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PhD, Visual Arts, University of Sydney, 2003.

Thesis: *The After-Party: The Retreat and Concealment of Strategic Appropriation in Contemporary Art.*

Bachelor of Visual Arts (Honours First Class), University of Sydney, 1999.

### EMPLOYMENT:

**January 2017 – present.** Head of Critical and Theoretical Studies in Art, Victorian College of the Arts, Faculty of Fine Arts and Music, University of Melbourne, Australia.

**2012 – present.** Executive Director, Project Anywhere (projectanywhere.net)

**January 2016 – January 2017.** Senior Lecturer and Convener of Creative and Performing Arts, School of Creative Arts, University of Newcastle, Australia.

**January 2007 –December 2015.** Lecturer in Creative and Performing Arts, School of Creative Arts, University of Newcastle, Australia.

**2004 – 2006.** Sessional Lecturer (Painting and Studio Theory), Sydney College of the Arts, University of Sydney, Australia.

**1987 – present.** Artist, writer, musician, producer, curator (seanlowry.com)

### WRITING:

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The Ghosts of Nothing (aka Lowry, S and Taimre, I), *Three Scenes from In Memory of Johnny B. Goode: World Tour (2014–2017) (AUS) featuring Laura Purcell*, Thursday 18 January –Sunday 25 February, 2018, Contemporary Art Tasmania (presented by Mofo), Hobart, Australia.

Ochromosonico (aka Lowry, S; Titmarsh, M and Warner, G), *OchrOmOchrOnOtOpOsOnicO*, December 9 - 17, 2016, UTS Gallery, University of Technology, Sydney, Australia. Catalogue: 'colourspacetimesound,' ISBN: 978-0-9871483-7-7.

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Lowry, S. *One and Three Americas*, October 3 – 31, 2014, Plato's Cave at EIDIA House, Brooklyn, NY, USA.

Lowry, S. *One and Three United States*, December 3, 2014, Kibel Gallery, University of Maryland, School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation, College Park, USA.

Lowry, S. *One and Three Tasmanias*, April 28 – May 5, 2014, Plimsoll Gallery, Tasmanian College of the Arts, University of Tasmania, Hunter Street, Hobart, Australia.

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#### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS:**

Lowry, S. 'Jimee BS Balking,' in *Blindside B-Side*, November 1 - 10, 2018, Blindside, Melbourne, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Untitled,' in *The Aesthetics of Bureaucracy* (curated by Raafat Ishak), Victorian College of the Arts, University of Melbourne, Australia.

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Lowry, S. 'Ghosted Disco 2,' in *Disco Infirmo 2* (curated by Jane Polkinghorne), 6 June -23, 2018, Trocadero, Melbourne, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'One and Three Americas,' in *Assholes*, April 5 – April 28, 2018, Plato's Cave at EIDIA House, Brooklyn, NY, USA.

Lowry, S. 'COCK,' in *Zombie Painting* (Sean Lowry, Andre Brodyk, Tom Loveday, Mark Shorter and Mark Titmarsh), March 22 – April 18 2018, Stacks Projects, Sydney, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Kraken,' in *Double Blind* (curated by Georgia Banks and Nick Waddell), February 2-8, Testing Grounds, Melbourne, Australia.

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Lowry, S. 'Untitled,' in 9x5, Friday 16 June – Sunday 25 June 2017, Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne, Australia.

Lowry S. 'Ghosted Book I,' in: *Künstlerbücher für Alles (Artists' Books for Everything): An Exhibition of the Centre for Artists' Publications*, June 3 – August 6, 2017, Centre for Artists' Publications, Weserburg, Teerhof 20 28199, Bremen, Germany.

Lowry, S. 'Ghosted Disco,' in *Disco Infirmo* (curated by Jane Polkinghorne), 10-24 February, 2017, Airspace Projects, Sydney, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Australia,' in: *Bureau for the Organisation of Origins (BOO)*, January 26 – February 11, 2017, Blindside, Melbourne, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Secret Poem (after Mel),' 2017, in *Puppet Presidents(s) & Power* (Poetry Exhibition), January 15 – February 3, 2017, Plato's Cave at EIDIA House, Brooklyn, NY, USA.

Lowry, S. 'Ghosted Homes' in *Home* (curated by Simone Douglas), Auckland Festival of Photography, June 2 – 24, 2016, Auckland, New Zealand.

Lowry, S. 'Ghosted Book,' in *Inappropriate Appropriate Ideas*, The Curated Shelf (curated by Cath Robinson, Sarah Ryan and Kylie Johnson), June 6, 2016, 25 Corby Avenue, West Hobart, Tasmania, Australia.

