

On Landscape #1 Sightseeing Tour Hackney

Guest Projects, 1 Andrews Road, London E8 4QL 30 March, 3-5pm

A Sightseeing Tour, led by visual artist Minna Pöllänen, focuses on the landscape surrounding Guest Projects through architecture, history, biodiversity and art, as well as through various exercises in listening, looking and touching.

Web links relating to the tour:

-Hackney facts & figures leaflet: http://www.hackney.gov.uk/Assets/Documents/Facts-and-Figures.pdf

-Hackney Council page about local biodiversity: http://www.hackney.gov.uk/biodiversity.htm#.U3lvsHT8mJ4

-Hackney environmental fact sheet (Environment Agency): http://test.environment-agency.gov.uk/static/documents/Research/Hackney_2011.pdf

-Hackney Biodiversity Action Plan: http://www.hackney.gov.uk/Assets/Documents/BAP-2012-2017.pdf

-Sustainable Hackney website: http://sustainablehackney.org.uk/issues/biodiversity

-Fugitive Images website: http://www.fugitiveimages.org.uk

-Timeline and brief history of Regent's Canal: http://www.canalmuseum.org.uk/history/regents.htm

-Regent's Canal Conservation Area Appraisal: http://www.hackney.gov.uk/Assets/Documents/ep-regents-canal-caa.pdf

-Regent's Canal on Canal and River Trust's website: http://canalrivertrust.org.uk/canals-and-rivers/regents-canal

-Friends of Regent's Canal: http://www.friendsofregentscanal.org

Minna Pöllänen is a Finnish artist living and working in London and Helsinki. Her photographs and sitespecific work have recently been shown in Brooklyn Bridge Park and in A.I.R Gallery in New York (2013), Place Des Arts and Galerie Les Territoires in Montreal (2012), The Photographers' Gallery in London (2012), Format Festival in Derby (2013), Mänttä Art Festival in Mänttä (2013), Helsinki Kunsthalle (2011), The Finnish Museum of Photography (2013) and Gallery Hippolyte in Helsinki (2012). For more info: www.minnapollanen.com

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