

#### PRESS RELEASE

### **BEACON\_TRANSITIONS**

Although Beaconsfield is now closed to the public until further notice, we continue to maintain a space of cultural exchange through BEACON\_TRANSITIONS (B\_T) – our innovative online portal.

# **BEACON\_TRANSITIONS (B\_T) is a threshold space.**

Responding to the uncertain future of exhibition culture, Beaconsfield invites artists to hold the space between physical and virtual sites in a new series of experimental commissions: 'Lock up your libraries if you like; but there is no lock, no bolt that you can set upon the freedom of the mind'<sup>1</sup>.

Beacon\_Transitions is made possible by DMS Cultural Recovery Fund, Art Council England's Emergency Response Fund and Lambeth's Arts and Culture at Risk Fund.



#### B\_T6: Jin Han Lee, Extended Realities

**Jin Han Lee** takes up residence in Beaconsfield's Upper Gallery space to make new paintings and—in the same time frame—explore the possibilities offered by immersive online environments in creative collaboration with artsXR.

Please visit B\_T6: Extended Realities here:

https://beaconsfield.ltd.uk/projects/jin-han-lee-with-artsxr/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Virginia Woolf, *A Room of One's Own* (Harmonsworth: Penguin 1928), 76.

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## B\_T5: Ioana Marinescu, Past Present



**Ioana Marinescu** in residence to experiment with site specific performances exploring erasure and power.

Please visit B\_T5: Past Present here:

https://beaconsfield.ltd.uk/projects/b\_t5-ioana-marinescu-pastpresent/



# B\_T4: Shahin Entezami aka Tegh, SINK

**Shahin Entezami** responds from Tehran to Beaconsfield's conceptual space with a sound composition available from 26 March and limited edition vinyl from May 2021.

Please visit B\_T4: SINK here:

https://beaconsfield.ltd.uk/projects/b\_t4-sink/

## B\_T3: Andrew Pierre Hart, 1:1 exchange w/Andrew Hart



**Andrew Pierre Hart** occupies the physical Upper Gallery space with a decolonising agenda: in residence from 18 February–21 March, reporting In Real Life with guests Serena Huang, Shabaka Hutchings, Kanika Carr and Tic Zogson: online now.

Please visit B\_T3: 1:1 exchange w/Andrew Hart here: https://beaconsfield.ltd.uk/projects/bt3-11-exchange-w-andrew-hart/



# B\_T2: Monika Oechsler, Sometimes I Dream

Monika Oechsler explores psychological space, making uncanny audiovisual reference to the current pandemic: online now Please visit B\_T2: Sometimes I Dream here: https://beaconsfield.ltd.uk/projects/sometimes-i-dream/

# B\_T1: Simon Tyszko & A.D. Crawforth, Freedom of the Mind



Simon Tyszko & A.D. Crawforth cast a surveilling eye from beyond the physical space, opening up a portal animated by a changing virtual montage: online now Please visit B\_T1: Freedom of the Mind here: https://beaconsfield.ltd.uk/projects/beacon\_transitions/

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