

This week we are thrilled to invite you to the virtual opening of the [Thinking Food Futures Exhibition](#) on Friday, Jan. 22 at 6pm EST. For those of you who were unable to attend the Thinking Food Symposium, you can access all the videos of the workshops and talks [here](#) on Jan 22.

Attention artists! There is one week left to submit a mural proposal for the [NYC Health + Hospital's Arts in Medicine Program](#). Deadline January 29.

Find out about the history and intentions of the Community Murals Project / Arts in Medicine program in this [recorded presentation](#) by **Rick Luftglass** (Executive Director of the Laurie M. Tisch Illumination Fund) and **Linh Dang** (Senior Director of Health + Hospital's Arts in Medicine). In 2019, nine artists led the process to develop murals in seven New York City Health + Hospitals facilities. In 2020, the project expanded to reach every hospital and long-term care facility in the Health + Hospital system, making it the country's largest public hospital murals project since the WPA. Check out the murals [here](#)!

UPCOMING

Thinking Food Futures Virtual Exhibition Opening



Location: Virtual Event

Date: Friday, Jan 22nd 2021

Curated by **Livia Alexander** and **Isin Öno1**

Curatorial Assistant: **Chayna Yoshida**

Interactive website design: **Julian Mathews**

Residency Unlimited (RU) announces the opening of Thinking Food Futures Exhibition, with new works by the 2020 Food Futures artists **Esra Durukan**, **Yoko Inoue**, **Siri Lee**, **Rosa Nussbaum**, **Lily Consuelo Saporta Tagiuri**, **Andrew Vigil-Emerson** and **Allie Wist**, as well as recent works by **Asunción Molinos**, **Jessica Segall** and **Candace Thompson**.

This project builds upon the thematic residency **Food Futures** which took place from April through July 2020 with seven local artists selected through open call and a panel process to reimagine issues around food resilience in urban environments and food justice.

In addition to the exhibition opening, all video recordings will be available of the Thinking Food Futures Symposium sessions that took place on Dec. 12 and 13, 2020. Access the videos [here](#) on Jan. 22!

RU Community News

Incoming RU 2021 artist Sandra Charles ([Great Meadows Foundation](#) awardee) is participating in the current online group show “[The Art of Being Black: Conversation and Experience](#)” at The Art Center of the Bluegrass. This show came about in response to the protests for racial justice that took place this spring across the

country – and in Danville. Artists from throughout Kentucky have shared their artistic interpretations in the hopes of encouraging community dialogue and self reflection.

Incoming RU 2021 Slovenian artist Nika Ham's solo exhibition [Morgen](#) is on view at P74 Gallery (Ljubljana, Slovenia). Recipient of the [2020 YVAA/OHO Group Award](#) (made possible by Trust for Mutual Understanding), Nika's practice incorporates surveillance systems by taking advantage of the moment in which she is observed to perform, placing the invisible observer in the role of spectator and making it clear that she knows she is being watched. For this new work, Nika modifies her approach to self-observation with a spatial installation of videos where she films herself, with her phone, in the privacy of her room documenting her daily practice of yoga. Video (Trailer): [Nika Ham](#)

We are pleased to announce the launch of [WORLDING](#), an invitation-based artist residency & project space at Elephant and Castle in London. Co-founded by two RU Alum — the curator [Joana Neves](#) and the artist [Diogo Pimentão](#) — Wordling will offer a safe haven/studio residency program focused on drawing practices.

RU Recommends

Applications are now being accepted for the Anderson Center's Jerome Emerging Artist Residency Program which offers month-long residency-fellowships in August 2021 to a cohort of early-career artists from Minnesota or one of the five boroughs of New York City for concentrated, uninterrupted creative time to advance their personal artistic goals and projects. Thanks to support from the Jerome Foundation, five artists will each receive \$625/week honoraria, a travel stipend, and more.

Application deadline is Feb. 15, 2021

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