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1. News

★ Social Practice in the Arts: practice-as-research seminars
What: This year the Centre for Cultural Partnerships has relaunched the ‘Culture and Community Research Network’ seminars, reorienting them to the growing prevalence and resonance of ‘social practice’ across the arts and community art. We aim to be relevant for MFA, PhD and other emerging researchers who have an interest in participatory, relational and socially-engaged practices. This includes methodological explorations of artistic, sensory and collaborative practices in conducting, generating and representing research. Seminars will be followed by an invitation to continue informal discussions over drinks and food nearby. All welcome! These seminars are public events.
When: Selected Tuesdays in Semester 2, 3:00pm – 5:00pm, commencing Tuesday 10 September
Where: Art Auditorium, School of Art, Access through Gate 4, Dodds Street, Southbank
Contact: Dr.James Oliver joliver@unimelb.edu.au
Further information: http://www.vca.unimelb.edu.au/events?id=579

Lunch Hour Concerts at the Melbourne Conservatorium of Music – note new venue
What: Join us for the Lunch Hour Concert Series in 2013, our flagship orchestral concerts and including many special events, presented at the Melbourne Conservatorium of Music. Next weeks’ concert presents the Martinu Project, with William Dowdall flute, Sara Bryans piano, performing: Francis POULEN - Sonata for Flute and Piano; John BUCKLEY - Sea Echoes for Glissando Flute and Bohuslav MARTINU - Sonata for Flute and Piano.
Admission: Free
When: Monday 12 August, 2013, 1:10pm
Where: Wyselaskie Auditorium, Opposite the Melbourne Cemetery, Uniting Church Centre for Theology and Ministry, 29 College Cres Parkville
Further Information: http://www.vca-mcm.unimelb.edu.au/events?tag=Lunch Hour Concert
Visit the Cultural Collections on Open Day

What: Once again Open Day at the University of Melbourne will provide an opportunity for prospective students to explore courses on offer. The day also provides an opportunity to explore many of the cultural collections on campus, including a number not usually open to the public. Collections such as the Harry Brookes Allen Museum of Anatomy and Pathology, Grainger Museum, School of Physics Museum and many more will be open on the day. For full details of the collections open and the available talks and tours visit the Open Day 2013 site and download the program.

When: Sunday 18 August 2013, from 10.00am

2. Resources and Support

REMINDER September Thesis Boot Camp Applications Close August 9

What: Sign up to join other graduate research comrades at the same candidature stage in a no-excuses, no-time-for-procrastination, take-no-prisoners three-day intensive writing program. Not for the faint hearted, Thesis Boot Camp recruits will battle through third-year blues, writer’s block and thesis fatigue to achieve significant progress on their manuscript. Are you up for the challenge?

Applications Close: Friday 9 August 2013 (No late applications will be accepted)


Apply Now for a Private Study Carrel in the Graduate Centre

What: Would you like 24-hour access to a private study space at the University with a desk, networked computer, lockable cupboards, bookshelves, filing cabinets and internal telephone? A study space where you can use the computer either as often as you want to (room-share) or on a shared basis with one other student throughout the week (time-share)? If so, then read on! Study carrels in the Graduate Centre are for use by currently enrolled postgraduate students. Those students who are in the final stages of their course (final six to twelve months of a PhD and final three to six months of a Masters degree or diploma) receive priority. Successful applicants can usually use the carrel for a minimum of six months, depending on your course and when you are due to graduate.

Deadline: The next round of applications will be considered soon, so you will need to submit an application form by August 1st if you want a space from August 2013. When considering when to lodge your form, please be aware that there can be a one to three-week waiting period between the deadline for lodging the application form and actually moving into a carrel. You can ask about application forms, carrel policy and application deadlines at the Graduate Student Association (GSA) Reception, or visit our website and download the forms: http://www.gsa.unimelb.edu.au/carrels/index.shtml

UpSkills Sessions in August

What: Have your candidates just started their degree or are they heading for confirmation? Do they want to get published or are they about to submit their thesis? They may be interested in attending the comprehensive range of free workshops and seminars available to them through the UpSkills suite. Here’s what’s coming up:

Preparing Applications for Industry – Wednesday, August 7th
http://gradresearch.unimelb.edu.au/programs/upskills/careers.html#apply

