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Arts NT News

All Regional Arts Fund activities must finish by 31 December 2008

Please note that according to advice from the Department of Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts (DEWHA), activities funded through the Australian Government's Regional Arts Fund (RAF) need be finalised by the end of this year. RAF is a lapsing program and a decision for continuation of the program has not been announced at this point.

New activities being applied for under the RAF categories: Networks and Partnerships, Skills Development, Artist to Artist Support and New Arts Communities in the upcoming March 2008 Project Round or activities that have received RAF funding from previous funding rounds must be completed by 31 December 2008 and acquitted within 13 weeks following.

For further advice please contact a Program Officer at Arts NT on 8999 8981 or use Freecall 1800 678 237 or email arts.office@nt.gov.au.

Last call for Remote Festivals Fund Closing 28 February

The Remote Festivals Fund is for the support of remote community festivals, to establish and/or develop artistic programming and initiatives. For more information visit [here](#) or contact Arts NT on 8999 8981 or use Freecall 1800 678 237 or email arts.office@nt.gov.au

March 2008 Project Round and Public Art Grants

Closing Monday COB 17 March (as 15th March falls on a Saturday)

Click here for an [overview of the available funding](#).

Application Forms are [available here](#).

Applicants from the Top End can contact Ms Hania Radvan, Program Manager on 8999 8981 or free call 1800 678 237 or email arts.office@nt.gov.au for more advice or to make an appointment

Applicants from Central Australia can contact Ms Sonja Maclean, Manager Regional Office Alice Springs on 8951 1190 or free call 1800 678 237 or email arts.office@nt.gov.au for more advice or to make an appointment from Monday to Wednesday

Applicants applying for projects that involve Indigenous artists, cultural content or communities are encouraged to speak to Ms Stephanie Hawkins, Manager Indigenous Arts on 8999 8981 or free call 1800 678 237 or email arts.office@nt.gov.au

Arts NT Grants Calendar 2008/2009

Arts NT Quick Response Scheme	Ongoing
NT Register of Peers	Ongoing
Remote Festivals Fund	28th February
March 2008 Project Round	15th March
Public Art Grants	15th March
Declan Aputimi / J Bird Public Art Fellowship	15th March
Expressions of Interest for Key Arts Organisation Triennial Funding	31st May
Key Arts Organisation Triennial Funding 2008	31st July
October 2008 Project Round	15th October
Key Arts Organisation Annual Funding 2008	15th October (tbc)
Public Art Grants - Development and Small Works only	30th November

General News

New Arts Internship Coincides with Telstra Awards

Arts Minister Marion Scrymgour announced an exciting new \$25,000 Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory Internship. The intern will be based at the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory (MAGNT), and will work with the Senior Curator of Aboriginal Art and Material Culture in areas such as collection management, exhibition development and the 25th Telstra National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Art Award. <http://newsroom.nt.gov.au>

Call for Stolen Generations Stories to be in National Curriculum

Chief Minister Paul Henderson today called for the stories of the Stolen Generations to be included in a national history curriculum. Mr Henderson made the call during a motion of support for the Federal Government's historic apology to the Stolen Generations. <http://newsroom.nt.gov.au>

Elliat Rich featured on ABC New Inventors

Alice Springs Designer, Elliat Rich was featured on the ABC's The New Inventors program with The Lichen, a durable three in one piece of canvas that can be transformed into a swag (sleeping sack), tarpaulin or a jacket. www.abc.net.au/tv/newinventors

Code bolsters Indigenous artist protection

Aboriginal artists will have more commercial protection with the finalisation of a National Code of Conduct on Indigenous Art. The code is the first of its kind specifically for Indigenous art, and prescribes what is appropriate behaviour between artists and dealers. www.abc.net.au

NT bark art collection on show in Sydney

A exhibition of Northern Territory bark paintings, dating back to the 1950s, opens at a museum in Sydney today. The 260 paintings were collected by an American graphic designer and were sold to the Arnott's Biscuit company in 1987. The Museum of Contemporary Art bought the collection in the early nineties and is showcasing the art for the first time. www.abc.net.au

Australia Council for the 2008 Arts Funding Guide released

The Australia Council for the Arts has released details of its funding programs for 2008. The 2008 arts funding guide provides an overview of grants being offered in 58 categories and the more than 60 initiatives that the Australia Council for the Arts manages either directly or with partner organisations. The 2008 arts funding guide can be downloaded or mailed out on request. www.australiacouncil.gov.au

