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A Blue Dark

Ink Drawings by Fritz Horstman

Poetry and Translations by Fiona Sze-Lorrain

June 1 through September 7, 2019

Opening reception June 1, 3-6 pm,

Readings by Fritz Horstman and Fiona Sze-Lorrain from 5-6 pm.

For further information and press inquiries please contact Gallery@Institutelibrary.org

The Gallery Upstairs at the Institute Library is proud to present our summer show **A Blue Dark**. In this exhibition, Connecticut-based visual artist **Fritz Horstman** collaborates with Paris-based poet, translator, and zheng harpist **Fiona Sze-Lorrain** to explore a cross-genre range of textual/non-textual responses to the presence of a luminous dark. Both artists meditate on its changing physicality, materiality, space, emotions, images, meanings, and music by dialoguing with each other's work—ink drawings, poetry, and translation—inspired by the complexity of black, gray, and white, as well as their fluid mysteries of *being*.

A limited-edition catalogue featuring the work of Horstman and Sze-Lorrain will be published on this occasion and made available for sale at the Library.

More about Fritz here: www.fritzhorstman.com

More about Fiona here: www.fionasze.com

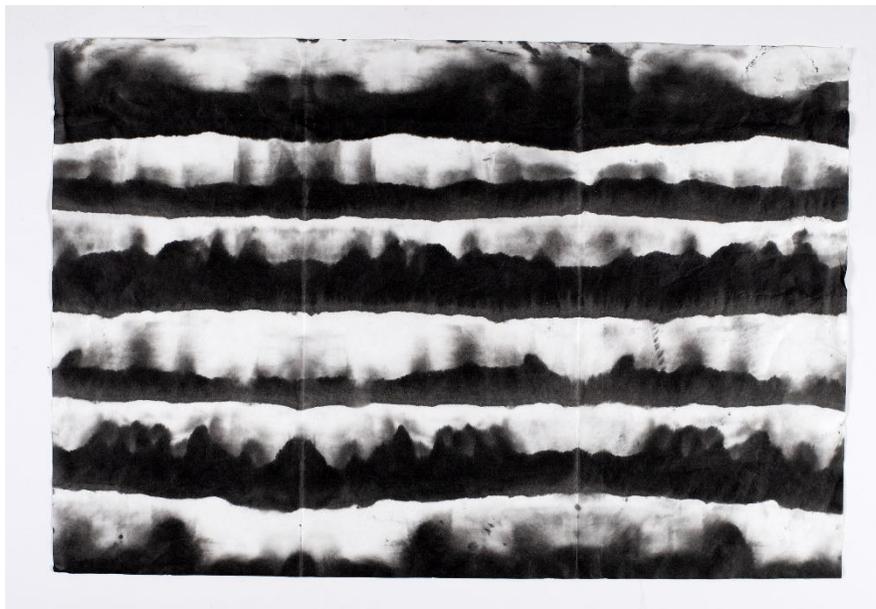


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Folds and Ink

Fritz Horstman

2018

Sumi ink on paper

12 x 18"