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The original concept for SHELTER formed in 2019, when the world had a more recognizable rhythm and there was the illusion of order and familiar expectations.

Then everything was thrown off its axis by a global, relentless pandemic and the notion of "shelter" took on a far more wide reaching concern.

Shelter became not simply a noun but a verb, and an emotional and psychological state of being. The reality of shelter moved to the forefront as a critical concern for everyone, regardless of location, or economic circumstances, or convenience. And of course shelter has always been a fundamental survival concern for the animals, birds, insects, reptiles, and organisms living on this planet with humans.

It was in this new world that the 17 artists participating in SHELTER developed work that addressed every aspect of the concept of shelter; environmental concerns, psychological states of being, and reconfigured actual structures.

Each and every artwork is beautiful, full of integrity and purpose, and without exception offers a generous moment of shelter.

Melinda Stickney-Gibson Curator June 2022

<u>Artists</u>

dan **DEVINE** erika **DEVRIES** stuart FARMERY tristan **FITCH** mimi **GRAMINSKI** jared HANDELSMAN wendy **KLEMPERER** ian LAUGHLIN alison **MCNULTY** eileen M. POWER christina **TENAGLIA** julian luca ROSE suzy SURECK michael ASBILL + michael FORTENBERRY jan HARRISON + alan BAER HUDSON VALLEY BEE HABITAT

STRANDED 2022 white portland cement 35 x 46 x 22 inches



Dan Devine



"homesick" 2022 neon glass tubes

English 24 x 9", Japanese 24 x 7", Ukrainian 24 x 28", Spanish 28 x 8"



Erika DeVries

TIME APART 1994 wood 34 × 233 × 48"



Stuart Farmery

SPACE 3-3D 2022 artist milled pine, pine tar and linseed oil 60 x 60 x 40"



Tristan Fitch

REMEMBRANCE 2022 found fallen logs and applied lace stencils dimensions variable



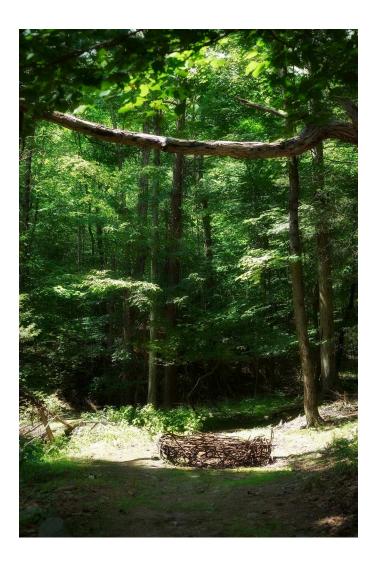
Mimi Graminski

BOUND ROCKS 2022 rock, metal wire 18 x 18 x 7", 17 x 17 x7", 20 x 9 x 7"



Jared Handelsman

NEST #6 2022 salvaged steel 30 x 72 x 72"



Wendy Klemperer

TREETOP DINER

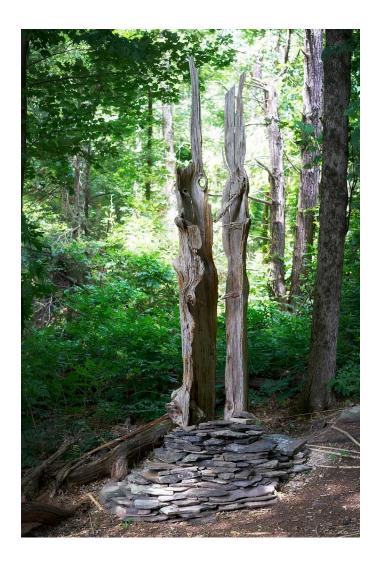
2021 C19 salvaged hemlock, nesting material, trail cam dimensions variable





Ian Laughlin

Untitled 2022 ash tree phloem, quarried Woodstock, NY bluestone, soil dimensions variable (approx. 10 feet high)



Alison McNulty

A ROOM OF ONE'S OWN 2022 apple ladders, red dress 14 x 6



Eileen M. Power

FILLS AND EMPTIES 2022 clapboard siding, pine and hemlock, paint and screws $36 \times 75.5 \times 71$ "



Christina Tenaglia

"When my hand told tales. Motionless by the rosebush." \$2022\$ ash slab, driftwood, colored inks $6 \times 10 \times 2^{\circ}$



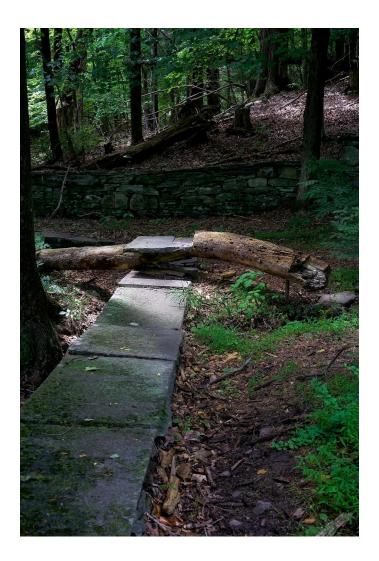
Julian Luca Rose

UpROOT

2022 cut roots, solar light, etched plexiglass created within an original existing shrine structure dimensions variable



Suzy Sureck

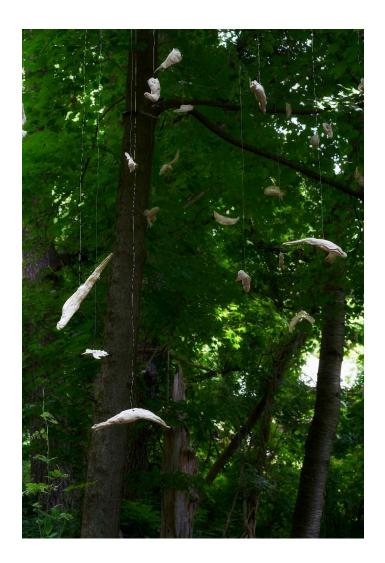


ENCROACHMENT

2022 materials foraged from the exhibition site dimensions variable



Michael Asbill + Michael Fortenberry



CREATURES IN THE CANOPY

2022 porcelain sculptures, wire, cables, related hardware dimensions variable



Jan Harrison + Alan Baer

SOLITARY BEE HABITAT (Butterfly on Dahlia) wood, stainless steel, reeds 18 x 40 x 18"



Hudson Valley Bee Habitat



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