

# Victorian Community History Awards 2014

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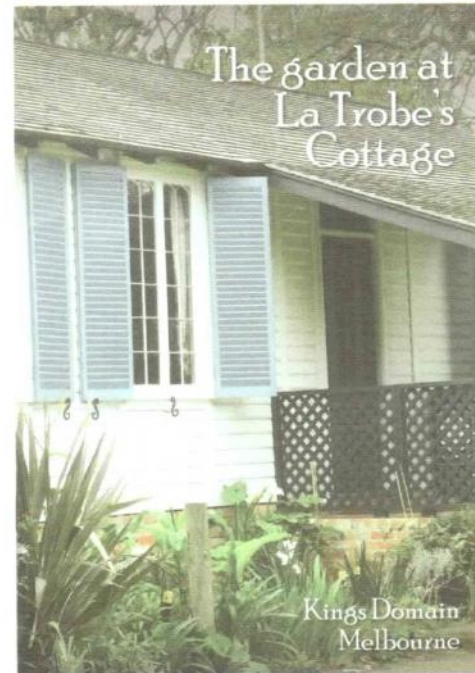
## Historical Interpretation Award

This award recognises unique formats of historical representation. Applicants are encouraged to submit history-related experiences told through physical exhibitions, artistic interpretation, history walks and tours.

***The garden at La Trobe's Cottage, Kings Domain, Melbourne***  
Friends of La Trobe's Cottage

This is an intriguing historical project - the recreation of the garden that surrounded Charles and Sophie La Trobe's Jolimont cottage 1839-1854.

While the cottage is not on its original site, contemporary paintings and references from written sources have been used to discover, and as closely as possible duplicate, the original plantings including a number of heritage species and garden features.



This entry is unique as it will continue to develop as the garden grows, and further contribute to our appreciation of mid-nineteenth century colonial gardens and the landscape around the cottage in the period in which it was inhabited by the La Trobe family.

### Commendations

***Coastal guide to nature and history Port Philip Bay***  
Graham Patterson  
Coastal Guide Books, Briar Hill, 2013

***Coranderrk: We Will Show the Country***  
Giordano Nanni and Andrea James  
Aboriginal Studies Press, Canberra, 2013

***A Way with the Fairies: the Lost Story of Sculptor Ola Cohn. An Autobiography***  
Barbara Lemon, editor  
R W Strugnell, Melbourne, 2014

***Art Behind the wire; the untold story of refugee families interned in Australia during the Second World War***  
Melinda Mockridge  
The Duldig Gallery Inc., Glen Iris, 2014