

SHORT BIO

Hailing from the grit and grime of inner city Melbourne, renowned songwriter Cat Canteri intertwines bold electric slide guitar with poignant and poetic lyrics to create music that's both fragile and life affirming. With a disarming stage presence her songs document real life situations and experiences with a brave, personal and candid honesty. Her latest album 'Inner North' was described as "An impressive work of songwriting mastery" (The Music Below USA) and was nominated in The Age Music Victoria Awards for Best Folk/Roots Album. On her principal instrument, drum-kit, she's backed the likes of Kutcha Edwards, Vikki Thorn (The Waifs) and Mick Thomas (Weddings, Parties, Anything).

WATCH LIVE BAND

LISTEN: 2024 ALBUM PREVIEW



2014

Featured by Whispering Bob Harris, BBC Radio 2

"Canteri has strength and drive"

The Sydney Morning Herald

"Sensual, warm and a thing of real quality"

Americana UK



Featured on ABC The M

- ABC The Music Show
- ABC RN Drive

"Canteri knows the cradle of songwriting better than most... resolute electric guitar and smouldering vocals"

Rhythms Magazine



"An impressive work of songwriting mastery"

The Music Below USA

"A testament to hard work and a passion for writing"

The Age

Album of The Week ****

Sydney Morning Herald / JB Hi-Fi



INTERVIEW HIGHLIGHTS

- ABC RN Drive with Walled Allv
- ABC RN Drive Patricia Karvelas 2016/2018
- ABC 774 w. Brian Nankervas
- 3RRR Off The Record w. Brian Wise

PREVIOUS FESTIVAL APPEARANCES

- Dashville Skyline NSW 2018
- Port Fairy Folk Festival VIC 2016
- Melbourne Guitar Show VIC 2016 / 2018
- Cyanet Folk Festival TAS 2017 / 2023
- Newstead Live VIC 2014 / 2015 / 2017/ 2023
- Tablelands Folk Festival QLD 2016 / 2018
- Maldon Folk Festival VIC 2016 / 2018
- Bendigo Blues and Roots VIC 2016 / 2018
- Patchewollock Music Festival VIC 2016 / 2019
- Boolarra Folk Festival VIC 2016 / 2019
- Reservoir Stomp VIC 2018
- CresFest VIC 2023
- Yackandandah Folk Festival VIC 2023