URBAN THEATRE PROJECTS

July 20 2020

To whom it my concern,

Re: Powerhouse Parramatta

The Powerhouse Paramatta is an important addition to the ecology of Western Sydney's cultural offerings. This ecology is rich and includes local council run arts centres, independent arts organisations such as UTP and artist run organisations. There is an opportunity for an intuition like the Powerhouse to further strengthen this ecology. At present this ecology is in dire need of support and this is one way that this could be achieved.

The chance for an organisation like UTP to intersect with international guests and artists in residence is a fantastic opportunity to leverage our programming capacity. We are particularly excited about The Academy program to host regional school children on site. The Power Lab is also a unique opportunity to connect with First Nations knowledge holders and other local and international experts.

An organisation like ours will also benefit from the chance to create content/co-produce programs with the Powerhouse.

We look forward to working closely with the Powerhouse as they work to create this significant piece of cultural infrastructure.

Kind regards,

Dr Jessica Olivieri Artistic Director/ CEO UTP jessica@urbantheatre.com.au