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Lowry, S. 'All Known Space Outside This Box (Not Including That Which Is Imagined,' in: \_\_\_\_\_, exhibition and catalogue ISBN 978-0-9924589-5-9, April 10 – May 16, 2015, Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Melbourne, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Lawnmower,' in *Some Rooms*, November 3, 2013, Marrickville Garage, NSW, Australia <http://marrickvillegarage.com/2013/10/29/november-projects/>

Lowry, S. 'UNAUSTRALIA,' in *Look This Way* (curated by Alex Gawronski), March 5– April 5, 2013, UTS Gallery, Level 4, UTS Building 6, Peter Johnson Building, 702 Harris St, Ultimo, NSW, Australia. Catalogue ISBN: 978-0-9874811-0-8.

Lowry, S. 'Untitled,' in *Space Trash @ TINA and Sound Summit*, 2012 September 27 -30, 2012, Newcastle, Australia.

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Lowry, S. 'Silent Republic,' in *Re-Extended Painting* (Sean Lowry, Andre Brodyk, Tom Loveday, Mark Shorter, and Mark Titmarsh), January 25 – February 12, 2012, MOP Projects, Sydney, Australia. Catalogue ISBN 978-0-9871483-3-9.

Lowry, S. 'Untitled,' in *Chain Letter* (curated by Christian Cummins/Doug Harvey), July 22 – August 25, 2011, Shoshana Wayne Gallery, Santa Monica, CA, USA.

Lowry, S. 'Bring the Noise,' in *Black is the Colour* (curated by Max Dingle), April 2 – May 26, 2010, Shoalhaven City Arts Centre, Australia.

Lowry, S. *Lapdancer*, in *In Temperance* (curated by Mark Titmarsh), February 16, 2010, Temperance Lane, Sydney, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Ghosted Logos,' in *Current and Recent PhD Students from Sydney College of the Arts* (group exhibition curated by Brad Buckley), October 16–27, 2007, Anna Leonowens Gallery, 1891 Granville St, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. Also exhibited: February 24 - March 7, 2008, Gales Gallery and Special Project Space, Goldfarb Centre for Fine Arts, York University, Toronto, Canada.

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Lowry, S. 'Stolen Art,' in *Suspended Sentence* (curated by Matthys Gerber), January 15–27 1991, Jan Taylor Galleries, Sydney, Australia.

#### **PERFORMANCES:**

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The Ghosts of Nothing (aka Lowry, S and Taimre, I). *Children of the Moon* (feat. Coleman Grehan), September 3, 2016, offsite project hosted by Raygun Projects at Tabletop Mountain (summit), Toowoomba, Australia —as part of *In Memory of Johnny B. Goode – World Tour of Remote Wildernesses 2015/2016* (see: *Mousse #51, 2015*) <https://youtu.be/wiA8F65UuYw>

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King Prawn (aka Lowry, S. Endusa, N. and Turner, M). March 17, 1992, Cybernaught, Bayswater Rd, Kings Cross, NSW, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Defender,' March 21, 1989, Glebe Rowers Club, Glebe, NSW, Australia.

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Lowry, S. *50 x 50 x 50*, May 21 – May 23, 2015, University of Newcastle, Ourimbah Campus, Australia.

Lowry, S. *Art and the Expanded Cover Version* (featuring Renny Kodgers, Wade Marynowsky, Kusum Normoyle, Mark Titmarsh, Pauline Manley, Ilmar Taimre, Frank Millward, Heather Keens, The Pink Ladies, and Lyndall Johnston), May 23 – May 24, 2014, University of Newcastle, Ourimbah Campus, Australia.

Lowry, S. *The Grotto Project: What is Portraiture?* September 23-24, 2011, University of Newcastle,

Central Coast Campus, Ourimbah, NSW, Australia. (ABC Radio 92.5 23/09/12, *Express Advocate* 23/09/12 & *Herald Sun* 24/09/12).

Lowry, S. *The Voicemail Project*, April 10 – 25, 2010, SNO 58, SNO (Sydney Non Objective), Sydney, Australia.

Lowry, S. *The Agnostic Model* (featuring Su Baker, Jonny Niesche and Terry Burrows), November 18–December 4, 2004, Phatspace, Sydney, Australia. Catalogue ISBN 0-646-44288-0.

Lowry, S. 'Spasm,' June 12 & 19, 1997, WKD Café, London, UK. See: *Time Out*, London, June 25, 1997.

'Sewerage' (aka Lowry, S. Endusa, N. and Turner, M.), weekly music/performance event, January – April, 1988, Propaganda Club, Sydney, Australia.

