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## Breaking New Ground: An Evening with Young Success Stories

All around us every day, young people are reworking and deepening Australia-Japan connections in myriad new ways. Sometimes the Australia-Japan Society gets involved. Sometimes we lend a hand. Come and meet some exceptional young people we have helped. Hear their stories, see what they are doing.

**Team Australia:** Wang Sang Lung, Showhey Matsui, Holly Ho-Yi Lam, Kelvin Lam and Wen Hui Wu are law students from UNSW and Sydney Uni and members of "Team Australia", which last December in Tokyo successfully defended its title from the Intercollegiate Negotiation and Arbitration Competition (INC). Competing in both English and Japanese, they again bested Japan's top universities, but made many friendships and learned much along the way. The Team is coordinated by the Australian Network for Japanese Law (ANJeL).

**Hugo Muecke:** Hugo was a first-year student at Sydney College of the Arts in 2007, when he went to study at Tokyo National University of Arts and Music as the first participant in the two colleges' exchange program. He kept a fascinating illustrated journal of his time there, and Japanese influences are reflected in his current work.

**Leanne and Naomi Shedlezki:** Their Match Box Projects are an extraordinarily ambitious effort to build new bridges between Japanese and Australian artists, and to get the public involved in both countries. The twins will tell us their story, and show us some of the work of the more than 70 artists who have contributed their work to the Project.

The Australia-Japan Society of NSW thanks TressCox Lawyers for hosting the function, and the Australia-Japan Foundation and the Federation of Australia-Japan Societies for their financial support.

**When:** Thursday, 22 May, 5.30 – 7.00 p.m.  
**Where:** TressCox Lawyers, 20F 135 King St, Sydney

Drinks and light refreshments will be served.

Admission is free, but you need to pre-register by providing your name and organisational affiliation no later than 16 May. Tel 9214 7410 or email [infonsw@austjapanfed.org.au](mailto:infonsw@austjapanfed.org.au)  
Registration will be acknowledged.



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