## CHRIS RAN LIN Fashion Designer

Born in China, Chris Ran Lin grew up surrounded by fashion: his mother was a dressmaker and his grandmother had expertise in the artistry of traditional Chinese craft. At 18 years old, Ran Lin immigrated to Melbourne, Australia where he studied fashion design at RMIT University. In 2013, the graduate launched his namesake menswear label in Melbourne with the unlimited potential of the knitted wool garment at its core. In 2016 and 2017, Chris Ran Lin was a regional finalist in the International Woolmark Prize representing Australia and New Zealand.

克里斯·拉恩·林出生于中国,在时尚的氛围中长大:他的母亲是裁缝,他的祖母具备中国传统工艺的专业知识。拉恩·林在18岁时移民到了澳大利亚墨尔本,在RMIT大学学习时装设计。2013年,他在毕业年发布了他的同名男装品牌,其品牌核心是无限潜力的针织羊毛服饰。2016年和2017年,克里斯·拉恩·林代表澳大利亚入围国际羊毛标志大奖(International Woolmark Prize)的决赛。

"I have a Chinese background and came to Australia about 13 years ago with my family to go to university and start a new journey. I guess this has built up my own aesthetic; people can see a little bit of an eastern cultural influence. Through my involvement in fashion, I travel regularly to China for sourcing and attending fashion week as an Australian-Chinese designer, so it's become a bridge between."

"我有中国背景,大约13年前和家人来到澳大利亚上大学,开始新的旅程。我想这时,已经建 立起我自己的审美,人们可以看到一些东方文化的影响。通过在时装行业的从事,我经常出差 到中国,作为华裔澳大利亚设计师进行采购并参加时装周,也可称之为中澳之间的一座桥梁。"







"I think wool is one of the most luxurious materials known, and as a designer based in Australia, I think using the local product is the most wonderful thing."

"我认为羊毛是现金最奢华的纤维之一,作为扎根于澳大利亚的设计师,我认 为使用本土出产的纤维是最美妙的事情。"