'The Inferno' (aka Lowry, S. Endusa, N. and Turner, M.), weekly music/performance event throughout 1987 featuring Sean Lowry, Nick Endusa, Mark Bullshit, Thug, Moist, Butchered Babies, Tex Perkins and Box the Jesuit, July and December, 1987, Hip Hop Club, Sydney, Australia.

#### CONFERENCES:

Douglas, S and Lowry, S. (Conveners), *Anywhere and Elsewhere: Art at The Outermost Limits of Location-Specificity*, November 15 -16, 2018, Parsons Fine Arts, School of Art, Media and Technology, Parsons The New School for Design, New York NY, USA (presented in conjunction with the Centre of Visual Arts, University of Melbourne). Abstracts: ISBN 978-1-692-06323-1.

Douglas, S and Lowry, S. 'Where is Art?' (Keynote), *Please Specify: Sharing Artistic Research Across Disciplines*, SAR International Conference on Artistic Research, 28 & 29 April, 2017, Theatre Academy Haapaniemenkatu 6, Helsinki, Finland.

Lowry, S. and McMahon, J (Conveners), *Some Artists and Philosophers Walked into a Room*, Tuesday July 11, 2017, Federation Hall, the Victorian College of the Arts, University of Melbourne, VIC, Australia.

Douglas, S and Lowry, S. (Conveners), *Anywhere and Elsewhere: Art at The Outermost Limits of Location-Specificity*, November 17 -18, 2016, Parsons Fine Arts, School of Art, Media and Technology, Parsons The New School for Design, New York NY, USA.

Hight, C; Lowry S; and Weaving, S. (Conveners), *What are the Creative Industries Anyway?* September 16, 2016, The Lock-Up, Newcastle, NSW, Australia.

Lowry, S. and McMahon, J. (Conveners), *Next to Nothing: Art as Performance. A Meeting of Art and Philosophy In The Age Of Post-Dematerialisation*, September 26 -27, 2015, The Lock-Up, Newcastle, NSW, Australia. (See: McMahon, J. et al. "Between Philosophy and Art: A Collaboration at *The Lock-Up*, Newcastle," in *Australian Journal of Popular Culture*, Volume 5 Issue 2-3, September 2016).

Lowry, S. and Taimre, I. 'Are we a band? Negotiating the Antipodean Extremities of Intermedial Expansion and Medium Specificity in Art, Music and Popular Culture,' *6<sup>th</sup> Annual PopCAANZ Conference*, 29 June – 1 July 2015, Massey University Campus, Wellington, New Zealand.

Lowry, S. 'Transposable Understandings: Teaching Art Through Feminism,' *Take 2: Conversations in feminism and art*, Contemporary Art Tasmania Gallery, Friday 6 March 2015, Hobart Tasmania, Australia.

Douglas, S and Lowry, S. (Conveners), *Art and Research at The Outermost Limits of Location-Specificity*, November 13 -14, 2014, The Lang Center, School of Art, Media, and Technology at Parsons The New School for Design, a division of The New School, New York NY, USA.

De Freitas, N and Lowry, S. 'The Frontiers of Artistic Research: The Challenge of Critique, Peer Review and Validation at The Outermost Limits Of Location-Specificity,' *Critique 2013*, 26 – 29 November 2013, The University of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia. Proceedings published at: <http://www.critique2013.com/home/Proceedings.html>

Lowry, S. 'Contemporary Painting Re-Expanded: Overpainting,' *Together Apart*, Art Association of Australia & New Zealand (AAANZ) Annual Conference, July 12 - 13, 2012, The University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia.



Lowry, S. 'Postgraduate Supervision in The Regions: Strategies for Artists Becoming Writers,' *Doctoral Writing in the Visual and Performing Arts: Challenges and Diversities*, November 17 - 18, 2011, Sydney College of the Arts, University of Sydney, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'The Concealment of Appropriation in Post-Dialectical Artistic Production,' *Evolution: Art and Design Research and the PhD*, Parsons The New School for Design, October 22 - 23, 2010, New York, USA.

Lowry, S. 'The Agnostic Readymade,' *Post-Duchamp, Post-Production: Delineations of Media in Art Theory and Pedagogy*, 98th Annual Conference of the College Art Association, February 10–13, 2010, Chicago, USA.

Lowry, S. and McKinnon, J. 'The Copulation of Theory and Practice in The Creative Arts,' in *WTF? Talking Theory with Art and Art History Undergrads*, 98th Annual Conference of the College Art Association, February 10–13, 2010, Chicago, USA.

