

# THE REPAIR LAB FAVILION



## About the Venice Architecture Biennale

Set in the romantic canal city of Venice, Italy, La Biennale di Venezia (the Venice Biennale) is the world's most prestigious celebration of art and architecture. This is a global, cultural event that attracts the world's leading art and architectural minds and influencers in a melting pot of creativity and Italian glamour.

The Venice Architecture Biennale is the premier event for architecture globally and was established in 1980, even though architecture has been a part of the Art Biennale since 1968. The Architecture and Art Biennales alternate annually, with the even numbered years focused on architecture while odd numbers are focused on art.

As well as addressing the academic side of architecture, the Biennale provides an opportunity for architects and designers to showcase new projects, arranged in different national pavilions. Australia has one of only 30 permanent pavilions that are allocated to select countries for the display of innovative national works.

This year, the Board of La Biennale di Venezia, has appointed renowned international architects Yvonne Farrell and Shelley McNamara as curators of the 16th International Architecture Exhibition in 2018. The 16th Architecture Exhibition will be inaugurated on Saturday 26, May 2018 and will conclude on Sunday, 25 November 2018.

## KEY DATES

11 April 18 Pre-exhibition event, Melbourne, Australia

12 April 18 Pre-exhibition event, Sydney, Australia

22 May 18 Welcome Drinks, Venice, Italy

24 May 18 Australian Pavilion Opening Event, Venice, Italy

25 May 18 Commissioner's Cocktail Party, Venice, Italy

26 May 18 Official Opening of the 16th BIENNALE ARCHITETTURA

25 November 18 Pavilion Closes/La Biennale concludes.

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## NETWORK VENICE 2018

The Venice Architecture Biennale is arguably the most important event on the international contemporary architecture calendar. Thousands of the world's most influential architects, designers, urban planners and critics visit the Biennale, with considerable discussion and commentary in the architectural community as a direct result. The Australian Institute of Architects recognises that this event results in the advancement of architecture both domestically and internationally.

Network Venice is a unique program that provides Australian architectural practices, educational institutions and the wider architectural business community the opportunity to engage with and support Australia's presence at the Venice International Architecture Biennale. As part of Network Venice, you will have access to the Biennale experiences and events and the opportunity to network and promote your practice to an international audience.

### **'Repair', the 2018 Australian Pavilion installation**

*'Repair'* by Baracco+Wright Architects was chosen by the Australian Institute of Architects' Venice Biennale Committee for the 2018 Australian exhibition.

Baracco+Wright is a Melbourne based architectural practice, founded by Mauro Baracco and Louise Wright. Together with artist Linda Tegg, *'Repair'* aims to showcase Australian architecture that engages with the repair of our ecosystems.

An Australian grassland will be brought to life inside the Australian Pavilion at the 2018 Venice Architectural Biennale. 50,000 temperate grassland species will be cultivated and nurtured, transporting visitors into this endangered Australian environment and reminding us what is at stake when we occupy land, through an immersive, multi-sensory experience to engage visitors with the concept of *'Repair'*, an approach to architectural thinking, set to become a critical strategy of architectural culture.

The Creative Directors have called upon Australian architects to submit designs that have been conceived in relationship with their ecosystem, be it civic, social, cultural, economic or environmental. From these, a selection that display a range of approaches, scales and geographic locations will be filmed to evocatively hover above the grasslands, juxtaposing architecture and ecology.

## 2018 Network Venice Packages

The below table outlines the benefits associated with each level of Network Venice package.

Partner Package	Investment \$AUD (ex GST)	Recognition + Acknowledgement	Ticketing
PLATINUM	<p>Institute Members \$15,500</p> <p>Non-Members \$17,500</p>	<p>_Logo inclusion with 30 word practice profile in the official Australian Catalogue</p> <p>_Logo inclusion on the <a href="http://architecture.com.au/venicebiennale">architecture.com.au/venicebiennale</a> website</p> <p>_Recognition as a Platinum Partner on the supporter's wall in the Australian Pavilion</p> <p>_Recognition on the supporter's page of the 2018 Biennale edition of Architecture Australia</p> <p>_Opportunity to host an intimate presentation by the Creative Directors, on the concept and theme of the Australian exhibition. <i>(Event costs, including any travel required by the Creative Directors will be borne by the Partner)</i></p>	<p>_Six (6) x Vernissage passes</p> <p>_Six (6) x invitations to the Official Opening of the Australian Pavilion and the Commissioner's Cocktail Party</p> <p>_Six (6) x invitations to the Pre-exhibition Events in Australia.</p>

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<p>GOLD</p>	<p>Institute Members \$10,500</p> <p>Non-Members \$12,500</p>	<p>_ Logo inclusion in the official Australian catalogue</p> <p>_ Logo inclusion on the <a href="http://architecture.com.au/venicebiennale">architecture.com.au/venicebiennale</a> website</p> <p>_ Listed as Gold Partner on the supporter's wall within the Australian Pavilion Recognition on the supporter's page of the 2018 Biennale edition of Architecture Australia</p>	<p>Ticketing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Four passes to the Vernissage period of the 2018 Venice Architecture Biennale</li> <li>• Four invitations to the exclusive Australian events during the Vernissage period including the official opening of the Australian exhibition and the Commissioner Cocktail Party</li> <li>• Four tickets to the Australian Exhibition Launch Event**</li> <li>• Two invitations to all other Venice-related events in 2017 &amp; 2018**</li> </ul>
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SILVER	Institute Members \$5,500	_Logo inclusion in the Australian Exhibition Catalogue	_Two (2) x Vernissage passes
	Non-Members \$6,500	_Logo inclusion on the <a href="http://architecture.com.au/venicebiennale">architecture.com.au/venicebiennale</a> website _Recognition as a Silver Partner on the supporter's wall within the Australian exhibition _Recognition on the supporter's page of the 2018 Biennale edition of Architecture Australia	_Two (2) x invitations to the Official Opening of the Australian Pavilion and the Commissioner's Cocktail Party _Two (2) x invitations to the Pre-exhibition Events in Australia.
BRONZE	Institute Members \$2,500	_Organisation name included in the Australian Exhibition Catalogue	_One (1) x Vernissage pass
	Non-Members \$3,500	_Organisation name included on the <a href="http://architecture.com.au/venicebiennale">architecture.com.au/venicebiennale</a> website _Organisation name included as a Bronze Partner on the supporter's wall within the Australian exhibition.	_One (1) x invitation to the official opening of the Australian exhibition and the Commissioner's Cocktail Party _One (1) x invitation to the Pre-exhibition Events in Australia.

\* Network Venice Supporter packages do not include travel or other associated expenses.

\* Events will be held in various cities across Australia. Tickets are valid for one location only and Network Venice Supporters will be asked to nominate their preferred state.

If you have any questions, or require any additional information, please contact:

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## BOOKING FORM

Please complete the below and return to [venice.biennale@architecture.com.au](mailto:venice.biennale@architecture.com.au) with an EPS and JPEG version of your organization's logo.

### Organisation Details

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Registered Address  
(if different from below) \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle your Network Venice Package      Platinum      Gold      Silver      Bronze

What is your Membership status?      We are an A+ practice      Individual AIA member(s)      Non member(s)      Don't know

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On receipt of this form, your membership status will be verified, and an invoice will be forwarded to the Main Contact as provided. For more information about the Australian Institute of Architects' involvement in the 2018 Venice Architecture Biennale please visit [architecture.com.au/venicebiennale](http://architecture.com.au/venicebiennale)