

GUILLAUME ADJUTOR PROVOST

News from nowhere Géographies Variables

Lab

Web residency	5@7 opening

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from April 18th to June 2 2013

Thursday May 30th

www.guillaumeadjutorprovost.com

On Thursday May 30th 2013, starting at 17h, LA CHAMBRE BLANCHE invites you to the opening of the web residency of Montreal artist Guillaume Adjutor Provost. Welcomed within the framework of the exchange program France-Quebec, Géographies Variables, Provost will present his video work *News from nowhere* (1890-2013), that will be then hosted on LA CHAMBRE BLANCHE's web site.

Interdisciplinary artist, researcher and curator, Guillaume Adjutor Provost positions his work somewhere between visual arts, design and writing in order to allow the emergence of new configurations. His various projects question as much autonomous objects and their multiple representation forms; as the spatial and institutional context within which they come into being. In this sense, the artist broaches art practice as a moving object that appears only through its fluidity of passage from one state to another.

News from nowhere (1890-2013), video work created during the artist's Lab Web residency, arises as a cyclic construction based on the structure of William Morris' eponym tale – a futurist fiction that will later inspire the Arts&Crafts movement in Britain. Here, we roam between the desire to maintain a know-how territory through the study of ancient Quebec pottery, paired with an archeological expediation in Soli – on the isle of Cyprus – in 1974.

Guillaume Adjutor Provost is currently following up doctoral studies at the School of Visual and Media Arts at University of Quebec in Montreal. His research revolves around the modular role of curatorial practices and artists-curators. Recipient of bursaries from Conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec, Première Ovation and a scholarship from Hydro-Québec, he presented his work during solo and collective exhibitions in Quebec, Ontario, USA, Belgium, Germany and France.

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