Lowry, S. and McKinnon, J. 'The Copulation of Theory and Practice in the Creative Arts' (with McKinnon, J.), in *Curriculum Development in Studio Teaching, Volume Four: STP Case Studies of Effective Practice* (Wilson S. Ed and Watson K. Ed.), <http://eprints.usq.edu.au/8729/2/Binder1.pdf>, 2009, pp. 164-169

Lowry, S. 'Ghostly Familiarities: The Concealment of Strategic Appropriation in Contemporary Artistic Production,' ACUADS conference, September 10, 2006, Monash University, Australia.

Lowry, S. and McKinnon, J. 'The Copulation of Theory and Practice in The Creative Arts: A Practical Case Study,' *Studio Teaching Forum: Enriching Creative Art Learning*, University of Tasmania, December 3-4, 2009, Hobart, Australia.

Lowry, S. and McKinnon, J. 'Theory <=> Practice,' *Research in the Creative Arts Conference*, The University of Newcastle, December 1-2, 2008, Newcastle, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Beautifully Unresolved: After The Aesthetic/Anti-Aesthetic Dialectic,' *Aesthetics, anti-aesthetics, non-aesthetics, new aesthetics* (symposium in conjunction with *Point of Origin* exhibition), September 12, 2008, Artspace Visual Arts Centre, Woolloomooloo, NSW, Australia.

Lowry, S. 'Collaboration and Interdisciplinarity: Applying the Legacies of Conceptual Art to Cultural Production,' in *The Contemporary Collaborator in an Interdisciplinary World*, 96th Annual Conference of the College Art Association, February 20–23, 2008, Dallas-Fort Worth, USA.

#### **ARTIST TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS:**

*Artist on Artist*, July 15 2018, MoMA at NGV, National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, Australia.

*Bureau for the Organisation of Origins (BOO)*, February 3 2017, Blindside, Level 7, Room 14, Nicholas Building, 37 Swanston Street, Melbourne, Australia.

'Conversations in Art: Sean Lowry,' September 16, 2015, Advanced Technology Centre, University of Newcastle, NSW, Australia.

*Art and The Limits of Specificity*, Gallery Talk: Wednesday, December 3 2014, Kibel Gallery, University of Maryland, School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation, College Park, MD 20742, USA.

*AMT Visiting Artists Lecture Series: Sean Lowry*, October 8, 2014, Anna-Maria and Stephen Kellen Auditorium, Sheila C. Johnson Design Center, 66 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10003, USA.

Artist talk, October 1, 2014, NYU Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development, Stuyvesant St, New York, NY 10003, USA.

Opening address at *Instance: An Exhibition of Recent Works and Performances*, Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, Friday March 14, 2014.

'Everything the Artist Does (And Still Does Art),' *21st Century Artist Conference*, October 24-25, 2013, Artspace Visual Arts Centre, Woolloomooloo, Sydney, Australia.

*Project Anywhere, Art at The Outermost Limits of Location Specificity*, May 12, 2012, Contemporary Art Tasmania, 27 Tasma St, Nth Hobart, Tasmania, Australia.

Floor talk convener for Helen Lempriere Travelling Art Scholarship, August 15, 2009, Artspace Visual Arts Centre, Woolloomooloo, Sydney, Australia.

### **BROADCASTS:**

The Ghosts of Nothing (aka Lowry, S and Taimre, I). *In Memory of Johnny B. Goode: A Radio Play by The Ghosts of Nothing*, radio broadcast from 10pm, December 6, 2014 on Saturday Night Séance, WGXC 90.7-FM (New York) and live stream at wgxc.org

Lowry, S. *Lapdancer*2, July 1 - December, 2009, 'Strawberry Fields,' *Souvenirs from Earth* (Film and Video Art channel on European Cable Network). <http://www.sfe.tv/artists/maske.php?id=210>

Lowry, S. *Lapdancer*, November - December, 2008, 'Strawberry Fields,' *Souvenirs from Earth* (Film & Video Art channel on European Cable Network). <http://www.sfe.tv/artists/maske.php?id=210>

Def FX (1990-1997) – numerous domestic and international live television and radio appearances (see "Commercial Music Highlights")

### **COMMERCIAL MUSIC (HIGHLIGHTS):**

\* Music publishing enquires —Perfect Pitch Publishing: [peter@perfectpitchpublishing.net](mailto:peter@perfectpitchpublishing.net)

October 2010. Celebrity Drug Disasters featured on front page of *I-tunes*, Australia.  
Album released: 14 September 2010 © Flashpoint Music / Brandeluxe.

October 2007 – 2012. Celebrity Drug Disasters Australian television sync: *Big Brother*, *Bondi Rescue*, *Make me a Supermodel*, *Tripping Over*, *Canal Rd*, *City Homicide*, *Friday Night Downloads*, *Out Of The Question*, *Summer Heights High*, *A Current Affair*, *Battlefronts* and *McLeod's Daughters*.