2008 Biennale of Sydney online venue now open

The online component of the 2008 Biennale of Sydney is now available to the public. The site features preview artworks, texts and projects based on the exhibition theme Revolutions - Forms That Turn. The 2008 Sydney Biennale kicks off from 18 June to 7 September 2008. www.bos2008.com/revolutionsonline

New film and TV body to help Australia compete

The Federal Arts Minister says the creation of a centralised agency for the film and television industry will help Australian creative talent withstand competition from overseas. Screen Australia will incorporate the merger of the Australian Film Commission, the Film Finance Corporation and Film Australia. Arts Minister Peter Garrett says the creation of Screen Australia will make Australian film and television products more competitive. www.abc.net.au

ABC launches new look, programs

ABC TV has launched its new look for 2008, promising Australian viewers more choice than ever with two channels. The main channel will be known as ABC1 and the broadcaster's digital channel, ABC2, will be given a new look. ABC2 will have a major focus on Australian arts. The channel has joined forces with the Australian Film Commission, Opera Australia and the Australian Ballet to provide a range of live coverage. www.abc.net.au

New website - Dictionary of Australian Artists Online

The Dictionary of Australian Artists Online (DAAO) is an open access and dynamic scholarly reference work and includes currently 6944 biographies by over 400 biographers. The foundation data focuses predominantly on Colonial artists; women artists to 1950; black and white artists; Aboriginal artists of the Western Desert and the Sydney region. It is constantly being added to: this is only the beginning. The DAAO invites art lovers and art researchers to search, discover and create Australian art history. www.daao.org.au

Board Matters Newsletter

Over 5,500 nonprofit board members read Board Matters. It is the only Australian newsletter designed exclusively to assist board members and executive managers in the governance of nonprofit organisations. Board Matters is available as part of the G&M Subscription Service (see below). Some articles from previous Newsletters are available for free download on this page. www.governance.com.au

Opportunities- NT Wide

Darwin Aboriginal Art Fair- Calling for Arts Centres Closing 1st March

Maningrida Arts & Culture is organising the second Darwin Aboriginal Art Fair to be held from the 14th to the 16th of August at the new prestigious Darwin Convention Centre near the wharf. We would like to register participating arts centres now as we will start advertising soon. There will be limited number of 20 booths available and the first 20 to confirm participation will get in. For more information contact Apolline Kohen and Claire Summers on:

E: info@maningrida.com

NT Art Notes Contribution for April

Closing 3rd March

Art Monthly Australia- Artnotes NT is a section in Australia Art Monthly magazine, which profile the visual arts state by state. Please forward information regarding exhibitions and other visual arts events to Hayley West, this years NT Art Notes Contributor, by email:

E: hayley_west@yahoo.com

25th Telstra National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Art Award - Calling for entries

Closing 28th March

The Award is open to all adult Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander artists and aims to showcase the very best Australian Indigenous art from around the country. The non-acquisitive Telstra Award of \$40,000 is awarded to the work considered by judges to be the most outstanding work in the exhibition. Additional prizes of \$4,000 each are awarded in four media categories. For more information or to request an Entry Form contact The Award Coordinator on:

T: 08 8999 8203

E: natsiaa@nt.gov.au

W: www.magnt.nt.gov.au

Development of Indigenous Employment Strategy for the NT Music Sector

Agentur has been contracted by DBERD to develop an Indigenous Employment Strategy for the NT Music Sector. A consortium formed between Agentur, The Yothu Yindi Foundation, APRA and Music NT Inc. will develop an overarching strategic document to underpin a range of initiatives to deliver and sustain Indigenous jobs and businesses in the music industry in the NT. The strategy is

to be developed with consideration to joint Australian and NT Government commitments to Indigenous Economic Development and the Arts. This project is also supported by DEEWR and Arts NT.

Agentur will be consulting key stakeholders in the NT Music Sector within the next couple of weeks and in association with Arts NT facilitate an industry round table meeting (in Darwin in mid/end March - date tbc) to bring the key stakeholders together to test the draft strategy developed out of consultation process and review of previous reports and findings in this area.

