Book Launch Earth Sound Earth Signal

Douglas Kahn | UC Press



When: Thursday, 7 November 2013, 6:00-8.30 pm Where: Galleries UNSW at COFA Cnr of Oxford Street and Greens Road Paddington RSVP: niea@unsw.edu.au 1 November

Celebrate the launch of the publication *Earth Sound Earth Signal* (UC Press, 2013) by Douglas Kahn, eminent international sound scholar and Professor of Media and Innovation at the NIEA National Institute for Experimental Arts. The book, to be launched by artist David Haines, is a study of energies in aesthetics and the arts, from the birth of modern communications in the nineteenth century to the global transmissions of the present day. It rethinks energy at a global scale, from brainwaves to outer space, through detailed discussions of musicians, artists and scientists such as Alvin Lucier, Edmond Dewan, Pauline Oliveros, John Cage, James Turrell, Robert Barry, Joyce Hinterding, and many others.

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The evening will include sound performances by Joyce Hinterding, Peter Blamey and a sound installation by Emily Morandini. Copies of the book will be available at a special price only on the night of the launch. Light refreshments will be provided.

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