

# whangarei art museum

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## White Cube Black Box Project 2016

Applications close 4.30pm Monday 30 May 2016

**The Whangarei Art Museum is calling for submissions from curators, artists, designers, art researchers and interested groups to propose an exhibition showcasing local stories and the creative community.**

After the success of 2015/16 WCBB project with **Simon Kerr: the Roads to Redemption** The Whangarei Art Museum once again welcomes the arts community to share your voice and create an engaging experience for a diverse range of visitors here at the gallery.

The project *White Cube Black Box* introduces the idea of an open blank space of the gallery, often referred to as a 'white cube' space, but also the dynamic and performative element of a 'black box', a term used in theatre to describe a space of story telling and imagination.

This is an opportunity for members of the community to propose an exhibition idea/plan to be displayed at the Whangarei Art Museum over the 2016-17 Spring/Summer period.

NB: The Whangarei Art Museum is a not for profit public art gallery and cannot facilitate commercial art sales.

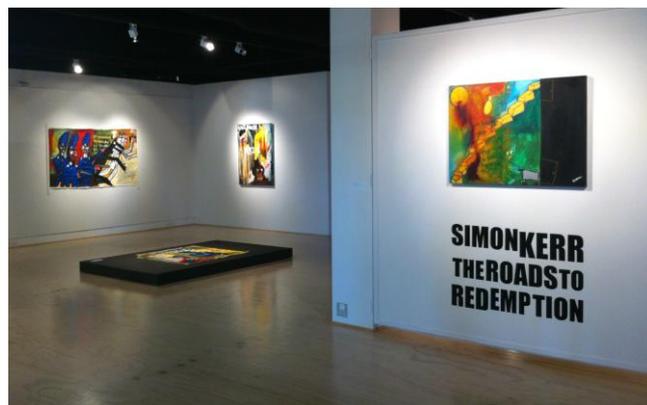


Image Credit: Installation shot- Simon Kerr: The Roads to Redemption exhibition. Whangarei Art Museum

### What we are looking for

- We encourage well developed exhibition proposals with a strong/clear theme or narrative. It can range from the simple and bold to the subtly thought-provoking, however details, clarity and impact will be important.
- We invite a diverse range of local talent – this can be artists (all mediums welcome) performance artists, designers, aspiring curators or exhibition designers.

More information and Application forms available to download from our website or email/contact gallery staff.

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### Visitor Information:

OPEN Daily – 10am -4 pm

Closed Christmas Day | Boxing Day | Good Friday

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