Catherine Sarah Young

The winner of this prize will have the unique opportunity of have a 30-minute, private Zoom call with an award-winning artist, designer, and writer. Catherine Sarah Young uses her background in molecular biology, fine art, and interaction design to create interdisciplinary and experimental artworks on the environment. She has an international award, exhibition, publication, and fellowship profile and has collaborated with researchers, industry, and non-profit organisations most recently in China, Southeast Asia, Austria, and the Amazon rainforest. She is a Scientia scholar at UNSW Sydney working on climate change and sustainability, an Obama Leader for Asia-Pacific, and part of Team HB6 of Homeward Bound for Antarctica. She writes science fiction and holds a second-degree black belt in taekwondo.

