

CV

Abbreviated 2017

Born Sydney, Australia

EDUCATION

Leanne Shedlezki BFA (Hons), College of Fine Arts University of New South Wales

Naomi Shedlezki MArt, College of Fine Arts, University of New South Wales
BA Japanese, Macquarie University

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS/PERFORMANCES (includes collaborative projects)

- 2017 People Make Places, Sydney, Tokyo
- 2016 Match Box Projects; People Make Places Lane Cove, Lane Cove Gallery, Lane Cove
People Make Places, Brisbane, New York, San Francisco
- 2015 People Make Places, Adelaide, Venice, Cannes, Amsterdam, Paris, Lane Cove
- 2014 Match Box Depot: London, Keepers House, Royal Academy of Art, London / Dubai, Sikka, Dubai
People Make Places, Venice, London, Edinburgh, Berlin, Dubai
- 2013 The Journey So Far, Rocks Pop Up, Sydney
Match Box Depot: Mosman, 495 Military Rd, Mosman
- 2012 Flavours and Neighbours of Atherden St, National Institute of Experimental Arts, The Rocks
- 2011 People Make Places, Deniliquin
Advisor, CMCA Rally, Deniliquin
- 2010 People make Places: Shanghai, Shift, Shanghai
Reflections.....Shanghai, Shanghai
Encounter....New York, galleryeight, Sydney
- 2009 Time Capsule: New York, New York
People make Places: Melbourne, Vitrine, Platform, Melbourne
The Journey...so far, At The Vanishing Point, Newtown, Sydney
Putting Sydney ARIs on the Map...your journey starts here, gaffa, Surry Hills, Sydney



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- 2009 Out and About, Slot, Alexandria, Sydney
Encounter...New York, Sydney, Shanghai
- 2008 Facetnate!: People to People, Place to Place: Australia-Japan, Japan Foundation Gallery, Sydney
- 2007 Out & About: Cowra Japanese Garden & Arts Centre, Cowra
Match Box Galleries – Out & About, Tusculum Gallery, RAIA, Potts Point, Sydney
People to People, Place to Place: Sydney Tokyo Nagoya, Gosford Regional Gallery, Gosford
- 2006- Match Box Gallery, Sydney, Tokyo, Nagoya, Furudono, Osaka, Brisbane, Melbourne, Willoughby,
Cowra, Gosford, Yokohama, San Francisco, New York
- 2006 Match Box Projects; Sydney Tokyo Nagoya: International Design Museum, IdcN, Nagoya
Match Box Projects, Sydney Design 06, Space, Alexandria, NSW; Box, Melbourne
People to People, Place to Place, COFA Space, UNSW, Paddington, Sydney

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS/PERFORMANCES (includes collaborative projects)

- 2013 In Situ, Mosman Festival, Mosman
Hungry For Art, Ryde
- 2012 Kudos Award, Kudos, Paddington
- 2011 Play on the Plains Festival, Deniliquin
- 2009 Action vs. Action, Gallery 4A, Asia-Australia Art Centre, Sydney
- 2008 Art in the Park, Nagoya Gardens, Hyde Park, Sydney
- 2007 Journey to Japan, Gosford Regional Gallery and Arts Centre, Gosford
Influence Japan, Gosford Edogawa Commemorative Garden, Gosford

SELECTED RESIDENCIES

- 2013/14 The Rocks Pop-Up, Sydney
- 2012 NIEA Pop Up Studio, The Rocks
- 2010 The Paper Mill, Sydney
- 2009 Platform, Melbourne
- 2007 Cowra Japanese Garden & Cultural Centre, Cowra



SELECTED GRANTS/AWARDS

- 2012 Kudos Award Finalist
- 2011 Arc@COFA Art and Design Grant
- 2008 Facetnate! Japan Foundation Support Program for New Visual Artists (Invited Recipient)
- 2007 Arts NSW Projects Grant
- 2006 Australia Japan Society of NSW Grant
Cowra Japan Society Grant
National Federation of Australia Japan Societies Grant

SPECIAL PROJECTS

- 2009 Sydney ARI Guide
- 2006- The Australia Japan Match Box Project
Match Box Gallery
- 2006 Sydney Tokyo Geidai Exchange Tour

SELECTED LECTURES/ARTIST TALKS/TOURS

- 2016 Art Month Sydney MOST Tours, Marrickville
- 2015 Guest Lecture, University of Newcastle, Newcastle
- 2013 MOST, Marrickville
- 2012 Friday Night Talk Show, N-mark, Nagoya
- 2011 Art Month Sydney, Sydney
- 2010 Putting ARIs on the Map, Art & About, Sydney
- 2009 Contempo Arts Alive, Art Gallery Society of New South Wales, Sydney
- 2008 Breaking New Ground, Australia Japan Society of New South Wales, Sydney
Tokyo National University of Fine Arts and Music, Tokyo
- 2007 Sydney Design 07, Customs House, Sydney
Royal Australian Institute of Architects, Sydney



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