March 2008. Soundtrack commission (with Rob Taylor) for international trailer for *What Happens in Vegas*, directed by Tom Vaughan and starring Cameron Diaz, Ashton Kutcher and Queen Latifa, Twentieth Century Fox Film Corporation, Los Angeles, USA.

February 2008. Celebrity Drug Disasters finalist in *John Lennon Songwriting Competition*, USA, and 'Honorable Mention Top 40/Pop,' *International Songwriting Comp* (2007), USA.

November 1, 2006. Celebrity Drug Disasters 'Getting Better' 4<sup>th</sup> most added *Music Network*, Australia.

October 14, 2006. Celebrity Drug Disasters, ACRA awards, Luna Park Sydney, Australia

October 13, 2006. Celebrity Drug Disasters \$100 000.00 AUD first prize i *NA2R* (New Artist to Radio), Sydney, Australia.

August 2006. Soundtrack commission (with Rob Taylor) remix Sherbert's 'Howzat' for *Countdown Live* national tour, 2006.

May 6, 2005. Celebrity Drug Disasters perform *Australian Fashion Week*, Sydney, Australia.

May 1, 2005. Celebrity Drug Disasters, Enmore Theatre, Sydney, Australia.

April 31, 2005. Celebrity Drug Disasters, Queensbridge Hotel, Melbourne, Australia.

April 2004. Celebrity Drug Disasters, 'The Television Will Not Be Revolutionised' reaches #17 on ARIA National Club Play Chart, Australia.

March 2004. Soundtrack commission (with Rob Taylor) for national television campaign for Allen's 'Soothers Liquid Centres', Lowe Hunt Agency, Sydney, Australia.

March 1998. Soundtrack commission for HSBC Net Trader, Sydney, Australia.

March 1995. Remix *Triple M* news and station theme (with David Stein/Rob Taylor), Sydney, Australia.

March 1990–May 1997. Founding concept and principal writer in internationally active Australian electro-rock band, Def FX (Definition FX in USA).

### **Selected Def FX highlights:**

- # 1 ARIA Alternative Single Chart for 'Water,' week ending November 10, 1991 (on chart for 52 weeks).
- # 25 ARIA Top 40 Album Chart for 'Majick,' week ending July 14, 1996.

- # 37 US Top 40 Billboard Dance Chart for 'Space/Time/Disco, week ending Oct 16, 1993.
- # 1 ARIA Alternative Single Chart for 'Blink', week ending June 29, 1991.
- # 1 ARIA Alternative Single Chart for 'Surge,' week ending December 8, 1991.
- Toured Australia, USA, Canada, New Zealand, Japan, Hong Kong, and Singapore (including tours with the Smashing Pumpkins, Soundgarden, Ned's Atomic Dustbin, KMFDM, EMF, Nine Inch Nails, INXS, Blink 182 and No Doubt).
- 'Concert for Life' (largest concert staged in Australia), March 28, 1992, Centennial Park, Sydney).
- 3 Big Day Out tours (Australia and New Zealand).
- Headlined *Limelight*, New York City, USA (1992 and 1993).
- Three major label international recording contracts (EMI, RCA and Universal).
- Featured in *Rolling Stone*, *Juice*, *Drum Media*, *Rave*, *Rip it Up*, *Beat Magazine*, *Sonics Magazine*, *Digital Magazine*, *On The Street*, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, *The Age*, *The Australian*, *3D World*, *Time Off*, *dB Magazine*, *60 Minutes* (Australia), *Recovery ABC TV* (Australia), *JJJ FM*, *2SER FM*, *MMM FM*, US syndicated college radio, and *MTV* (USA and S.E. Asia).

### **SOUNDSCAPES AND SOUND DESIGN:**

Lowry, S. Sound design and production for: *Archie Barry: Time Sick Big T-Shirt*, September 5 - 6 2018, The Meat Market Stables, 2 Wreckyn St, Melbourne, Australia.

Lowry, S. Original sound design and composition for: *Two Fold: Presented by Justene Williams*, May 29 2016, Heide III: Central Galleries, Heide Museum of Modern Art, Bulleen VIC 3105, Australia (also performed as *To Have and to Fold*, CACSA, Adelaide SA, May 26, 2016).

