

MEDIA RELEASE

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## ***Out of the Studio: an exhibition showcasing works by South Australian emerging artists for SALA***

Carclew emerging curators Caitlin Eyre and Craig Robert Middleton present ***Out of the Studio***, an exhibition presented for the 2014 **South Australian Living Artists Festival** during August.

***Out of the Studio*** features a collection of 32 works by the 2014 Carclew artist studio residents.

**Opening 6pm, Thursday 7 August**, the body of work explores the artistic achievements of emerging artists Lilly Buttrose (22, Parkside), Meaghan Coles (26, Magill) and Jordan Gower (24, Modbury North).

On the work of Meaghan Coles, Craig (25, Aberfoyle Park), one of two Carclew Foyer Gallery Curators said, "Through her new take on portraiture, Meaghan seeks to explore the concept of ideal female beauty in a twenty-first century context."

"Her unique practice boasts a range of mediums as she relishes in experimentation, creating edgy and engaging portraits, far removed from the historical ideals of portraiture as an artform."

Lilly Buttrose and Jordan Gower first collaborated when sharing a studio space during their studies.

Emerging Curator Caitlin (24, Balhannah) said, "The collaborative works featured in the exhibition are a selection of etched botanical prints that combine Lilly's drawing style with Jordan's knowledge of etching and print processes."

For both Lilly and Jordan, the portrayal of the collaboration and development process in the finished works is as significant as the works themselves.

"The clean, starkness that lies on the raw material beneath their prints is forgone to allow for evidence of the illustrative and print making processes," said Caitlin.

Meaghan, Lilly and Jordan will open their studios, located in the former stables of Carclew House, to the public on Sunday 17 August. This is a unique opportunity to meet the artists, explore their creative space, discover their influences and learn about their artistic process.

***Out of the Studio* opens Thursday 7 August, 6 – 8pm and will be showing until 24 August in the Carclew Ballroom Gallery.**

Carclew's Foyer Gallery Curator program profiles the work of South Australia's young and early career visual artists while providing a space for emerging curators to gain experience in artwork selection, coordination and delivery of exhibitions.

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## **What's On | Exhibition: *Out of the Studio***

Featuring works by | Lilly Buttrose, Meaghan Coles and Jordan Gower  
Curated by | Caitlin Eyre and Craig Robert Middleton.

**Showing 4 – 24 August, Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm daily**

**Open Studio | Sunday 17 August, 1 – 4pm. All welcome.**

Carclew, Ballroom Gallery, 11 Jeffcott Street, North Adelaide

### ***Out of the Studio* | Opening Night**

**Official opening Thursday 6 August, 6 - 8pm. All welcome.  
Generously supported by Dennis Wines.**

**Social photography welcome. Please contact Allison Kane 0413 042 639 to advise of your attendance.**

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