

The City of Melbourne is investing \$945,000 in the 2026 Annual Arts Grants and Residency program

2026 grant recipients

Recipient	Project title
ABSORBED	ABSORBED
Alistair Fowler	The Art of Becoming Proud
Amy Freund	Kathleen Syme Library residency
Bryan Andy	Boyd Garret residency
CAVES	Guest Curator Program
Chelle Destefano	Aural Transferences
Chloe Chin	UnMapped
Chloe Tizzard	The Garden
Chung Nguyen	Fluid Memories
Dominic Flynn	Ensemble Mania Chamber Concert
Elbow Room Productions	SAINTS
Elena Larriba Andaluz	Crackscape: Ceramic Repairs for the City
Emma J Hawkins	Exhibit
Eric Jong	Cyclorama
Flick Flick	Gag Reflex
Flinders Quartet Inc	Public programming
Gabrielle McLeod	Dodger
Hair Artist-Run Initiative	Exhibition program
Honor Eastly	No Feeling Is Final
Ian Haig	The Organoid
Institute of Postcolonial Studies	Festival of Craftivism
Inventi Creative Ltd	Music at Peter Mac Cancer Centre
Jamila Main	How to Eat Rabbit
Jane O'Neill	Bourke Street Leisure Centre
Jodee Mundy OAM	Being CODA
Jonathan Homsey	Solarlove
Karen Donnachie	Boyd Studio-1 residency
Karlia Cook	Together
Kate Lefoe	Deviant Dykes
Katie Sfetkidis	Art and Heritage Collection residency
Kiki House of Sassy Savage	The Jade Ball
KINGS Artist_Run	softly, gently
Laura Williams	Sea Like a Mirror
Lauren Burrow	Minimum Exposure
Lawrence Leung	Melbourne Gothic: A Séance at the State Library
Lemony S Puppet Theatre	The Melbourne Festival of Puppetry 2026
Leon de Bruin	Melbourne Youth Para Orchestra
Lina Buck	Social Networks
Liquid Architecture Sound Inc	Liquid Architecture x Blindsight Sound Series
Maggie Church-Kopp	Barnstormer
Maki Morita	Moon Child
Max Wilson	Talking with Strangers: MAXON debut album
Meagan Streader	What Remains

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Melbourne Art Foundation	Arts Project Australia Open Studio, Melbourne Art Fair
Meredith Connie	Bird Song
Mila Faranov	The Well
Natalie Frijia	Kathleen Syme Library residency
Noah Spivak	A Study of the Boy with Wings
Nongkrong Arts Inc	Nongkrong Festival
Olivia Satchell	Ballkids
Philip Samartzis	Air Pressure
Radiant Pavilion Pty Ltd	Radiant Pavilion 2026
Rawcus Theatre Company Inc	Power Line
Ria Green	Radiant Nature
Robert Mihajlovski	Longing for belonging
Romy Durrant	Remember This: by Romy Durrant and Mia-Francesca Jones
Roslyn Oades	The Nightline Melbourne
Sarah Clayton	Mad Rush
Sarah Ward	The Legend of Queen Kong: Queering the Music Video
Shinjita Roy	Aniconic
Simmons Howell	Map of Lost Places - Collective Memory
Squawkestra!	20th Anniversary Concert Bonanza
Tallulah Storm	Memory Gong
Tameka Carter	Younghusband x Quid Pro Quo
Tayotayo Collective	MR BIG
The Luscri-Surgenor Film Company Pty Ltd	The Old House on the Corner
Tiaryn Griggs	Somewhere Safe
Vee Rodrigues	We interrupt your regularly scheduled consciousness
Victoria Mantynen	Sincerely Yours
Xan Colman	Common Ingredients
Yue Wu	S8S // Self Saving Infinite
Zachary Sheridan	Someday We'll Find It