

# AFTM NAIDOC Exhibition 2019

## Artist Callout and Expression of Interest

Art from the Margins (AFTM) is inviting expressions of interest from Indigenous artists for inclusion in the 2019 NAIDOC exhibition.

The exhibition is scheduled to coincide with NAIDOC Week which runs 7-14 July 2019. NAIDOC Week is an occasion for all Australians to come together to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people - the oldest continuing culture on the planet. The 2019 NAIDOC theme is **Voice Treaty Truth**. The Indigenous voice is over 65, 000 years old and Indigenous languages were the first to be spoken on this continent. Language has passed down lore, culture and knowledge. Words connect Indigenous people to country, an understanding of country and an understanding of its Indigenous people. 2019 is the **United Nations International Year of Indigenous Languages**.

**Voice Treaty Truth** were key elements to the **Uluru Statement from the Heart** which is a set of reforms. One of these reforms is to set up a Makarrata Commission to supervise treaty and truth. Treaties are inseparable from truth. Understanding history is needed for true reconciliation – it is the history of all of us, all of Australia and we need to own it. We need to move forward together – **lets work together for a shared future**.

For our AFTM NAIDOC exhibition Indigenous artists who are socially isolated or live outside of Brisbane are invited to submit work in the spirit of the NAIDOC Week theme. Collective or collaborative works with Non-Indigenous artists will also be considered.

AFTM is seeking expressions of interest from Indigenous artists for inclusion in this exhibition.

### EXHIBITION DATES

Saturday 13 July – Saturday 24 August 2019

### LOCATION

AFTM Gallery & Studios  
136 Brunswick Street  
Fortitude Valley QLD 4006

### SUBMISSION OF EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

EOI Forms are to be submitted either electronically or personally by no later than Friday 19 April

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Artwork Credit: Duane Doyle,  
*Words of Elders*, 2019

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# VOICE TREATY TRUTH

07 - 14 JULY 2019

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# AFTM NAIDOC Workshops 2019

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AFTM's NAIDOC Week exhibition will bring together Indigenous and Non-Indigenous artists to work together and as individuals to reflect on the NAIDOC Week theme. AFTM is partnering with Indigenous artist Duane Doyle who brings the spirit of reconciliation and extensive cultural awareness to facilitate a series of workshops to produce collective and individual artworks for the exhibition.

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### WORKSHOPS

Free Workshops will be weekly at AFTM from  
Saturday 11 May - Saturday 15 June  
10am - 1pm

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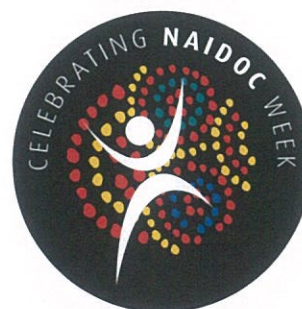
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## Application Details

Name of Artist

Address

Email Address

Telephone Home

Mobile

Are you applying to attend the workshops based at AFTM? Yes  No

Do you identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander? Yes  No

Do you identify as Male  Female  Prefer Not To Say

Please attach resume/s or brief biography (maximum of one A4 page each)

Also attach 2-3 images of exhibition artworks or examples of artworks indicating the media, size, and year of production

Signature

Date

### PRIVACY STATEMENT

Your personal information is collected, used and disclosed by Wesley Mission Queensland in accordance with our Privacy Policy available at [www.wmq.org.au/systempages/privacy-notice](http://www.wmq.org.au/systempages/privacy-notice)

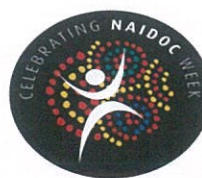
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