The Ghosts of Nothing (aka Lowry, S and Taimre, I). 'In Memory of Johnny B. Goode: A Radio Play by The Ghosts of Nothing,' broadcast December 6, 2014 on Saturday Night Séance, WGXC 90.7-FM and live stream at [wgxc.org](http://wavefarm.org/archive/kw3j9q) (see <http://wavefarm.org/archive/kw3j9q>)

The Ghosts of Nothing (aka Lowry, S and Taimre, I). 'The Ghosts of Nothing: In Memory of Johnny B. Goode' (rock opera), CD # GON001, UPC: 5055486940499. Release Date: 01-04-2014. C Year: 2014 P Year: 2014. Available i-Tunes, Amazon, Spotify, published by Perfect Pitch Publishing.

Lowry, S. Original sound design for: Buckley, B. 'The Slaughterhouse Project: Alignment and Boundaries (Lâ Origine du monde) and I wonder whether that's Joanna Hiffernan with a Brazilian (revisited),' March 2 - May 19, 2013, Australian Centre for Photography, 257 Oxford St, Paddington NSW 2021, Australia.

Lowry, S. Original sound design for: Conomos, J. 'The Spiral of Time,' March 2 - May 19, 2013, Australian Centre for Photography, 257 Oxford St, Paddington NSW 2021, Australia.

Lowry, S. Original sound design for: Conomos, J. 'Shipwreck,' July 8 - September 18, 2011, Queensland University Art Museum, Qld, Australia.

Lowry, S. Original sound design for: Buckley, B. 'Australians all let us rejoice (perhaps),' soundtrack to 'A new world order (after Žižek and the radical left ha ha),' *The Cosmopolitan Community*, September 21 - October 1, 2010, University Gallery and Art Space, University of Tsukuba, Japan, 2010.

Lowry, S. Sound design for: Buckley, B. 'Wall of Sound,' April 10 - 25, 2010, SNO 58, SNO (Sydney Non Objective), Level 1, 175 Marrickville Rd, Marrickville, NSW 2204, Australia

Lowry, S. Original sound design for: Conomos, J. 'Lake George (After Rothko),' March 4 - 29, 2008, Roslyn Oxley9 Gallery, Soudan Lane, Paddington, NSW, Australia.  
Also: August 1 - September 20, 2009, Fremantle Arts Centre, WA, Australia and October 16 - Nov 21, Canberra Contemporary Art Space, ACT, Australia.

Lowry, S. Original sound design for: Buckley, B. 'The Slaughterhouse Project,' March 18-April 24, 2005, La Chambre Blanche, Quebec, Canada.

### **MUSIC REVIEWS, INTERVIEWS AND FEATURE ARTICLES:**

Chunn, J. 'Sonic Nirvana,' *On The Street* (cover story), June 19, 1991, p. 15.

Clement, T. 'Video Wits,' *The Sydney Morning Herald*, Metro, April 3, 2009, p 21.

Def FX, 'Hello, Mister America' (USA tour diary), *Juke*, December 12, 1992, p. 35.

Eliezer, C. 'Def FX: Easels Scratched My Flesh!,' *Juke*, February 27, 1993, pp. 11-12.

Gee, M. 'Def FX Ready For Big Break,' *The West Australian*, Revue Section (cover story), p. 7.

Haddock, F. 'Def Defying,' *3D World*, March 28, 1991, p. 22.  
 Hilson, J. 'Blatant Appropriation,' *Beat Magazine*, June 2, 1993, p. 12.  
 Holser, T. 'Free Samples,' *The Sydney Morning Herald*, June 21 1991, Metro, p. 2.  
 Houghton, D. 'In the pursuit of silence,' October 30, 2010, <http://www.reportageonline.com/2010/10/in-the-pursuit-of-silence/30>  
 Killalea, S. 'Cause and FX,' *The Drum Media*, June 9, 1992, p. 34.  
 Kobayashi, Z. 'Performance Stripped to the Bone,' *The Follower*, Issue 12, Sept 15, 2015, p. 10.  
 Leadley, M. 'Defmettle,' *Australian Digital*, September 1996, pp. 78-79.  
 Marx, J. 'Defaffected,' *The Sydney Morning Herald*, January 8 1993, 'Metro,' p. 20.  
 Mueller, A. 'New Faces: Def FX,' *Rolling Stone*, Australia, July 1992, p. 67.  
 Mueller, A. 'In Bed with Sean Lowry' *On the Street*, December 1990, p. 22.  
 Mueller, A. 'King Prawn,' *On The Street*, June 29, 1988.  
 Newman, R. 'Using the Void,' *On The Street*, November 27, 1995, p. 22.  
 Mathieson, C. 'Making a Def Wish,' *The Drum Media* (cover story), February 4, 1993, p. 17.  
 McCabe, K. 'Big Band Sound of the Future,' *Telegraph Mirror*, Review Section, p.1.  
 McCabe, K. 'Turning Def Ear to a New Sound,' *The Daily Telegraph*, December 14, 1995, p. 53.  
 Molitorisz, S. 'Cause and FX,' *The Sydney Morning Herald*, December 15 1995, Metro, p. 20.  
 Power, M. 'Surge: Def FX,' *Rolling Stone* (Australia), Issue 466, January 1992, p. 81.  
 Prince, D. 'Definition FX,' *Albuquerque Tribune*, August 26, 1993.  
 Ralph, R. 'Playing Those (Surfers of the Mind) Games,' *Rave*, January 19, 1994, p. 8.  
 Raxworthy, J. 'Happening,' *The Drum Media*, December 4, 1990, p. 52.  
 Scatena, D. 'FX All Areas' *Juke*, November 7, 1992, p. 12.  
 Smith, M. 'The FX is Def: Post-Moronic,' *The Drum Media*, October 18, 1994, p. 13.  
 Stafford, A. 'Live FX: Adventurous and Extreme,' *Time Off*, March 9, 1994, p. 11.  
 Stephen, A. 'Accidents Never Happen,' *Juke*, Reviews, November 21, 1992.  
 Tulk, N. 'Project Anywhere: An Interview with Sean Lowry,' *Antipodes: A Global Journal of Australian/New Zealand Literature*, (forthcoming 2016).  
 Yoshida, L. 'Sonic Metal Dance Music from Down Under,' *Metropolis*, Nov 13, 1992, p. 5.  
 Witheford, M. 'Def FX: Stray Hello, Waif Goodbye,' *Juke*, May 16, 1992, p. 12.  
 Wooldridge, S. 'Post Post-Moronic,' *On the Street*, October 25 1994, p. 10.