Research Data Management for Sciences – Thursday, August 8th
http://gradresearch.unimelb.edu.au/programs/upskills/researchskills.html#researchdatascience

Tracking Citations – Thursday, August 8th
http://gradresearch.unimelb.edu.au/programs/upskills/infoskills.html#tracking

Conference Poster Creation with PowerPoint – Monday, August 12th
http://gradresearch.unimelb.edu.au/programs/upskills/researchcomm.html#poster_creation

Visit the MSGR website for the full calendar of free workshops and seminars
Search and Review UOM Theses online: University of Melbourne ePrints Repository
What: This online resource allows you to search previously submitted theses by research candidates at the University of Melbourne, and may be a critical resource in finding past and current researchers and critical thinking in areas of your research topic.
What is UMER? The University of Melbourne ePrints Repository is an institutional repository to capture, preserve, showcase and disseminate the scholarly works of the University’s staff and students. The aim is to maximise the visibility of the University’s research outputs. Documents deposited in UMER include published and unpublished works such as: theses, conference papers, working papers, reports, book chapters and journal articles.

Human Research Ethics Deadlines
What: Upcoming deadlines for the VCA are 19 August, and for the MCM 29 July. If you would like assistance with your application, please email Katy prior to the deadline. There is a lot of information and resources specifically for VCA and MCM researchers available on our Faculty and VCA and MCM-specific webpages: http://vca-mcm.unimelb.edu.au/research_office/ethics

3. Events, Forums, Seminars & Exhibitions

★ Thursday Talks: Full Frontal Double Standards: American Taboo
What: Against the backdrop of the exhibition Philip Brophy: Colour Me Dead, Lauren Rosewarne will be talking about one of themes of her new book American Taboo: penises. While the penis is frequently referred to in mainstream popular culture through jokes and references to size, and while the male body has become increasingly something to be desired and objectified on screen, its unsheathed display remains a rarity in film and television. This talk focuses on occasions when the penis taboo is breached, and explores what such representations mean as related to filmmaking as well as sexual politics. Dr Lauren Rosewarne is a senior lecturer in the School of Social and Political Sciences at the University of Melbourne. She researches on sexuality, gender, pop culture and politics. She is the author of five books including Sex in Public: Women, Outdoor Advertising and Public Policy, 2007, Cheating on the Sisterhood: Infidelity and Feminism, 2009, Part-Time Perverts: Sex, Pop Culture and Kink Management, 2011, Periods in Pop Culture: Menstruation in Film and Television, 2012 and the soon to be released American Taboo: The Forbidden Words, Unspoken Rules, and Secret Morality of Popular Culture.
When: Thursday 8 August 2013, 1:00pm – 1:30pm
Where: Ian Potter Museum of Art, Swanston Street, Parkville Campus
Registration: No bookings required

★ MCM Graduate Seminar Schedule 2013
What: These weekly Seminars for Staff and Postgraduate Students are held in the Conservatorium. For Week 2 the Seminar follows this format:
MUSICOOLOGY/ETHNOMUSICOOLOGY:
When: Thursday 8 August 2013, 11:00am – 1:00pm
Where: Tallis Wing (Performance & Joint) and Heinze Room (Musicology/Ethnomusicology), Melbourne Conservatorium of Music, Parkville Campus
Seminar Schedule: MCM candidates can access their Seminar Schedules via LMS Subject MUSI90092_2013_SM2 and M Mus Music Performance candidates should view LMS Subject MUSI90100_2013_SM2

Thursday Art Forums
What: The School of Art is pleased to invite you to attend this semester's weekly Art Forum Series. Every Thursday from 12.30pm a guest speaker will present in the School of Art Auditorium. Come along, bring your lunch and engage in the question and answer session following.
When: Thursday 8 August 2013, 12.30pm - 1.30pm, School of Art Auditorium
Where: School of Art Auditorium, Victorian College of the Arts, Dodds Street, Southbank Campus
More information: www.vca.unimelb.edu.au/art

Research Seminar Series 2013: Juan Parra Cancino
What: Join us for the Research Seminar Series at the VCA, Southbank, for all faculty graduate researchers, students and staff. This week's Seminar features international guest speaker and artist Juan Parra Cancino.
Seminar Date and Time: Thursday 8 August 2013, 5:30pm – 7:00pm
Where: Federation Hall, Grant Street, Southbank Campus
Enquiries: Dr Elizabeth Presa epresa@unimelb.edu.au
Further information: http://www.vca.unimelb.edu.au/events?id=594

