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EVENT OVERVIEW

STRICTLY EMBARGOED 6PM TUESDAY 30 MAY, 2017

Queensland Music Festival: *After Julia*

After Julia is a piercing reflection on how our country responded to its first female Prime Minister, as told through seven new works by seven female composers.

Commissioned by Decibel, world leaders in the integration of acoustic instruments and electronics, *After Julia* will offer diverse approaches to contemporary composition, as well as various reflections on the ways that Julia Gillard's leadership exposed an inherent gender inequality in the Australian parliament and across the country.

Featuring everything from the operatic delivery of parliamentary speeches to a piece conducted by a goldfish, *After Julia* is a new music event concerned not so much with politics, but with the cultural recognition of women in leadership.

After Julia is presented by Queensland Music Festival, Brisbane City Council, Metro Arts and Decibel New Music.

For more information and to book visit qmf.org.au.

EVENT DETAILS

EVENT: *After Julia*

DATE: 13 and 14 July 2017

TIME: 7.30pm

VENUE: Sue Benner Theatre, Metro Arts

TICKETS: Adult \$35, Concession \$28

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Queensland Music Festival is an initiative of the Queensland Government through Arts Queensland, part of the Department of the Premier and Cabinet.

Queensland Music Festival is a state-wide celebration of music with a vision to transform lives and communities through music.

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