

Irvine Fine Arts Center presents:



Near

Sophia Allison, Sarah Dougherty, Brittany Mojo

November 21, 2015 - January 23, 2016

Reception:

Saturday, November 21, 4-6 p.m.

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Free admission

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Near offers a look at art practices driven by artists' physical and emotional interactions with their immediate surroundings, from common everyday objects to landscapes and domestic spaces. The exhibition showcases ceramics, drawing, painting, mixed media and installation.

Sophia Allison's notable exhibitions include the Los Angeles International Airport, the Craft and Folk Art Museum, the Torrance Art Museum, as well as international venues. Allison's work has received favorable reviews in the *Los Angeles Times*, *Artillery Magazine*, *MAKE Magazine* and *ArtScene*. She holds a MFA from the University of Wisconsin, Madison, and lives and works in Los Angeles.

Sarah Dougherty has taught at institutions throughout the U.S. and abroad, including the Watts House Project in Los Angeles. Her work has been published in *Graphite* and *New American Paintings* and has been exhibited throughout Southern California and internationally. Dougherty holds a MFA from UCLA and is currently a Ph.D. candidate at the Postnational Department of Transcultural Youth. She lives in Los Angeles and teaches at the Johnston Center for Integrative Studies at the University of Redlands.

Brittany Mojo has exhibited throughout Southern California and internationally and recently had her work published in *New American Paintings*. She is a MFA candidate at UCLA and has received multiple arts scholarships. She lives and works in Los Angeles.

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LOCATION:

Irvine Fine Arts Center, Heritage Park
14321 Yale Ave, Irvine

HOURS:

Monday - Thursday: 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Friday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Closed on Sundays

Admission, parking and opening reception are free.

For more information, please visit
irvinefinearts.org or call 949-724-6880.

Shown on reverse: *Home Is Medicine* (detail), Sarah Dougherty, 2013
Watercolor and oil on paper, 103 x 92 inches.

