

Visitor Information

New Constellations: Art Science and Society 17 – 19 March 2006

Located at one of the most beautiful sites in the world, on Sydney Harbour, the Museum of Contemporary Art is Australia's leading contemporary art museum. Overlooking the famous Sydney Opera House and nestled in the historic Rocks precinct, the MCA is close to theatres, cinemas, restaurants, music venues, and is a short walk from the picturesque Royal Botanic Gardens.

Information for people visiting Australia for the first time:

<http://www.tourism.net.au/new/testing.htm>

General information on Sydney

<http://www.sydney.com.au/>

Sydney Transport

Transport from Sydney Airport to the city:

<http://www.sydneyairport.com.au/SACL/To+and+From+Airport/default.htm>

Public Transport Planner

For further information on public transport phone **131 500** or visit

<http://www.131500.info/realtime/default.asp>

Parking at the MCA

Metered parking is available close to the MCA around George street, however it is often in short supply. Car parking stations are within walking distance to the MCA, located at:

1. Clock Tower Carpark (Corner of Harrington and Argyle Streets)
2. Secure Parking (155 George Street, The Rocks)
3. Overseas Passenger Terminal (Lower Argyle Street, The Rocks)

Sydney Maps

Finding a street in Sydney

<http://www.whereis.com>

Sydney city map

<http://citymap.cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au/>

<http://www.discoverysydney.com.au/maps/>

MCA location map

http://www.mca.com.au/Content/pdf/mca_map.pdf

What is on in Sydney?

<http://www.discoverysydney.com.au/>

<http://www.whats-on-in-sydney.com.au/>

Accommodation

There are various accommodation options to suit different budgets. All hotels are either a short walk or bus/train trip from the MCA.

Saville

2 Bond Street
Cnr George and Bond Streets
Sydney NSW 2000
Tel: (02) 9250 9555
Fax: (02) 92509556
Email: 2bondst.info@shg.com.au
Web: www.savillesuites.com.au

[MCA Rate] – You will need to mention that you are booking for the New Constellations conference at the MCA to be eligible for this rate.

Standard Single: \$200

Standard Double: \$200 (no extra charge)

The Russell Hotel

143a George Street
The Rocks NSW 2000
Tel: (02) 9241 3543
Fax: (02) 9252 1652
Email: info@therussell.com.au
Web: www.therussell.com.au
Standard Room Single & Double (shared bathroom): \$195
Standard Room Single & Double (ensuite): \$255

Regents Court Hotel

18 Springfield Avenue
Potts Point NSW 2011
Tel: (02) 9358 1533
Fax: (02) 9358 1833
Email: bookings@regentscourt.com.au
Web: www.regentscourt.com.au
Standard Suite \$195 per night

Frisco Hotel

46 Dowling Street
Woolloomooloo NSW 2011
Tel: (02) 9357 1800
Fax: (02) 9357 2020
Email: info@friscohotel.com.au
Standard Single: \$50 per night
Standard Double: \$90 per night

YWCA Hotel

5-11 Wentworth Avenue
Sydney NSW 2000
Tel: 1800 994 994
Fax: (02) 9285 6288
Email: enquiry@yhotel.com.au
Web: www.yhotel.com.au/

Standard Single (ensuite): \$114 per night
Standard Double (ensuite): \$132 per night
Backpacker (4 beds per room): \$33 per night