

Life

FROM THE INSIDE

**REFLECTIONS AND NEW DIRECTIONS FOR
INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE AT CURTIN.**

**JULY 27th 2011
ART GALLERY OF WA
PERTH CULTURAL CENTRE
JAMES STREET MALL, PERTH**

6:30PM_ BOOK LAUNCH

You are invited to the official book launch of the first in a new series of IA publications. *'Life from the Inside: perspectives on social sustainability and interior architecture'* features prominent national and international writers and practitioners, including Prof. Penny Sparke, and a foreword by Australia's leading voice on social justice issues, Tim Costello, CEO of World Vision.

The event also marks the closing celebration of the 20 year anniversary of Interior Architecture at Curtin University, a preview of the new post-graduate studies in Interior Architecture, and the new IA undergraduate program with a focus on community engagement. A dynamic performance installation by Hami James, PhD researcher, explores challenging notions of identity, body and space.

5:30PM_GUEST SPEAKER

The event will be preceded by a talk by Salvatore (Sam) DiMauro (FDIA); a leading Australian practitioner and academic in the area of remembering and memorialising culture, and community engagement in the creative art and design practice. Being born in Innisfail, North Queensland Australia of Italian / Australian parents has helped him to realise the importance of establishing strong links with his multi-cultural heritage, and the need for humankind to be aware of those important cultural icons that establish a sense of place and belonging to the individual. His approach to art and design is one of investigating, discovering, analysing and materialising those cultural values, which are built on a strong sense of history and shaped to support a contemporary lifestyle.

**ART GALLERY THEATRETTE / 5:30PM
COST / \$10 AT THE DOOR**

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