

SAMPARI 2017 PROGRAM

ACU Art Gallery

26 Brunswick St, Fitzroy

8 — 17 December



You are invited to a rich and varied series of events and forums during the Sampari 2017 Exhibition in the Australian Catholic University Art Gallery. The forums, hosted by the Federal Republic of West Papua's Women's Office, aim to increase the audience for the visual arts exhibited, and provide space for the exposure of other artists like Poets, Songsters, Musicians, Writers, Activists and Intellectuals.

Program

Friday 8 December at 6pm

Opening, Sampari Art Exhibition & Sale for West Papua

Saturday 9 December, 1 – 4pm

Christmas Party, West Papua Rent Collective

Sunday 10 December 1.30 - 3pm

Launch, World War Two West Papua Exhibition

Wednesday 13 December, 6 – 8pm

Debate: Should Australia support West Papua's independence?

Thursday 14 December, 6 – 9pm

The Venus Forum: Stories of the Morning Star

Friday 15 December, 6 – 8pm

Spoken Word – Poets inspired by West Papua

Saturday 16 December, 1 – 4pm

Melanesian Culture Day

Sunday 17 December 4pm

Closing of Sampari 2017 Art Exhibition and Sale

The exhibition runs for the entire week. The visual, sculpture, jewelry and craft artists are inspired by West Papua: by the people, their culture, politics, history, or extraordinary flora and fauna and maritime and territorial environments.