# SITE GALLERY

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## SITE GALLERY RE-OPENS TO THE PUBLIC WITH DOCFEST EXHIBITION HERE IN THIS ROOM / IN POSSE



- Site Gallery re-opens to the public on 4 June.
- Opening exhibition is *Here in This Room / In Posse* for Sheffield DocFest.
- Timed tickets must be booked in advance here.

Sheffield's contemporary art space, Site Gallery, will re-open to the public on 4 June after closing its doors last year. The opening exhibition is part of Sheffield DocFest's Art Programme, *Here in This Room* and co-commission *In Posse*.

Entry remains free for everyone, but you must book a timed ticket before visiting to ensure the safety of Site's visitors, volunteers and staff. <u>Book a ticket for Here in This Room / In Posse through DocFest's website</u> and find out more about <u>Site Gallery's new Covid-safety measures</u> here.

### HERE IN THIS ROOM / IN POSSE

*Here in This Room* is a group exhibition at Site Gallery, <u>S1 Artspace</u> and on Sheffield DocFest's <u>Online Exhibitions Platform</u>.

The exhibition looks at the different ways that artists have experienced domestic spaces. Curated by Sheffield DocFest Arts Programme Curator Herb Shellenberger, *Here in This Room* features works across different artforms including moving image, installation, mixed media, sound and performance. Artists featured in the Site Gallery exhibition include Anuj Malhotra, Basir Mahmood, Bassam Al-Sabah, Heesoo Kwon, Julie Ramage and Séamus Harahan.



Image: Charlotte Jarvis, In Posse

Co-commission from Sheffield DocFest and Site Gallery, *In Posse*, is a new installation by artist Charlotte Jarvis that documents a quest she took to make semen from 'female' cells. Whilst developing this multifaceted work across multiple years, countries, collaborations, Jarvis has been pregnant, experienced labour and become a mother. This iteration of the work is Jarvis' attempt to reconcile these experiences with the process of making the project.

### **OPENING TIMES**

Monday Closed

Tuesday 10am-6pm
Wednesday 10am-6pm
Thursday 10am-6pm
Friday 10am-6pm
Saturday 10am-6pm
Sunday 10am-4pm

### **ENDS**

For more information, images or interviews please contact Rosie Thompson at Site Gallery on <a href="mailto:rosie.thompson@sitegallery.org">rosie.thompson@sitegallery.org</a>.

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#### **ABOUT SITE GALLERY**

Site Gallery is Sheffield's contemporary art space specialising in new media, moving image and performance. Pioneering emerging art practices and ideas, Site works in partnership with local, regional and international collaborators to nurture artistic talent and support the development of contemporary art.

Site Gallery is an Arts Council National Portfolio Organisation with revenue funding from Sheffield City Council.

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