If you would like to participate in the consultation process, please contact Britta Decker, Agentur on:

T: 08 8981 2010 or 0417 875 901

E: britta@agentur.com.au

“Arts up” development program 2008 - Expressions of Interest sought

The Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations is working in partnership with Footsteps Enterprises to deliver a series of professional development workshops aimed at artists in the Northern Territory. The workshops will take an approach focusing on developing Arts businesses through interactive and experiential learning. More information is available [here](#). To express interest in this opportunity contact Bridget Garay or Stanley Tatipata on:

T: 07 3211 7796

Opportunities- Darwin

Gallery Sometimes - Participation sought

Sunday 23 Feb from 2.30pm

Artists are invited to create works on the theme of, or simply write, *Sorry*, at the Old Woolworth's art space, cnr of Smith & Knuckey Streets Darwin. Works can be installed or created during Sunday afternoon. Some materials will be provided. For further details contact Emma on:

T: 0413 400 693

Casting Opportunity

Sunday 24 February, 1-4pm, Nightcliff Community Centre (18 Bauhinia St, Nightcliff)

Australian director Bill Bennett (*Kiss or Kill*) and producer Kennedy Miller Mitchell (*Happy Feet*, *Mad Max*) are looking for an Aboriginal Girl aged 17 – 26 to play the lead role in their new movie. Anyone interested should come along to meet Nikki Barrett. No acting experiences are needed.

More information is available on:

T: 02 9699 1377

E: michael@barrettcasting.com.au

Casting Opportunity

Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th March, Portuguese and Timorese Social Club, Rd Marrara

The director Robert Connolly, director of *The Bank*, *Three Dollars*, and producer of the recent award winning *Romulus My Father* starring Eric Bana is looking for East Timorese and Darwin people to play important roles in a new feature film called “BALIBO”. BALIBO tells the story of war correspondent Roger East's investigation into the murders of the Balibo Five. The film will recreate the events around the journalist's deaths, the invasion of Dili, and the eventual independence of East Timor. The filming will happen between late May and August. For more information on the roles available contact Jane on:

T: 03 9696 3111

Creative Volunteering Workshop - Develop Funds & Resources

Sunday, 9 March, Territory Craft Gallery, Conacher Street, Fannie Bay

This workshop will focus on developing strategies and preparing proposals for funding, sponsorship and other resourcing options. It will work through developing the basics of a grant or sponsorship application for funding or other resources and get you to identify and target potential sources of support. Bookings can be made on:

T: 08 8981 6615

Takeaway 2008 - Calling for entries

Closing 20th March

The 'Takeaway' Affordable Art Show is an open entry exhibition for all mediums, revealing an enormous diversity of art forms and talent in the Northern Territory. The task is to create an

artwork that fits within the box provided and which will then be for sale. Cost: \$20 noodle box/ \$25 Square Box. For more information contact Sandra or Natalie at Territory Craft on:
E: tcdarwin@bigpond.com

**Exhibit at Arts NT: New Gallery Space
Ongoing**

The wall behind the reception desk at the Arts NT office has shown artists' work for the last year, presenting fantastic art works that brightens up the days of Arts NT staff and Arts NT visitors locally and from interstate. The wall is approximately 3 metres high by 3 metres wide with a hanging rail. Works of emerging and/or established artists can be hung on a monthly basis, free of charge. For more information contact:
T: 08 8981 9351
E: info@dvaa.net.au

Opportunities- Alice Springs

**Central Craft - Entries sought for Breaking the Mould
Closing 29 February**

Central Craft is calling for entries for the international Women's Day competition, up to three items reflecting the theme breaking the Mould. Entries will be on display until March 30 at the June Marriot Gallery. More info:
E: centralcraft@iinet.au

**Up the Garden Path - Call out to artists and craftspeople
Closing 16th May**

Olive Pink Botanic Garden is calling for entries in its sculptural competition/exhibition. Works addressing the themes of Desert Plants and Desert Places can be in any medium and take any form. There are 5 fabulous prize categories: Overall Winner; People's Choice; Youth (under 26 on June 1st 08); Desert Materials (made from natural desert materials); and, Recycled or Found Object Works. All entries will be displayed within the Garden setting from 30th May till 29th June and over 3000 people are expected to visit the exhibition. All works can be made available for sale during the exhibition. Entry forms and more information is available from:
T: 08 8952 2154
E: garden@opbg.com.au
W: www.opbg.com.au

Opportunities- Katherine

**Creative Volunteering Workshop - Carry Out Business Planning
Saturday 8th March**

This workshop will cover the essential areas of how to contribute to planning and management for regional not-for-profit and cultural organisations. Participants will look at where their organisation is now, where they want to be and how to get there. They will draft key elements of a Business Plan. Cost \$25. For more info or to register contact Katherine Regional Arts on:
T: 08 8971 0928

