



May 10 Collectivity & Care

2023

Image: Sabrina Fuller, A disorderly paradise, 2020

Feminist Duration Reading Group

Session organized by Sabrina Fuller, Taey Iohe, Katrin Locke, Helena Reckitt & Dot Zhihan in partnership with Eastside Projects

Readings by Johanna Hedva, Maria Puig De La Bellacasa, Tabita Rezaire



Today's FDRG Session is facilitated by



Bori, Dot, Helena, Katrin, Sabrina, Taey

Brief Introductions in Chat

- Your Name
- Your Pronoun
- Current Location
- Reasons for joining today's session?

About

The Feminist Duration Reading Group (FDRG) focuses on under-known and under-appreciated feminist texts, movements and struggles from outside the Anglo-American canon. The group has developed a practice of reading out loud, together, one paragraph at a time, with the aim of creating a sense of connection and intimacy during meetings.



Carla Lonzi translation afternoon, private home in Bethnal Green, London, 2018



Women Acting Collectively, AntiUniversity, London, 2018 session organized by Sabrina Fuller

The group was established in March 2015 by Helena Reckitt, at Goldsmiths, University of London, to explore texts from the Italian feminist movement of the 1970s and 1980s. Later in 2015 it relocated to SPACE in Hackney, East London where it was hosted by Persilia Caton until April 2019. From June 2019 to February 2020 the group held a residency at the South London Gallery focused on intersectional feminisms in the UK context (a planned year-long programme that was moved online due to COVID-19).

CEED Feminisms: Central Eastern European and Diasporic Feminisms, with Cell Projects Space, London

CEED
feminisms



Intergenerational Feminist Transmission and Exchange; Working across and acknowledging differences



Sep 30 Kyla Wazana
Tompkins: The Recurring
Trauma of
Intergenerational Queer-
Feminist Life

THURS 30 SEPT, 7PM UK TIME



Nov 26 Juliet Jacques:
Forms of Resistance in
Trans Life Writing

2020

THURS 26 NOV, 7-9PM GMT



Nov 30 The Woman, The
Orphan, and The Tiger , dir.
Jane Jin Kaisen

2019

SAT NOV 30TH, 3PM-5PM



Dec 11 Joan Anim-Addo:
Activist-mothers maybe,
sisters surely?

2019

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Dec 2 Jasleen Kaur & Raju
Rage: Teflon and
Resistance

2021



Jan 14 Nothing Worth
Doing is Done Alone: On
Friendship and Feminist
Organising

2021



Jun 20 Masculinities: Eli
Clare, Stones in my
pockets, stones in my
heart

2020

Artists, Writers & Collectives

Sessions have been dedicated to texts and artworks including those by Naadje Al-Aali, Joan Anim-Addo, Floya Anthias and Nira Yuval-Davis, Gloria Anzaldúa, Margot Badran, Khairani Barokka, Chiai Bonfiglioli, Anne Boyer, Brixton Black Women's Group, Wilmette Brown, Octavia Butler, Sakine Cansiz, Hazel V Carby, Adriana Cavarero, Teresa Hak Kyung Cha, Anne Anlin Cheng, Barbara Christian, Lia Cigarini, Eli Clare, Lauren Craig, Galit Criden, Mariarosa Dalla Costa

Olivia Guaraldo, bell hooks, Juliet Jacques, Marie Elizabeth Johnson, Jane Jin Kaisen, Jasleen Kaur, AE Kings, Larissa Lai, Teresa de Lauretis, Clarice Lispector, Carla Lonzi, Fereil Ben Mahoud, Alex Martinis Roe, Lea Melandri, Fatema Mernissi, Milan Women's Bookshop Collective, Trinh T Minh-ha, Adriana Monti, Jet Moon, Antonella Nappi, Astrida Neimanis, Jacqueline Hoàng Nguyen, Abdullah Ocalan, Sue O'Sullivan, Cecilia Palmeiro, Queer Beograd, Raju Rage, Claudia Rankine, Rivolta Femminile, Lucia Egana Rojas, Sasha Roseneil, Gail Rubin,

Suzanne Santoro, Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, Rhea Storr, Latif Tas, Miriam Ticktin, Tiqqun, Nafu Wang, Kyla Wazana Tompkins, Vron Ware, Wages Due Lesbians, Wages for Housework, Linda Zerilli.

Working Group

FDRG sessions are initiated by a Working Group. Current members are Beth Bramich, Sabrina Fuller, Taey Iohe, Helena Reckitt, and Dot Zhihan.

Support Group

Activities are supported by a Support Group comprising former Working Group members Giulia Antonioli, Angelica Bollettinari, Lina Džuverović, Lily Evans-Hill, Mariana Lemos, Katrin Lock, Sara Paiola, and Ehryn Torrell.



Mapping Togetherness and Future Feminisms, Part 1 of 2 sessions led by Galit Criden and Taey Iohe, Nov 2021

Future FDRG Sessions



Jun 17 Jamila Prowse:
What Care and Access
Mean to Me

2023

SAT 17 JUNE 3-5PM

STUDIO VOLTAIRE, LONDON SW4



May 27 Jane Jin Kaisen:
Community of Parting

2023

SAT 27 MAY 4.30 - 6.30PM

TATE MODERN, LONDON SE1

IN PERSON

Sunday 2 July

IN PERSON: Lauren Craig, Desire
Lines 2, Writing Workshop
Goldsmiths CCA, London

Sunday 16 July

IN PERSON: Ximena Alarcon and
Irene Revell: Deep Listening & Sonic
Feminisms
Goldsmiths CCA, London

Past sessions including readings and podcasts

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To join mailing list, mail feministduration@gmail.com

feminist duration reading group



May 4 CEED Feminisms:
Art Practices and British
Central Eastern European
Diaspora Research Group

2023

THURS 4 MAY, 6.30PM-8PM

CELL PROJECT SPACE, LONDON E2

IN PERSON

LED BY JESSIE KRISH WITH SABRINA FULLER, ADOMAS
NARKEVICIUS & HELENA RECKITT



Mar 18 Kiila/The Wedge:
Archive-as-Artwork

2023

SAT 18 MARCH 2-4PM

THE SHOWROOM, LONDON NW8

IN PERSON

LED BY OANA DAMIR, SABRINA FULLER, & MINNA
HENRIKSSON



Jan 28 Letters to the
Future

2023

SAT 28 JANUARY, 2-5PM

ADVOCACY ACADEMY, BRIXTON, LONDON SW9

IN PERSON

A COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF FEMINIST
CONVERSATIONS

ORGANISED BY MADDY COSTA, DIANA DAMIAN, SABRINA
FULLER, MARY PATERSON, & HELENA RECKITT



Dec 14 Sleepless with Leah
Clements & Jenn
Ashworth



Dec 7 Iran Protests -
Women, Life, Freedom



Nov 21 Kinetic Readings of
Carolee Schneemann's
Body Politics

Readings

In Breakout Groups

- Johanna Hedva, *Sick Woman Theory*, in *Mask*, 2016
- Maria Puig de la Bellacasa, 'Thinking with Care,' in *Matters of Care: Speculative Ethics in More Than Human Worlds*, 2017
- Tabita Rezaire, 'Decolonial Healing*: In Defense of Spiritual Technologies,' in *The SAGE Handbook of Media and Migration*, 2019

- . You will soon be placed in a breakout group where you will read selections from the three texts.
- . **8.30pm** We will return to main group to share insights from our smaller groups.

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