GSA Speed Dating Event
What: Single, social and studying? Don’t miss the GSA’s inaugural Speed Dating event for graduate students and friends. You’ll chat with up to 30 like-minded single students and the next day, we’ll let you know your matches! Women will stay seated while men switch seats every four minutes. A range of drinks and delicious nibbles will be provided and after we’ll head downstairs to Tsubu Bar to keep the conversation rolling!
When: Wednesday 14 August 2013, 6:00pm – 8:30pm
Location: Gryphon Gallery, Graduate Centre, Building 1888, Parkville Campus
Tickets: $10 for UOM students and $15 for others via www.trybooking.com/DGYO
Further Details: www.gsa.unimelb.edu.au/events/GSA_Speed_Dating.shtml

Exhibition: Craig Easton – 50 Variations
What: 50 Variations is an exhibition of new works by Craig Easton. Craig is currently undertaking a PhD at the Victorian College of the Arts.
Exhibition Dates: 1 - 24 August 2013
Where: Nellie Castan Gallery, 12 River Street, South Yarra
More information: http://www.nelliecastangallery.com/exhibitions

Short Course – Implementation Science
What: The University's General Practice and Primary Health Care Academic Centre offers short courses which may be of interest to graduate researchers doing primary care-based research. This two-day course in August is an introduction to implementation science – the science of translating evidence into practice. Using a mix of presentations, forums and workshops, participants will join a community of implementation scientists in the primary care setting to share information and workshop ideas about how to implement change, and to know how to make a difference.
When: 22 and 23 August, 2013
Further information: http://go.unimelb.edu.au/7dz
Enquiries and registrations: Weilun Nien, 9035 3821 or wnien@unimelb.edu.au
**Archiving Grainger; or Flaubert’s parrot, memory death and mal d’archive. An illustrated lecture by Michael Piggott**

**What:** Formerly Manager, Cultural Collections and University Archivist at the University of Melbourne, Michael Piggott is now retired though remains engaged in professional and scholarly projects. He wrote for the inaugural issue of *Grainger Studies; an Interdisciplinary Journal* (2011) and recently published Australia's first archives monograph *Archives and Societal Provenance: Australian Essays* (Chandos, 2012) which included chapters on "An archival afterlife" and "Recordkeeping and recordari: listening to Percy Grainger". Drawing on these themes, the lecture will share reflections prompted by Grainger’s obsessive self-documenting, its meanings and multiple repercussions.

**When:** Sunday 25 August 2013, check website closer to date for times

**Where:** Grainger Museum, Gate 13, Royal Parade, Parkville Campus

**Further information:** [http://www.grainger.unimelb.edu.au/exhibitions/events.html](http://www.grainger.unimelb.edu.au/exhibitions/events.html)

Please visit the [VCA-MCM webpage](http://www.vca-mcm.unimelb.edu.au/) to find out what else is on at the VCA and MCM.

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### 4. Funding and Research Opportunities

**Scholarship Award Opportunity: Margaret Lawrence Trust Social Justice Award**

**What:** The Margaret Lawrence Social Justice Award is provided for students at the faculty to enable them to pursue eligible projects in film or other art forms. Eligible projects are projects which are designed to raise awareness and debate in the broader community about a wide range of global and local issues which do, or could, have an adverse impact on the communities within which those issues are evident or emerging. This scholarship is open for award to all students enrolled in the Faculty, with particular interest in film students, who provide project proposals designed to raise awareness and debate in the broader community about a wide range of global and local issues which do, or could, have an adverse impact on the communities within which those issues are evident or emerging. The total value of the scholarships offered in 2013 will be approximately $4,500.