**Creative Volunteering Workshop - Plan and Program Events
Sunday 9th March**

This workshop covers key elements of planning and programming arts and cultural events and will incorporate generating concepts for and designing an event, event planning tools, event budgeting and scheduling, programming activities and identifying risk management strategies. Cost \$25. For more info or to register contact Katherine Regional Arts on:
T: 08 8971 0928

Opportunities- National

**DEWHA -2008-2009 National Arts and Crafts Industry Support and Indigenous Culture
Support
Closing 28th February**

For more information contact:
T: 02 6271 1000

E: nacis@environment.gov.au
W: www.arts.gov.au

Music in Communities Awards

Closing 29th February

The Music Council of Australia is seeking entries for its new music awards, celebrating the vitality of music in Australia's coastal communities, outback towns, remote Indigenous communities. The Music in Communities Awards will applaud the Australian people and organisations involved in community music projects. Community choirs, drum circles, youth groups, town bands, orchestras, ukelele ensembles, 'weekend warrior' rock programs and more can apply. For more information contact Tina Broad on:

T: 02 4454 3887

E: tina.mpfl@mca.org.au

Australia Council for the Arts - Community Partnerships

Closing 3rd March

- Projects with public outcomes
- Project and professional development

For more information contact:

T: 02 9215 9025 or 1800 226 912

E: cp@australiacouncil.gov.au

W: www.australiacouncil.gov.au

Australia Council for the Arts - Breaking new ground - Literature

Closing 7th March

The purpose of this one-off grant initiative is to create a stimulus to assist in the creation of important new work by established Australian writers and picture book and graphic novel illustrators which breaks new literary ground for the writer and will also have a high expectation of publication or production. Funding of \$40,000 is available for living allowances and/or assistance with travel and research costs associated with the preparation and writing of nominated projects.

For more information visit:

T: 02 9215 9000 or Toll-free 1800 226 912

E: mail@australiacouncil.gov.au

W: www.australiacouncil.gov.au

Australia Council for the Arts - Literature

Closing 15th March

Publishing and promotion: Publishing and promotion grants support activities that foster greater awareness and appreciation of Australian creative writing.

Residencies: Residencies foster excellence in writing by providing individual writers with a supportive environment for professional development, research and creative risk-taking.

T: 02 9215 9000 or Toll-free 1800 226 912

E: mail@australiacouncil.gov.au

W: www.australiacouncil.gov.au

Call for entries - Springboard, entrepreneurship for Australian designers

Closing 17th March

Springboard is a mentoring program that will enable 100 of Australia's most promising furniture, accessories and homewares designers to develop their professional careers in local and international markets. The 12 month project encompasses two stages of valuable training, delivered through workshops and one-to-one mentorship. The program covers sustainable best practice, financial management, contractual law, media relations, IP, manufacturing process, retail and export strategy. For more information and to apply contact Madeleine Hinchy on:

E: springboard@australiandesignunit.com

W: www.australiandesignunit.com

The National Indigenous Drug and Alcohol Committee (NIDAC) National Logo Competition

Closing 21st March

NIDAC is looking for a logo that can best represent the Committee as "the leading voice on Indigenous drug and alcohol". Three finalists will receive all expenses paid trip Melbourne to attend the National Drug and Alcohol Awards in June 2008 where the winner of the competition will be announced and receive a \$5,000 first prize. For more information contact Ms Sue Morley - Executive Officer on:

T: 02 6166 9604
E: suem@ancd.org.au

Spark National Young Artists Mentoring Program

Closing 28th March

SPARK gives young and emerging artists working in theatre, dance and communities the opportunity to be mentored by a professional artist, and to profile their work to the national arts industry. The program offers support, training, advice and funding for young and emerging artists (aged 18-26 years) to focus on their creative ideas and take their career to the next level.

Partnering with an established artist of their choice, they share knowledge, experiences and networks, as well as gaining critical feedback from the industry. For more information contact:

T: 07 3252 5115 or 1300 55 8892

E: spark@yaq.org.au

W: www.yaq.org.au/spark

2008 Prime Minister's Literary Awards

Closing 28th March

Entries are now open for the 2008 Prime Minister's Literary Awards, a new initiative celebrating the contribution of Australian literature to the nation's cultural and intellectual life. The Awards recognise literature's importance to our national identity, community and economy. A prize of \$100 000 will be awarded to the work judged to be of the highest literary merit in each of two categories Fiction and Non-Fiction. The Australian Government is preparing legislation to exempt the Awards from income tax, but at this time the legislation is yet to be passed. Authors, publishers and literary agents are eligible to enter books written by living Australian citizens and permanent residents. Works must be first published in English and first offered for general sale between 1 January and 31 December 2007. For more information contact:

