to share their stories of living within these camps. Patrons will be encouraged to share their stories and have them recorded.	Nayri Niara Good Spirit Festival	\$43,555
NSW	Splendour in the Grass	Hiromi Hotel (Brain Flower)	Artist Hiromi Tango will create a textile-based sculptural installation with community participants, through art-making processes that encourage people to slow down, make human connections, and consider what we may be losing as digital communications takeover.	Splendour in the Grass	\$30,000
NSW	The KISS Arts Festival	AIR KISS— Artists in Residence project	Working with 4 visual artists, participants will create art installations that weave together the natural beauty of Kiama's dairy farming, volcanic and seaside greenery using only recycled paper.	The KISS Arts Festival	\$22,800