

QUARANTINE

THE QUESTIONS

The Questions is a three-part project that creates intergenerational encounters through performance, conversation and cultural exchange. Unfolding on different scales – from intimate conversations in a library, to a durational performance presented in a gallery – **Quarantine** create a series of structures for sharing. The project continues **Quarantine's** exploration of diverse approaches to mass portraiture and creating situations for assembly between people who might not otherwise meet.

Building of spines

In **Building of spines**, hosted in libraries, a book is handmade over 7 days in response to conversations with library users. It then enters the library's collection, an alternative portrait of the library, the people who use it and the knowledge it holds.

Would Like To Meet

Would Like To Meet brings together 5 pairs of artists with an age gap of at least 20 years, and through a collaborative residency, asks what questions they might have for each other.

Telescope

Telescope is a durational performance work, designed to unfold in a public gallery space. People from different generations – on the cusp of adulthood and in the last chapters of their life – are invited to temporarily trust us with their most precious things, displayed in a constantly evolving and shifting exhibition. As part of the performance, the lender joins a performer-host in conversation, using a set of questions as a means of creating a live portrait of each individual. We'll ask each person what they might teach us.

Each strand of **The Questions** is available for presentation on its own or in tandem with either or both of the other two strands. Like all of our work, it involves a collaborative and co-creative relationship with presenting partners and their local communities.

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