

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY

# urbanislands SYMPOSIUM

TUESDAY 1st AUGUST 2006



## The Business of Culture

In a world increasingly dominated by city-states, continuing urbanization, the corporatisation of government, and a global economic condition which has seen the critical distance between capital and culture collapse, cities, now more than ever, are deploying strategies geared towards the 'production and consumption of culture' in order to be more competitive.

In 2001, the Sydney Harbour Federation Trust was set up by the Australian Government to plan the future of eight Defence and Commonwealth sites around Sydney Harbour, most of which had been hidden away from the community for many years.

The Harbour Trust's vision is to create from these lands a lasting cultural and physical legacy for Sydney. Cockatoo Island is one of these unique opportunities, and a site both physically and historically iconic.

The Urban Islands Symposium brings together a panel comprising leading analysts and commentators to discuss and debate the morality and logistics of the 'Business of Culture', focussing on the challenges for Cockatoo Island.

**DATE :** TUESDAY 1st AUGUST 2006

**TIME :** 6.30 - 9pm [6pm open]

**PLACE :** Darlington Centre, City Road, University of Sydney.  
Free admission

more info at:

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Access:

**Nearest entrance:** City Rd (no access from Darlington Road)

**Buses:** 422, 423, 426, 428 from Castlereagh St and Railway Square. 370 from Leichhardt or Coogee. 352 from Bondi Junction.

**Parking:** Metered parking available on site, enter from City Road or Butlin Ave. Metered parking on Darlington Road. Meters accept gold coins only.

