



# FORBIDDEN IMAGE SYNOPSIS WINTER

Gathering 2022

exploring possibilities  
of how to live + work  
closer to nature + the  
land / we give space to  
collectively gather +  
exchange / themes of  
isolation,  
displacement,  
hospitality + planetary  
responsibility / we are  
a network engaging  
with the local  
surroundings in  
Lesvos + supporting  
cultural practices in  
peripheral areas,  
whilst staying  
connected to  
urban-lives

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## HERMITAGE SYKAMINEA GATHERING

Wednesday 16 - Tuesday 22 March 2022

OPEN PUBLIC PROGRAM:

21 March / 15-22:00 - 22 March / 12-16:00

at ERGO Collective, Egiidon 31, Athens

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Emerging out of the Hermitage Sykaminea (HS) Summer Programmes, the Gathering collectively explored possibilities of how to live and work in supportive communities in non-urban areas of Lesvos and beyond.

From Wednesday 16 - Tuesday 22 March 2022, Onassis AiR and ERGO Collective hosted the collaboration with the HS in a series of events, put together by previous residency participants and newcomers.

Through a practice of collective investigation, the Gathering gave space to share, gather and develop experiences and knowledges on how to live and work closer to nature, and the land. Focusing on themes of isolation, displacement, hospitality and planetary responsibility, it questioned forms of organisation, financing, how to work with commons and connect to neighbouring communities. The Gathering has been an opportunity to build a supportive, nourishing and long-standing network which engages with the local surroundings of Lesvos and similar areas, whilst staying connected to urban-lives.



# PUBLIC PROGRAMME

Monday 21st March

11:00am Preparation public programme  
(set up exhibition)

3:00pm Opening public programme  
(Ergo Collective)

5:00pm Talk with Leonardo Ruvolo  
(introducing the Green Code Farm)

7:00pm Panel discussion: Islands  
(panel: Efi Latsoudi, Dimitris Theodoropoulos,  
Panagiotis Tzannetakis)

Tuesday 22nd March

11:00am Collective photo  
(Tomás Eyzaguirre)

12:00pm Discussion/performance: Diaspora  
(Lucy Stein, Maria Christoforidou)





# INTERNAL PROGRAMME

Wednesday 16th March

5:00pm Group introduction walk  
(Walter Götsch)

6:00pm Collective photo  
(Tomás Eyzaguirre)

9:00pm Dinner event

Thursday 17th March

11:00am Workshop: collective learning processes  
(Eliana Otta and Maria Byck)

4:00pm Panel discussion:  
Self organized collectives  
(panel: Petros Lolis, Electra Karatza,  
Andreas Sell)

10:00pm Film screening and discussion: Slope  
(Fani Bitou)

Friday 18th March

11:00am Workshop: Relaxation and drawing  
(Maria Christoforidou)

4:00pm Decision making Poster game

(Leslie Lawrence, Léo Ravy)  
10:00pm Film screening:  
Story telling for earthly survival  
(Donna Haraway)

Saturday 19th March

11:00am Community architecture workshop  
(Dimitris Theodoropoulos, Andreas Sell)

11:00am Print workshop  
(Dolce Publishing)

5:00pm Project presentation: Metaspora  
- Collective Countryside  
(Anna Housiada)

6:00pm Workshop: Felt making  
(Julie Loi)

Sunday 20th March

10:00am Excursion: Duncan Dance Center  
- introduction of the space  
(Dimitris Theodoropoulos)

3:00pm Public Dinner preparation (Khora)

9:00pm Dinner Event (Khora)