#### DISCOGRAPHY:

The Ghosts of Nothing, *In Memory of Johnny B. Goode*, The Ghosts of Nothing, 2014.  
 The Ghosts of Nothing, *Mercedes Benz*, The Ghosts of Nothing, 2014.  
 Celebrity Drug Disasters, *Celebrity Drug Disasters*, Flashpoint Music / Brandeluxe, 2010.  
 Celebrity Drug Disasters, *Put Yourself In My Shoes*, MGM, Sydney, 2007.  
 Celebrity Drug Disasters, *Art or Porn?* MGM, Sydney, 2006.  
 Celebrity Drug Disasters, *Getting Better*, MGM, Sydney, 2006.  
 Celebrity Drug Disasters, *We Can Get Together*, MGM, Sydney, 2006.  
 Celebrity Drug Disasters, *Celebrity Drug Disasters*, Brandeluxe, Sydney, 2005.  
 Brandeluxe, *Brandeluxe*, Sydney, 2004.  
 Great Apes, *Idiot/Moron/Boogie*, Phantom Records, Sydney, 2000.  
 Cellfish, *Give Me Sugar*, Phantom Records, Sydney, 1998.  
 Cellfish, *Computer Games*, Phantom Records, Sydney, 1998.  
 Dada Spastic, *F\*\*\* You God!!!*, Sean Lowry, London, 1997.  
 Def FX, *Majick*, Universal, Australia and New Zealand, 1996.  
 Def FX, *Majick*, Universal, Tokyo, 1996.  
 Def FX, *Majick*, Universal, Hong Kong, 1996.  
 Def FX, *Majick*, Universal, Singapore, 1996.  
 Def FX, *Deja Vu*, Universal, Sydney, Tokyo, Hong Kong and Singapore, 1996.  
 Def FX, *Spell On You*, Universal, Sydney, Tokyo, Hong Kong and Singapore, 1996.  
 Def FX, *Psychoactive Summer*, Universal, Australasia, 1995.  
 Def FX, *Kill the Real Girls*, Cicada, Sydney, 1995.  
 Def FX, *Ritual Eternal*, Cicada, Sydney, 1995.  
 Def FX, *Post-moronic*, EMI Australia, Sydney, 1994.  
 Def FX, *Baptism*, Phantom Records, Sydney, 1993.  
 Definition FX, *Light/Speed/Collision*, RCA, New York, 1993.  
 Definition FX, *Space/Time/Disco*, RCA, New York, 1993.  
 Definition FX, *Something Inside*, RCA, New York, 1993.  
 Def FX, *Live from a Small Planet*, Phantom Records, Sydney, 1993.  
 Def FX, *No Time for Nowhere*, EMI, Sydney and RCA, New York, 1993.  
 Def FX, *Space/Time/Disco*, EMI, Sydney, 1993.  
 Def FX, *No Time for Nowhere*, EMI, Sydney, 1993.  
 Def FX, *Light/Speed/Collision*, EMI, Sydney, 1993.  
 Def FX, various compilations, 1993-1997.  
 Def FX, *Blink*, EMI Australia, EMI, Sydney, 1992.