**Applications Deadline:** Monday 19 August 2013, 5:00pm


**Research Professional Online Database and upcoming Training**

**What:** Research Professional is a comprehensive database of national and international funding opportunities that are only available to Australian researchers. The website also provides expert advice on writing research proposals. Every 2 months Research Professional runs a 60 minute online training broadcast, aimed at introducing users to the basics of creating and configuring a personal account on Research Professional, as well as introducing the features of the platform. These sessions are open to anyone at a subscribing institution. Attendees can view the session from their own computer, and will be able to ask questions via text chat. **Each session covers:**

* Self registration and logging in
* Building searches
* Setting personalised alerts
* Saving and bookmarking items
* Subscribing to news alerts
* Configuring your personal profile

**The training sessions for 2013 are scheduled for:**

- **Friday 30th August, 9.00 AM - 10.00 AM:** [https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/320654392](https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/320654392)
- **Friday 25th October, 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM:** [https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/569002033](https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/569002033)
- **Friday 13th December, 11.00 AM - 12.00 AM:** [https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/715394424](https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/715394424)
Rhodes Scholarship 2014

What: Would you like to study at Oxford University? Will you have completed, by December 2013, at least four years of undergraduate study, including an outstanding Honours Degree? Do you enjoy success at sports, involvement in community activities, and have a desire to lead and further develop your talents? If so, then you have the qualities of a Rhodes Scholar! The Rhodes Scholarship is one of the oldest and most distinguished scholarships in the world. Previous winners from Australia include former prime minister Bob Hawke, Justices Hayne and Heydon of the High Court of Australia, Nobel Prize winners Sir John Eccles and Lord Howard Florey, and infrastructure expert Sir Rod Eddington. Successful candidates will receive assistance with their travelling expenses to the UK, as well as a monthly allowance to contribute towards their living expenses whilst in Oxford. In addition, all University tuition fees are paid on the scholar’s behalf by the Rhodes Trust.

For information on how to apply: http://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/page/australia

Enquiries: rhodes-info@unimelb.edu.au

Call for PhD applications for Germany opportunities

What: Hochschule für Bildende Künste Braunschweig is offering 12 fully funded PhD positions and 8 non-funded associated PhD positions in the new Graduate Program ‘The Photographic Dispositif’ (GRK1843). The Photographic Dispositif addresses the photographic process as a complex act that is based on specific historical, medial, technological, social, cultural, and aesthetic conditions, including the potential to disturb and modify these very conditions. We welcome PhD projects related to the formation, handling, perception, and exhibition of photography alongside its discourses, as well as projects that scrutinize the specific power of the image and the gaze as an effective means of discipline and/or as creative potential. The starting date of the program is October 1, 2013. A stipend of 1,200 EUR monthly plus the cost of materials will be provided to the fully funded positions for up to three years. Associates do not receive individual funding, but will be given the opportunity to participate in the research program in Braunschweig free of charge.

Further information: visit the http://www.hbk-bs.de/en/aktuell/scholarships/
Enquiries: Applications should be sent in electronic form to the head of the Graduate Research Program, Prof. Dr. Katharina Sykora, k.sykora@hbk-bs.de, code: GRK1843.

5. Conferences

REMEMBER Call for Papers: The 7th Annual Australian Society for Performing Arts Healthcare Conference

What: The Australian Society for Performing Arts Healthcare – ASPAH - is the national peak body for performing arts healthcare. Its members are performing artists themselves and those who work with them as healers, educators and researchers. The 2013 Conference Theme is: Fit to Perform: Healthy Careers for Performing Artists. ASPAH are seeking passionate researchers, educators and students to present their work in the diverse arena of performing arts health, with a particular focus on

Please visit the Melbourne Grants Bulletin for more information about research grants, information sessions and the latest research news.

Please note that there are various University requirements applying to the submission of external research grant applications such as the ones listed above. Please visit ‘Find and Apply’ on the Melbourne Research Office Research Grants webpage and carefully follow the instructions for the relevant type of grant.
initiatives that build and sustain healthy performance careers. We are encouraging all people working in the performing arts industry, as performers, healthcare providers and/or educators, to share their enlightening case studies, unique experiences, innovative research findings, or deliver an exciting workshop, to apply to be part of this year’s exciting program. Interactive workshops provide our delegates with unique opportunities to learn and apply the latest best-practice techniques in performing arts healthcare, and we especially welcome applications for such workshops.

The benefits of speaking at the ASPAH conference 2013 include:

- Sharing your knowledge with a large number of participants from a cross section of industries.
- Being profiled as a leading professional in your area of research or practice.
- Attending the dinner as our guest and networking with other ASPAH enthusiasts.
- Your abstract will be peer-reviewed and included in the ASPAH program with personal contact details.

