Metropolis: Rotwang's Robot, Revolution and Redemption

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Abstract
The objects in the exhibition Metropolis: Rotwang's Robot, Revolution and Redemption started out as marketing material for the landmark 1927 film Metropolis, by German director Fritz Lang. In the intervening years they have evolved from commercial products into memorabilia and collectables - the works in this exhibition all come from the private collection of former Greens MP Michael Organ.

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A selection of memorabilia relating to Fritz Lang’s 1927 sci-fi fantasy film. From the collection of Michael Organ

To be officially opened by Dr Jon Cockburn
Lecturer in Design Theory, Faculty of Creative Arts, University of Wollongong

FRIDAY 30 NOVEMBER, 6 FOR 6.30PM
Refreshments available
Exhibition continues until 3 February 2013

SPECIAL EVENTS

METROPOLIS FILM SCREENING AND TALK BY MICHAEL ORGAN

Sunday 3 February 2013, 12.30pm
Fritz Lang’s Metropolis of 1927 presents the past, present and future in a Bauhaus-inspired film which brings together alchemy, technology, a robot, revolution, love and revenge in an unprecedented spectacle from Weimar Germany. Michael Organ will introduce the film and discuss its creation and ongoing influence. Free, all welcome

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