

## ISCA GRADUATION 2018

ISCA celebrated the achievements of this year's graduating students at a special ceremony in June. A record number of this year's students have achieved places at some of the top art and design institutions in the country. Natasha Makins and Hitoshi Shiota spoke on behalf of all students to thank the staff who have supported them throughout their studies. Students were joined by family and guests to view the special end of year show over a delicious afternoon tea. ISCA wishes all students every success for the future.



## SCHOLARSHIP PRIZES

During the graduation ceremony, ISCA scholarships were awarded to five deserving students who have proved themselves in their first year of study. ISCA's Executive Director Colin Kerrigan and special guest Anthea Godfrey handed out the scholarships to Wanci Xie for academic excellence in art and design, Vladislav Iakovlev for exceptional endeavour, Jinghan Fu for studio-based practice, and Anya Stern for superb critical and creative thinking skills. Claudia Lim was awarded the ISCA Ambassador Scholarship for her outstanding contribution to the school. Congratulations to all!



## EVOLUTION EXHIBITION

The work from the year 1 Diploma was used to transform the ISCA studios into an art and design exhibition entitled Evolution. Students worked in groups to curate and create fantastic exhibits to showcase their development ideas and outcomes across all subject areas. Invited guests were able to chat to students about their work which included film, architectural maquettes, paintings, fashion pieces and even performance art. Tutors awarded subject prizes to recognise exceptional work and progress.



## RECYCLED IDEAS

A recent workshop focussed on bead dyeing and embellishment in fashion and textiles. Guided by textile designer Anthea Godfrey, students created their own beads using recycled materials such as plastic bottles and cups. Readymade old jewellery, pearls and glass beads were also dyed, mixed together and hand-sewn into fantastic embroidery, beading and jewellery pieces. Many ideas were hatched and tried out with often surprising results so that by the end of the session the whole studio was turned into an exhibition of beautiful beaded embroidery!