Submissions Close: Friday 9 August 2013

★ Researchers for Asylum Seekers: Interdisciplinary Postgraduate Conference Call for Papers

What: Abstract submissions are invited for the annual Researchers for Asylum Seekers (RAS) Conference around the theme: Representations of refugees and asylum seekers. The conference is intended to accommodate postgraduate researchers - past and present - as well as practitioners and policy makers/advisors working in this area. Abstracts addressing any broad interpretation of the theme from any disciplinary background are welcome, as are papers reporting work in progress. Abstract submissions of 150-250 words for papers of 20 minutes duration (accompanied by a brief biography of 50 words or less) are requested before August 20, 2013.

Registration: Registration is free and a light lunch will be provided.
Deadline for Abstracts: before 20 August 2013
Conference Dates: 20 September 2013, 9:00am-5:00pm
Location: Gryphon Gallery, 1888 Building, University of Melbourne, Parkville, Australia
Function to Follow on from Conference: The conference will be followed in the evening by a book launch entitled ‘Values and Vulnerabilities: The Ethics of Research with Refugees and Asylum Seekers’ Book Launch from 5.30pm until 7.00pm. The launch will include a panel discussion and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome! This is a free event but RSVP is essential for catering purposes and venue will be confirmed closer to the date.

To RSVP for either or both events or to submit an abstract, please contact Karen Block on: keblock@unimelb.edu.au

Call for Abstracts: Ninth International Conference on the Arts in Society

What: The Ninth International Conference on the Arts in Society will be held in 2014. This interdisciplinary conference is a forum for discussion of innovative theories, practices and critical commentaries of the arts, specifically as they are situated in everyday life, culture, economies, and politics. Proposals for paper presentations, poster sessions, workshops, roundtables or colloquia are invited, addressing the arts in society through one of the following themes:

- Arts Education
- Arts Theory and History
- New Media, Technology and the Arts
- Social, Political, and Community Agendas in the Arts

Presenters have the option to submit completed papers to The Arts in Society Collection of journals. If you are unable to attend the conference in person, you may still join the community and submit to the journal for peer review and possible publication, upload an online presentation, and enjoy subscriber access to The Arts and Society Collection. Please visit our website for more information on submitting your proposal, future deadlines, and registering for the conference.
**Abstracts Due:** 20 August 2013  
**Conference Dates:** 25-27 June 2014  
**Where:** Sapienza University of Rome, Rome, Italy  
**Further Information:** [Arts In Society Conference Website](http://www.insea2014.com)

**Rethinking Interdisciplinary Collaboration: Towards New Ethical Paradigms in Music and Health Research**  
**What:** This conference seeks to explore the nature of research into the relationship between music, health and wellbeing. It will investigate how research and practice might become more inclusive, and therefore more ethical, through collaborative endeavours by bringing together researchers, practitioners, and students from various disciplines including: music (neuro) psychology; music therapy; applied/ medical (ethno) musicology; music sociology and anthropology to encourage the re-thinking of research methodologies and epistemologies and practices. Papers and posters will be presented on the conference themes:

- What are the historical, philosophical and educational differences between research methodologies and disciplines and how do they impact on research ethics?
- What are the paradigmatic and methodological challenges that must be considered before true collaboration can occur (and what is the nature of ‘true’ collaboration)?
- What are the ethical dangers of allowing any one model of knowledge production to dominate another?
- Case studies show-casing instances where culturally appropriate research methodologies and/ or approaches were used to promote and investigate music, health and wellbeing
- Pedagogic or practice-based examples of the need for culturally appropriate approaches
- Cross-cultural, quantitative studies investigating the relationship between ‘culture’, music and the human organism.  

**Conference Dates:** 19 October 2013  
**Where:** Goldsmiths College, London, United Kingdom  
**Further Information:** [http://www.gold.ac.uk/music-mind-brain/sempre-bfe-conference/](http://www.gold.ac.uk/music-mind-brain/sempre-bfe-conference/)

**Call for Abstracts: 34th World Congress of the International Society for Education through Art**  
**What:** InSEA 2014, the 34th World Congress of the International Society for Education through Art will be held on the 7-11 July 2014 in Melbourne and has opened a call for abstract submissions. InSEA 2014 aims to offer relevance for delegates representing art education institutions from across the world, public and private educators and representatives from state, national and private galleries, art collectors and philanthropists to the arts. Delegates will come from all levels of schooling, universities, colleges of creative arts, professionals from museums and galleries, professional artists, art therapists and community arts. This congress will also actively attract innovative people who work across disciplines such as in art and science, art and sport, the fashion industry, design, the media, social media and with emerging technologies.  

