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***The song  
till the end***

**Laura Sheehan  
Solo Show**

Image: Laura Sheehan, *The Blue Camel*, 2016, work on paper, 34.5 x 38.5 cm

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Opening: Saturday 18 March 2017 | Exhibition: 18 March – 22 April 2017

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**Opening Saturday 18 March from 3pm to 5pm *The song till the end* is Laura Sheehan's first solo show at Arts Project Australia and explores aspects of Sheehan's personal experience alongside Sheehan's interest in the juxtaposition of fantasy and reality.**

Sheehan's vividly coloured images and bold compositions serve to transport viewers through a web of layered narratives by blurring distinctions between Sheehan's personal and phantasmic experiences, such as one particular work which combines maternal resonances with characters from the Muppets.

*The song till the end* presents Sheehan's unique ability to blend diverging subject matter into a holistic image and further highlights Sheehan's inspiration from both music and collected stills from research animation.

Sheehan has attended the Arts Project Australia studio since 2004 and has exhibited in numerous group shows including 'Open Windows', Box Hill Town Hall, Melbourne; 'Snapshot', ACGA Gallery, Federation Square, Melbourne; and 'Melbourne Art Fair', Royal Exhibition Building, Melbourne.

*The song till the end* will be opened by Lucy Feagins, founder and editor of *The Design Files*, and will coincide with the launch of *Home & the fabric of the familiar*, a group show that considers the concepts and materiality of home.

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## ARTS PROJECT AUSTRALIA

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### VENUE INFO & DATES

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**VENUE:** Arts Project Australia, 24 High St Northcote VIC 3070 Australia  
**OPENING:** Saturday 18 March, from 3–5pm  
**SPEAKER:** Lucy Feagins, founder and editor of The Design Files  
**DATES:** 18 March – 22 April 2017  
**TIMES:** Monday–Friday 9am–5pm, Saturday 10am–5pm  
**MORE INFO:** [www.artsproject.org.au](http://www.artsproject.org.au)  
**ENTRY:** FREE

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