

Kirk Robson Awards

This award is opened to artists and arts workers aged 30 and under.

Nominees must be individual artists and arts workers who are 30 years or under in the calendar year in which they are being nominated. Nominations will be accepted from organisations and individuals. Artists and arts workers may not nominate themselves.

(Visit: www.australiacouncil.gov.au for more information on eligibility).

ABOUT

The Kirk Robson Awards recognise leadership among young community arts and cultural development practitioners.

- Named for community cultural leader Kirk Robson, whose life was cut short tragically in 2005, the Kirk Robson Awards acknowledge leadership in community arts and cultural development in the areas of inclusiveness, consensus, self-determination, reconciliation and social justice.
- The award is \$10,000 and may be given to three recipients per year.
- Artists and arts workers aged 30 and under can be nominated for the award.
- An artist may only be awarded a Kirk Robson award once in their lifetime.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Nominations for the awards will be assessed against the following selection criteria:

- A sustained commitment of at least three years to community arts and cultural development practice
- Artistic and/or community leadership
- Evidence of positive achievements for a community with whom the nominee has worked.

SUPPORT MATERIAL

- The details of support material required for this award can be found on the Australia Council website: www.australiacouncil.gov.au