Def FX, *Surge*, Phantom Records, Sydney, 1991.

**MUSIC AWARDS:**

NA2R (New Artist to Radio), \$100,000.00 first prize (Celebrity Drug Disasters), October 13, 2006, Sydney, Australia.

'Best Dance Act,' 1994 Music Awards Readers poll, *Rolling Stone*, Australia.

'Best Keyboards,' 1994 Music Awards Readers poll, *Rolling Stone*, Australia.

ARIA nomination (Def FX), 1992.

**TEACHING AWARDS:**

Australian College of Educators 'Teacher Recognition Award' (2009)

HASS Student Forum 'Well-Regarded Lecturer Award' (2011)

University of Newcastle 'Lecturer of the Year' Award (2007)

**GRANTS, AWARDS AND FUNDING:**

*Ochromosonico: This Hive Mind* (Lowry, S; Titmarsh, M and Warner)

August 2018

Winner: 1<sup>st</sup> Prize SEA(S) Institutional Grant for residency and exhibition in Kefalonia, Greece.

*Anywhere and Elsewhere*

\$ 1689.00

Funding body: Faculty Small Grants Scheme 2018, Faculty of the Fine Arts and Music, University of Melbourne.

*Anywhere v2.*

\$ 4832.59

Funding body: Faculty Small Grants Scheme 2017, Faculty of the VCA & MCM, University of Melbourne.

Ourimbah Strategic Research Grant VI, 2016.

\$1,000

Funding body: University of Newcastle - Faculty of Education and Arts.

*Next to Nothing: Art as Performance. A Meeting of Art and Philosophy In The Age Of Post-Dematerialisation*, September 26 -27, 2015, The Lock-Up, Newcastle.

\$20,000.00

Funding body: University of Newcastle – School of Creative Arts.

*The Grotto Project.*

\$30,000.00 (across three years - 2013-2015)

Funding body: SSAF Ourimbah Campus - University of Newcastle.

6th Annual PopCAANNZ Conference, Wellington NewZealand, 29 June - 1 July 2015.

\$1,551

Funding body: University of Newcastle - Faculty of Education and Arts.

Critique 2013. Adelaide, Australia, 26-29 November, 2013.

\$735

Funding body: University of Newcastle - Faculty of Education and Arts.

Seeding Grant. Project Anywhere.

\$3,000

Funding body: University of Newcastle – DFAM.

98th Annual Conference of College Art Association, Chicago, 10-13 February 2010

\$1,500

Funding body: University of Newcastle - Faculty of Education and Arts.

College Art Association Annual Conference 2008, Adam's Mark Hotel, Dallas, USA, 20/2/2008 - 23/2/2008.

\$1,700

Funding body: University of Newcastle - Faculty of Education and Arts.

Australian Postgraduate Award  
2000-2003  
\$19,369 (per annum for three years)

**PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENT AND SERVICE:**

**2012 – present.** Founder and Executive Director, Project Anywhere - [www.projectanywhere.net](http://www.projectanywhere.net) (and co-curator/co-convenor/co-editor - *Anywhere and Elsewhere* and *Anywhere*, 2014 -).

**2004 – 2007.** Member of the Board of Directors, Artspace Visual Arts Centre, Sydney.

**SABBATICAL AND STUDY LEAVE:**

**September – December 2014.** Visiting Scholar / Artist, School of Art, Media, and Technology, Parsons The New School for Design, New York.

**April 2014.** Visiting Artist (and consultant for 'Plimsoll Enquiry'), Tasmanian College of the Arts, The University of Tasmania.

**September – December 2010.** Visiting Artist / Scholar, Dept. of Visual Arts, University of California, San Diego and Irvine.

**PEER REVIEWER:**

*Australian and New Zealand Journal of Art*  
*Journal of Artistic Research (JAR)*  
*PARtake: The Journal of Performance as Research.*  
*Human Computer Interaction DUXU: Design User Experience and Usability*

**POSTGRADUATE EXAMINATIONS:**

University of Sydney (PhD x 7, MFA x 5).  
University of New South Wales (MFA x 1).  
University of Southern Queensland (PhD x3 and MFA x1).  
University of Melbourne (PhD x 1).  
Parsons The New School for Design (MFA studio).  
Auckland University of Technology (PhD x1)

**MEMBERSHIPS:**

College Art Association  
Society of Artistic Research  
*PARtake: The Journal of Performance as Research* (Peer Review Board)  
Australian Performing Rights Association  
Phonographic Performance Company of Australia  
AAANZ