

# WRITING ON THE WALLS

## PARTICIPATION PROPOSAL

The Writing on the Walls project provides an opportunity for young people in Brisbane to be a part of the development of temporary large scale text and image projection public art project to be displayed on our city's buildings and infrastructure during the month of April to celebrate National Youth Week. The young people will be engaged in 2 workshops that will explore the relationship they have with the Brisbane CBD facilitated by Brad Jennings and Steven Maxwell from Markwell Presents Cinematic Theatre Co and artist Sebastian Moody.

A diverse group of young people are invited to participate. This includes young people of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, have a disability, experience disadvantage and experience other barriers to participation.

The first workshop will be an introduction to the project and exploring the spaces we are projecting onto, the second workshop will focus on youth issues, experiences and access to the Brisbane CBD. The workshops will take place in Brisbane city at the Brisbane City Council building and Metro Arts following dates and times:

workshop 1 sessions – 4:30pm to 6:30pm – March Tues 13, Wed 14 and Thur 15.

workshop 2 sessions– 4:30pm to 6:30pm – March Tues 20, Wed 21, and Thur 22.

We are looking for young people between 15 to 18 who would like to attend the 2 workshop series on one of the nights in each week to share their experiences of living in Brisbane. They will be a part of one of the largest youth public art projects in Australia and be able to look at the huge projections on city towers in Brisbane and be able to say “I worked on that”. A maximum of 20 participants in each session.

For more information and to be involved in this exciting project supported by the Brisbane City Council – Creative Communities please contact Steven at Markwell Presents on 3392 1837 or by email via [steven@markwellpresents.com](mailto:steven@markwellpresents.com)

*National Youth Week (NYW) 2012 will be held from Friday 13 to Sunday 22 April. The theme is 'Imagine. Create. Inspire.'*

*NYW is a joint Australian Government, State, Territory and Local Government initiative. The Australian Government Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations, in collaboration with the departments responsible for youth affairs in each state and territory, coordinate NYW, with the help of young people.*