



## MESSAGE FROM THE LORD MAYOR OF MELBOURNE

On behalf of the City of Melbourne, I congratulate you on your participation in the 'Where Australia meets Asia' project.

The City of Melbourne is home to people from more than 200 countries, who speak 230 languages and dialects, and follow 120 faiths. Our multiculturalism and diversity are a major contributor to our status as the world's most liveable city.

Projects, such as these, that promote cultural diversity and understanding through the arts of prose or illustration, are commendable and I applaud you for your contribution.

I hope you have enjoyed taking part and I look forward to seeing and reading the masterpieces that make up 'Where Australia Meets Asia'.

**Robert Doyle**