T: 1800 707 889

E: pmliteraryawards@environment.gov.au

W: www.arts.gov.au/pmliteraryawards

Call for entries - 2008 Head On Photographic Portrait Competition

Closing 28th March

Head on Foundation invites photographers to submit works to the 2008 photographic portrait competition. Prizes will be awarded for the best 3 images. The selection of images will be based on the power of the photograph rather than the celebrity of the subject or photographer. Further prizes will be awarded to images selected by 'The Critic' and for 'People's Choice'. Total value of prizes is approximately \$32,000. Head On finalists will be exhibited at the Australian Centre for Photography, Sydney 1 May - 7 June 2008 and then at the M16 Artspace, Canberra 9 - 22 July 2008 as part of Vivid National Photography Festival. Further information can be found at:

W: www.headon.com.au

Sunshine Coast Art Prize

Closing 30th March

The Sunshine Coast Art Prize is a national contemporary painting and 2D art award. It is an initiative of Caloundra City Council and principal partner Sajen legal. The winner will receive \$15,000 plus a 4 week residency in Maleny on the Sunshine Coast Hinterland to the value of \$5,000. There is also a non-acquisitive people's choice award valued at \$2,500 that will be announced at the end of the exhibition. The award is open to all Australian artists working in any 2D medium. Participants will be selected from entries submitted to the pre-selection committee.

For more information contact:

E: artgallery@caloundra.qld.gov.au

W: www.scap.org.au

Australia Council for the Arts - Music: International pathways

Closing 31st March

Full details and application forms online on.

T: 1800 226 912

W: www.australiacouncil.gov.au

DEWHA - Visions of Australia

Closing 1st April

The Visions of Australia Grant, under the Department of Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts, provides funding for appropriate individuals and galleries to create and then tour exhibitions of Australian cultural significance. Funding is flexible and can range anywhere between \$5,000

and \$400,000 depending upon the needs of the project. It is important for prospective applicants to remember exhibitions should have a predominantly Australian theme or foundation. More information is available at:

T: 02 6271 1832 or 1800 819 461

E: visions.australia@environment.gov.au

W: www.arts.gov.au

The Cancer Council Victoria Arts Awards 2008

Closing 4th April

The Cancer Council Victoria Arts Awards 2008 gives Australians touched by cancer an opportunity to share their experiences creatively through art, writing and film. The theme for 2008 is Seize the day!. Selected artworks and prose will be exhibited in Melbourne and regional Victoria from July 2008. For details contact:

T: 1300 65 65 85

E: arts.awards@cancervic.org.au

W: www.cancervic.org.au

Australia Council for the Arts - Visual Arts

Closing 15th April

New work: New work grants support the creation of new work by emerging and established craftspeople, designers, media artists, visual artists and arts writers.

Fellowships: Fellowship grants provide extended support to craftspeople, designers, media artists and visual artists of outstanding ability to enable them to realise ambitious projects and develop their practice to new levels of achievement.

T: 02 9215 9000 or Toll-free 1800 226 912

E: mail@australiacouncil.gov.au

W: www.australiacouncil.gov.au

Australian Society of Authors (ASA) 2008 Mentorship Program

Closing 28th April

The ASA is offering 20 mentorships for talented writers and picture book illustrators in the areas of fiction, non-fiction, poetry, Young Adult, graphic novels, children's writing and picture book illustration. Application forms are now available on the ASA website.

T: 02 9318 0877

E: jill@asauthors.org

W: www.asauthors.org

Flag Metarmorphoses - Looking for entries

Flag Metarmorphoses is an international project to be screened as part of the series, *Our Friends Are Electric*, February - September 2008, Federation Square and is a participatory art project where flags of every nation in the world will transform into each other through flash animation.

Artist Myriam Thyès, is looking for participants from all over the world to create a flash animation representing the changing cultural relations between different nations and societies. In light of the recent Apology, it would be wonderful if an Aboriginal artist would create a story between the Aboriginal Flag and the Australian Flag. For information contact Myriam Thyès on:

E: myriam@thyes.com

W: www.flag-metarmorphoses.net

Positions Vacant

Artback NT - Manager - Visual Arts Development and Touring

Closing 29th February

Artback NT Arts Touring is the Northern Territory's visual and performing arts touring agency. Artback is the NETS agency for the Territory and currently receives triennial funding from the Commonwealth Government through the Visual Arts Board, Australia Council for the Arts.

