

Lusi Austin

Creative. Playwright. Author. Musician.
Composer.

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Most Recent Projects

Script writer, composer, lyricist, director, producer (Owner/Operator of Lemon Tea Theatre)

- *Intertwined* : an original Australian stage production set for World Premiere Cowra Civic Centre - July 2024.
- Cast as an extra in Rebel Wilson's directed film *The Deb* (2023).
- *Intertwined* is listed in [Salon 2023-24 Arts on Tour booklet](#).

Author

- *Rusty and the Breakout* : YA Novella (editor: Kim Kelly)
- *Jack's Visit to Cowra* - in Japanese (translated by Teruko Sharif)

Creative

- [Artlands 2023](#): selected participant to attend national symposium - Canberra (Sept 2023)
- [Orana Arts Guest Speaker for September 2023](#)

Experience

Writer

Author & Illustrator of ***Jack's Visit To Cowra*** (Dec 2021)

- *Jack's Visit To Cowra* was sold out (restocked) in the [National Library Book Shop, Canberra](#)
- Recipient of ANZAC Community Grant - NSW State Government (2022) to distribute copies of *Jack's Visit to Cowra* to rural and regional libraries
- Other writing includes articles for [Soul Tread Magazine](#), [Kindling & Sage](#), and as a [The Mighty Contributor](#). Contributing to the MONA Magazine blog (2023)
- Lyricist for [The World Peace Suite](#) (2020): World Premiere live performance (2023) by the Sydney Youth Orchestra and the Cowra Vocal Ensemble

Musician

Finalist in Regional Song writing Competition (BMEC)

Composer of *Intertwined* score

Solo EP ***Walking Contradiction*** (2020)

- Recorded at Dotted Eight Studios, Orange NSW
- Air time and interview on ABC Country Radio
- Article covering release in the International newspaper *The Fiji Times*
- Lyricist and singer on '[Cowra What We Can Do](#)' song and film clip by Desert Pea Media

Theatre

Writer and Director of the **[Community Play for the 75th Anniversary of the Cowra Breakout](#)** (2019)

Bachelor of Arts Dramatic Performance (WIMA now Excelsia)

Year of Graduation: 2002 - Graduated Valedictorian

Relevant Skills

- Social Media Content Creator & Small Business Operator at [That Homeschool Life](#)
- Cowra POW Breakout 75th Anniversary Committee Member
- [Humans of Cowra Blog](#). Story Writer