

A message to our Supporters, Friends of Her Place and our followers.

In line with the Victorian State Government and Chief Medical Officer advice, Her Place Women's Museum is closed to the public from 16<sup>th</sup> March 2020, and along with all of Melbourne Cultural institutions there will be no volunteers working from Clarendon Terrace consistent with measures being implemented by other museums.

We have taken these steps as a public health precaution in support of measures to contain COVID-19, especially for those in our community who are most vulnerable.

We do not know when we will reopen and due to the rapidly changing nature of the situation, we will continue to monitor advice and adapt accordingly and send updates. All public programs have been cancelled at this time and we will await advice from the Chief Medical Officer of Victoria regarding capacity for Museums and Libraries and other Cultural Institutions to reopen.

Her Place Women's Museum Fundraising Soirée
Our fundraiser on the 9<sup>th</sup> April has been postponed. All ticket
holders have been contacted. This event will be rescheduled
for later in the year. Her Place Women's Museum is truly

grateful to all the artists who were going to donate their time and talent to our event.



Kate Ceberano

## **Heritage Festival Talk - Chinese Australian Families**

The National Trust made the decision to **cancel the Australian Heritage Festival for 2020**, so Her Place Women's Museum
Festival Talk will no longer proceed on the 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2020. All ticket holders will be refunded
We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the festival supporters.



Annie Kong Meng (née Prussia), 1863, aged 24. Thomas Bradley Harris photo album, on website The Eastern window, p. 28 (accessed 12 March 2012).

Anna Kong Meng

The creative industries and all who work in them have been hit hard by the crisis and it has presented challenging circumstances for us all.

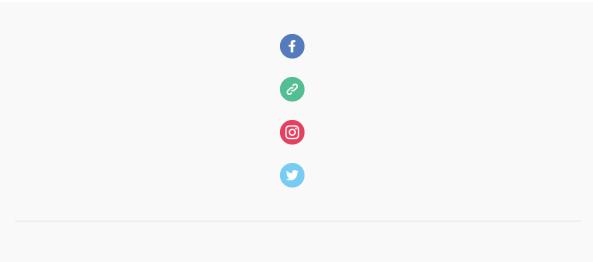
With your help, we can ensure Her Place Women's Museum will survive these extraordinary times.

## Please consider

- making a tax-deductible <u>donation</u>
- becoming a <u>Friend of Her Place</u>

We are very grateful for the kind donations and supportive comments from our event attendees following our cancellation announcements.

We will continue to keep our supporters and friends updated with our eNewsletters and via our social media channels on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter



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