

Anna Kuroda – Dancer / Choreographer – Select Curriculum Vitae

Awards

- 2016 TOYOTA Choreography Award Finalist – for Murasaki Penguin’s *Window*
2012 ArtsHub Award Shortlist – for Murasaki Penguin’s *Live Stream Performance*
2009 Japan Dance Forum Award Grand Prix – for Nibroll’s *Romeo OR Juliet*

Residencies / Grants

- 2018 *Dove Lake* Form Dance Residency @ Studio 404, Parramatta, Sydney
2017 *Black and Silver* TRIP (Tasdance Residency for Independent Practice) with Reina Kimura @ Tasdance, Tasmania. Supported by Critical Path and The Japan Foundation Sydney
2016 Australia Japan Foundation (DFAT) grant for *Window* @ TOYOTA Choreography Award Studios Switch residency / grant for *Kanji* installation @ Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre
2015 Wellington Lux project funding for *Shima for Wellington*
2015/14 Ausdance NSW DAIR (Dance Artist In Residence) recipient
2012 Australia Council for the Arts OYEA (Residencies and Commissions) funding for *Citylights*
Yokohama City Mother Port Area grant for *Citylights ~街の灯*
The Japan Foundation Sydney grant for *Citylights ~街の灯*
2011 Underbelly Arts Festival project funding / residency for *Shima* @ Cockatoo Island, Sydney

Education

- 2011-2010 Salzburg Experimental Academy of Dance (SEAD), Salzburg, Austria
2010-2006 Bachelor of Movement Science, Japan Women’s College of Physical Education, Tokyo, Japan

Work – Murasaki Penguin Projects

- 2019 *Motion Theory 2* collaboration with Kian-Peng Ong @ Singapore Art Week, Singapore (upcoming)
2017 *Motion Theory* collaboration with Kian-Peng Ong @ Singapore Inside Out: Sydney
Sit @ Near x Far Exhibition, Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, Sydney
2016 *Window* @ TOYOTA Choreography Award, Setagaya Public Theatre, Tokyo
2015 *Shima for Wellington* @ Wellington Lux Light Festival, Wellington, New Zealand
Window @ Dance In Asia 2015, ST Spot Yokohama, Japan
2014 *Depth* @ ReadyMade Space, Ultimo, Sydney, Australia
2013 *Citylights ~街の灯* @ Izayoi Studio (Yokohama), Cleland Bond Building (Sydney)
2012 *Shima for Napoli* @ Palomart Festival, Lago Patria, Napoli, Italy
Moon @ Kokonagi Festival, Red Brick Warehouse, Yokohama, Japan
2011 *ja Matane* @ I.F.ONLY Festival, Birr Theater & Art Center, Birr, Ireland
Live Stream @ Sydney Fringe Festival, Seymour Center, Sydney, Australia
Shima in the room @ At The Vanishing Point Contemporary Art Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Shima @ Underbelly Arts Festival 2011, Cockatoo Island, Sydney, Australia
ja Matane @ Salzburg Experimental Academy of Dance, Salzburg, Australia
2010 *MdM* @ Museum der Modern, Salzburg, Austria
Static Cocoon @ Japan Women’s College of Physical Education, Tokyo, Japan

Work – Individual – Professional Choreography, Dance and Co-creation

- 2018 *I let my body fall into a rhythm* – Performer – Heather B Swann @ The Ian Potter Museum of Arts @BUoY Arts Center, Tokyo
Sad Mouse – Performer – Heather B Swann @ The Caves Gallery, Melbourne
Orbit – Choreographer and Composer @ Io Myers Studio, Sydney
Dancing Cards – Dancer – Heidi Alasuvanto @ Dance App based in NYC
- 2017 *Here* – Dancer and Choreographer – Reina Kimura @ Tasdance, Launceston, Tasmania
A Metal Cry – Dancer – Justene Williams @ Carriageworks, Sydney
Aomori Aomori – Dancer – Sioned Hews and Reina Kimura @ Critical Path, Sydney
- 2016 *HEARD SYD* – Dancer – Nick Cave @ Carriageworks, Sydney
Kanji – Solo Dance @ HAPPY HOUR dance project, Readymade Space, Sydney
- 2015 *Bússola#3* – Dancer – Andre Silva Bern @ Dança em Foco, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
24 Frames Per Second – Dancer – Choy Ka Fai @ Carriageworks, Sydney
SMUDGE – Dancer – Phillip Adams and Brook Andrew @ RMIT Design Hub, Melbourne
NoMansLanding – Performer – Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority @ Darling Harbour, Sydney
- 2014 *Citadel* – Movement Director – Shopfront Contemporary Arts @ Hustville CBD, Sydney
- 2013 *Timbre* – Solo Dance @ Bridge Dance Intensive, Bangarra Dance Theatre, Sydney, Australia
痙攣的 – Dancer – Ko Murobushi @ Asahi Art Square, Tokyo, Japan
- 2012 *La Tela di Parthenope* – Co-Creator and Performer – Macaroni Company @ Calafria Music Festival, Calabria and Maschio Angioino, Napoli, Italy
The Wandering Song – Choreography Assistant – Maki Tabata @ Zouno Hana Terrace, Yokohama
Dancer – Nibroll Dance Company <http://www.nibroll.com> (following works)
- 2010 *give me chocolate* @ Azumabashi Dance Crossing, Asahi Art Square, Tokyo, Japan
- 2009 *Superperfect* @ Shopfront Contemporary Arts and Performance, Sydney, Australia
No Direction @ Aichi Triennale, Aichi Arts Center, Aichi, Japan
Coffee @ Wexner Center, Ohio, USA
@ Columbia College, Chicago, USA
@ Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, USA
- 2008 *Small Island* @ ZAIM, Yokohama, Japan
No Direction @ Singapore Arts Festival, Victoria Theatre, Singapore
Asia. Ai by Ong Keng Sen @ Creative Core 9001, Yokohama, Japan
Romeo OR Juliet @ Setagaya Public Theatre, Tokyo, Japan

Teaching, Mentoring and Discussion

- Current Associate Artist @ Seet Dance, Surry Hills Community Centre, Sydney (since 2015)
- 2018 *Dance Intensive* – Teaching choreography @ Seet Dance, Surry Hills Community Centre, Sydney
- 2017 *Physical Copy* – Teaching dance and calligraphy @ Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, Sydney
Continuing Contemporary Roundtable Discussion with Eko Spriyanto, Victoria Chiu
Facilitated by How Ngean Lim @ AsiaTOPA Festival, Dancehouse, Melbourne
Working with Windows – Master Class Teaching repertoire of Window @ Dancehouse, Melbourne