



CONTEMPORARY AFRICAN + DIASPORA ART [AUSTRALIA]

TALK WITH PETER BEILHARZ

Friday 30 June 2017, 5.30pm

From Ponte City to Perth - Connecting the Antipodes from South Africa to Australia

Join Chair Peter Beilharz in an engaging conversation how the city, it's planning and lived experiences, frame and shape culture and identity. With presenters Ivan Vladislavic, John Mateer, Sisonke Msimang and Elfie Shiosaki he discusses the mega Johannesburg metropolis' and it's iconic cylindrical tower Ponte City.

Ponte City is a negative, sometime positive architectural landmark of Joburg and is the departure point in exploring conversations between South Africa and Australia, connecting to issues of race, space, writing, memory, cities, the visual and the future. The presenters respond to the difficult topic, *What stories travel across the Indian Ocean*? This public talk is presented by MCCA-Curtin University/Thesis Eleven Event.

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