**Abstracts Due:** 1 November 2013  
**Conference Dates:** 7-11 July 2014  
**Where:** Melbourne, Australia  
**Further Information:** [http://www.insea2014.com](http://www.insea2014.com)

**Spectres of Evaluation Conference**  
**What:** Taking its cue from the artwork *Spectre of Evaluation* (Thomas Hirschhorn, 2008) [www.e-flux.com/announcements/art-and-politics-as-usual](http://www.e-flux.com/announcements/art-and-politics-as-usual), the conference looks to reconfigure the relationship between artists, art experts, and what the artist terms the “non-exclusive audience.” Today, the making of art is haunted by spectres of evaluation, with competing claims and judgments about the limits, uses, and value of art. This international conference examines creative and critical approaches to evaluation and value in relation to community-engaged arts practice. This conference marks the culmination of a 3 year Australian Research Council-funded Linkage project “Towards an
Integrated Approach for Evaluating Community-based Arts” with investigators Dr Lachlan MacDowall (University of Melbourne), Dr Martin Mulligan (RMIT University), Frank Panucci (Australia Council for the Arts) and Dr Marnie Badham as Research Fellow (University of Melbourne). Keynote speakers include artists and academics, with more names to be released soon. Speaker highlights include:

- **Dr Sophie Hope** (UK), Artist/Researcher/Academic (pictured above)
- **Ted Purves**, (USA), Artist/Researcher/Academic
- **Tania Bruguera** (CUBA/ USA), Artist

This international arts conference is presented by The Centre for Cultural Partnerships, VCA & MCM, University of Melbourne & Footscray Community Arts Centre.

**Conference Dates:** 6 -7 February 2014

**Further information:** [www.spectresofevaluation.com](http://www.spectresofevaluation.com)

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### 6. Profile, Publishing and Exhibiting Opportunities

**Call for papers: DEADLINE EXTENDED – Writing From Below**

**What:** *Writing from Below* is a peer-reviewed, open-access, interdisciplinary gender, sexuality and diversity studies journal, supported by La Trobe University and the Centre for Creative Arts. We are now accepting papers for our second issue, due for publication in December 2013. Following the theme of the journal’s title, we encourage you to think broadly about what writing from below means, about all the ways that writing and researching differently from within the academy, against the grain, (up) against the university, from down here, down below, creates change. Artists, independent researchers, those of you whose work slips between genres and creates ruptures: do not exclude yourselves. If you think your work belongs here, then it probably does. We welcome papers and creative works that engage with gender, sexuality, and diversity studies from across all disciplines, and from academics at all stages of their careers. We would particularly encourage early career researchers and postgraduates to submit – this is an opportunity to take space, to speak. All submissions (including creative works – we do not privilege one type of work over another) will be peer reviewed. Text based submissions should usually be between 3,000 and 7,000 words and should adhere to the *Chicago Manual of Style*. If you’re submitting artwork, sound or video files, or have queries about any complex or unusual submissions, please contact the managing editors, Karina Quinn, Nicholas Cowley, and Stephen Abblitt, for more information.

*Writing from Below* has extended the deadline for submissions to Monday 26 August 2013.

**Extended Deadline for Abstracts:** Monday 26 August 2013

**Online Submissions:** Please note that all submissions are handled using an online process. To proceed, set up an [author account](http://www.spectresofevaluation.com) and follow the simple steps.

### The GSA Graduate Student of the Year Award

**What:** The GSA Graduate Student of the Year Award celebrates the contributions of graduate students across the University of Melbourne. Your nominee may be a friend or colleague or someone you know who you believe makes this University a better place. A prize of $1500 will be awarded to the student selected by the independent panel.

**When:** Nominations close midnight Friday 6 September 2013.

**To Nominate:** [http://www.gsa.unimelb.edu.au/GSOY](http://www.gsa.unimelb.edu.au/GSOY)

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