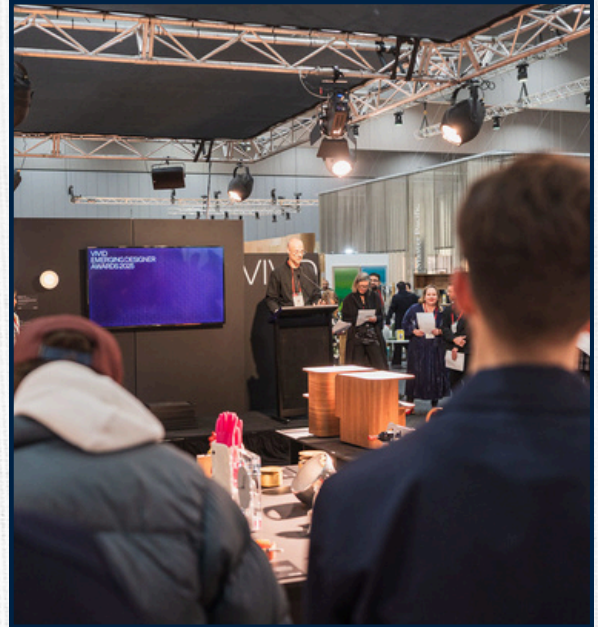


MEDIA RELEASE



MELBOURNE: Australia's premier interior design trade event, Decor + Design, returns in six weeks from 15 – 17 July at the Melbourne Exhibition Centre. This will be the 22nd edition of the iconic design trade show, co-located with the third edition of the Green Design Show.

This year's event promises to be bigger and better than ever, with exciting new features including an exclusive DESIGNER DISTRICT and the return of VIVID EMERGING DESIGNER AWARDS and the INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR SERIES, this year dressed by luxury furniture brand Roche Bobois and supported by The Design Files.

More than 10,000 trade visitors are expected over the three days; residential and commercial interior designers, architects, large and independent retail chains, commercial buyers and design media.

Over 200 exhibitors will showcase the latest in indoor and outdoor furniture, lighting, textiles and art across three dynamic days at the Melbourne Exhibition Centre.

FRESH! Theme: Joy, Play & Optimism

The 2026 show embraces the theme of "FRESH!" – reflecting the need for play, joy and optimism in a world facing many challenges. With vibrant colours and artwork inspired by Matisse and the South of France, the event will inject a lively, energising vibe into the Melbourne winter.

There will also be lashes of French style throughout the show, with French luxury brand Roche Bobois styling the Seminar Stage and Maison Balzac taking part in new feature DESIGNER DISTRICT.

NEW! DESIGNER DISTRICT

DESIGNER DISTRICT will be a standout new feature at Decor + Design 2026, set to delight visitors and located near the Matisse-inspired Fresh! Bar. This curated space will feature sought-after Australian design houses, including:

Maison Balzac

Maison Balzac is an Australian product design brand founded in 2012 by French-born Elise Pioch Balzac, specialising in playful, hand-blown coloured glassware and unique home fragrances.

The company focuses on creating whimsical, imaginative "jewellery for the table" that transforms daily rituals into memorable, quirky moments.

Diane Bergeron

Diane Bergeron is an internationally renowned, US-born interior designer and tastemaker celebrated for her sophisticated, elegant spaces that seamlessly blend comfort with timeless American style.

Now based in Australia, she also creates curated furniture, fabric, and wallpaper collections inspired by classic design and a love of gracious entertaining. See Diane's latest collections with Arthur G, Montauk Lighting and Milton & King.

Darren Palmer

Darren Palmer is one of Australia's most prominent interior designers, authors, and television personalities, widely recognised as a long-standing permanent judge on Channel Nine's hit reality show *The Block*. He runs an established Sydney-based design studio and curates his own signature range of accessible luxury homewares, bedding, and rugs.

Shaynna Blaze

Shaynna Blaze is an award-winning Australian interior designer, television host, and author best known for her roles on *The Block* and *Selling Houses Australia*. Through her business, Blank Canvas Interiors, she focuses on highly functional, lifestyle-driven spaces while simultaneously advocating for social justice via her primary prevention charity, Voice of Change. Shaynna will be exhibiting her collaborations with Australian Made brands Timberline, Urban Road and Molmic.

Kate Nixon

Kate Nixon is an award-winning Australian interior designer, stylist, and the long-standing interiors editor for Australian House & Garden magazine. She manages an eponymous full-service residential design studio in Sydney alongside an iconic boutique storefront that champions curated custom furnishings and artisan craftsmanship.

Star-Studded International Seminar Series & Green Design Seminar Series!

The International Seminar Series and Green Design Seminar Series will feature an exceptional line-up of industry leaders, supported by The Design Files and Green Magazine, on a stage dressed by Roche Bobois:

International & Australian Design Leaders

Karen Walker [International Keynote]: The New Zealand fashion and design powerhouse will share insights on Taking a Creative Vision Global.

Romance Was Born: The Australian fashion & design icons will talk about how Design is Art.

Darren Palmer & Shayna Blaze: The design stars will headline Australian Style, sharing expert tips on adding luxury and value to residential projects.

Greg Natale: The celebrated designer will present Layering Luxury, exploring his signature bold use of colour and pattern.

Kerrie-Ann Jones: The super stylist will share insider tips on How to Get Published, in conversation with Lucy Feagins of The Design Files.

Elizabeth Farrelly: The acclaimed architecture critic will explore the Future of Cities at the Green Design Seminar Series, examining the urgent need for resilient, climate-adapted urban landscapes.

Green Design Show 2026: Pioneering Materials, Design-Led

The Green Design Show will be co-located at the entrance of Decor + Design, featuring three innovative pavilions designed in collaboration with top Melbourne architecture and design firms: Topology, Studio x Us, Up to Something and Green Sheep Collective.

This collaborative showcase will highlight the sustainable design industry's cutting edge, featuring innovative recycled and regenerative materials available to the industry right now. The show is supported by the Green Building Council of Australia, Circular Design Thinking, Green Magazine and Studio Spillane, with pavilion collaborators including XFrame, Hydrowood, Cultivated, E9 Design and Sustainable Living Fabrics.

Registration & Ticketing

Registration to the exhibition is free but limited to design trade professionals.

An all-inclusive pass to 24 design sessions over three days at the International Seminar Series & Green Design Seminar Series is only \$250 + GST and can be purchased when registering. Day passes are also available for \$130 + GST

Register now: [Decor + Design & Green Design Show Trade Visitor Registration](#).

Event Partners

Decor + Design 2026 is proud to partner with Interiors Addict, The Design Files, Green Magazine, Circa, Green Building Council of Australia, Circular Design Thinking, James Treble and Dulux Australia.

IMAGERY

Decor + Design & Green Design Show Imagery can be downloaded [here](#).

2026 Speaker & Designer District Imagery can be downloaded [here](#).

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