Artback NT Arts Touring is looking for a dynamic individual to take on the responsibility for the development and management of a program of travelling exhibitions. In delivering visual arts tours, Artback's focus is to offer a unique cultural experience both for the regions and to a national audience. The organisation strives to increase its audience base, to widen the appeal and reach of its visual arts touring exhibitions and to promote the unique cultural life of the Northern Territory.

The position is based in Alice Springs. \$45 - 50,000 in accordance with NT Community Services Awards; 9% Superannuation contribution; 6 weeks annual leave; and 10 days sick leave. For more information and to obtain a copy of the position description and duty statement contact:

E: eo@artbacknt.com.au

W: www.artbacknt.com.au

**Hermannsburg Potters Aboriginal Corporation - Art Centre Manager
Closing 29th February**

The Hermannsburg Potters are an internationally renowned group of western Aranda women artists who create hand crafted ceramic vessels with applied underglazes and landscape paintings on canvas. We are seeking an experienced Art Centre Manager responsible for the management, marketing, economic, and artistic development of the Hermannsburg Potters enterprise. The successful applicant will demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the Aboriginal arts industry with a high level of business management skills and applied arts background. Indigenous people are encouraged to apply. The position is for a term of 12 months with a 3-month probationary period. A copy of the Position Description, Key Selection Criteria and general information must be obtained before an application is lodged. The application kit may be obtained by contacting the Hermannsburg Potters Art Centre Manager by email:

E: art@hermannsburgpotters.com.au

**Top End Arts Marketing - Communications Officer
Readvertised - Closing 10th March**

Top End Arts Marketing are looking for a communications professional for a challenging and rewarding arts marketing position with responsibility for designing and editing our monthly what's on guide and administering our website and weekly ebulletin. The Communications Officer will also help shape our communication strategies and keep us up to date with new technologies, working within a small supportive, creative team. The Position is Darwin based and \$45,000 to \$55,000, full-time, 5 weeks annual leave. For more information contact Janice McEwen, Director on:

T: 8924 4418

E: communications@topendarts.com.au

W: www.topendarts.com.au

Darwin Festival - Artistic Director

The Darwin Festival is the Northern Territory's premier cultural event with a reputation for presenting an outstanding multi-arts programme. If you are an inspiring artistic leader with vision and a passion for developing the arts – a rare opportunity exists to take a great Festival to even greater heights of achievement. Working with the Board and the General Manager, you will be responsible for providing artistic leadership that delivers a programme of excellence and which develops the Festival's audience and enhances the support it receives from individuals, Government and the corporate sector.

The Board is seeking applications from people ready to take on the challenge of this position. It is expected that the new Artistic Director will be ready to commence planning presentation of the 2009 Festival by or before August 2008. An appropriate remuneration package will be negotiated. For more information and the selection criteria please contact the General Manager, Darwin Festival, Ms Anne Dunn on:

T: 08 8943 4201

E: anne@darwinfestival.org.au

Opportunity to shape Australian dance

The Australia Council for the Arts and Ausdance National are searching for the right person to help produce an Australian dance action plan: Dance 2012. Dance 2012 will guide the development of dance in Australia, helping to build support for the artform and increase participation. The Australia Council for the Arts and Ausdance National are looking for the right person to help produce an action plan for Australian dance. The successful candidate will have in depth knowledge of Australian dance, experience in researching and writing policy, and a strong track record of successful forum facilitation. For more information contact Jennifer McLachlan, director dance Australia Council for the Arts:

E: j.mclachlan@australiacouncil.gov.au

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Regional Arts NSW - www.regionalartsnsw.com.au
The Program - www.theprogram.net.au
Craft Australia - www.craftaustralia.com.au
ANAT Plug In - www.anat.org.au
NT Film Office - www.nt.gov.au
Arts Queensland - www.arts.qld.gov.au
Arts Northern Rivers - www.artsnorthernrivers.com.au

Local arts industry newsletters including: **Desart, ANKAAA, Northern Territory Writers' Centre, 24HR Art, DVAA, Watch This Space, Music NT and Tiwi Art Network Aboriginal Corporation**

Local newspapers including: **NT News, Centralian Advocate, Alice Springs News, Tennant & District Times, Katherine Times, Koori Mail** and national newspapers

For even more up to date news in your chosen art form, or to receive the regular arts hub bulletins, including the jobs bulletin – we recommend you subscribe direct.

That's it for this issue until next time!

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