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Blinded by the Light: Science and Art at the Australian Synchrotron

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The Australian Synchrotron is a third generation light source located in Melbourne, Australia. Since coming into operation in 2007 it has captured the imagination and inspired scientist and the public alike. The wonders of technology and science of the nano-world explored by the x-ray beamlines and the power of high energy particles has also drawn in artists, eager to understand, interpret and represent in their own unique way the wonders of nature. This talk will give a history of the Australian Synchrotron, an overview of the current status and present some work from one of the artists in residence who has added new dimensions to Australia's largest science labs.

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