RE-VIEWING THE GAZE

Fine Art Catalogue

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GENDER SEX SEXUALITY

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For this exhibition, the viewer is invited to walk around the exhibit and view each piece of imagery and attempt to recognise what the artwork presents in terms of Gender, Sex, and Sexuality. Does the artwork present these concepts as distinct from one another, blend into one another, or act as synonymous to one another?

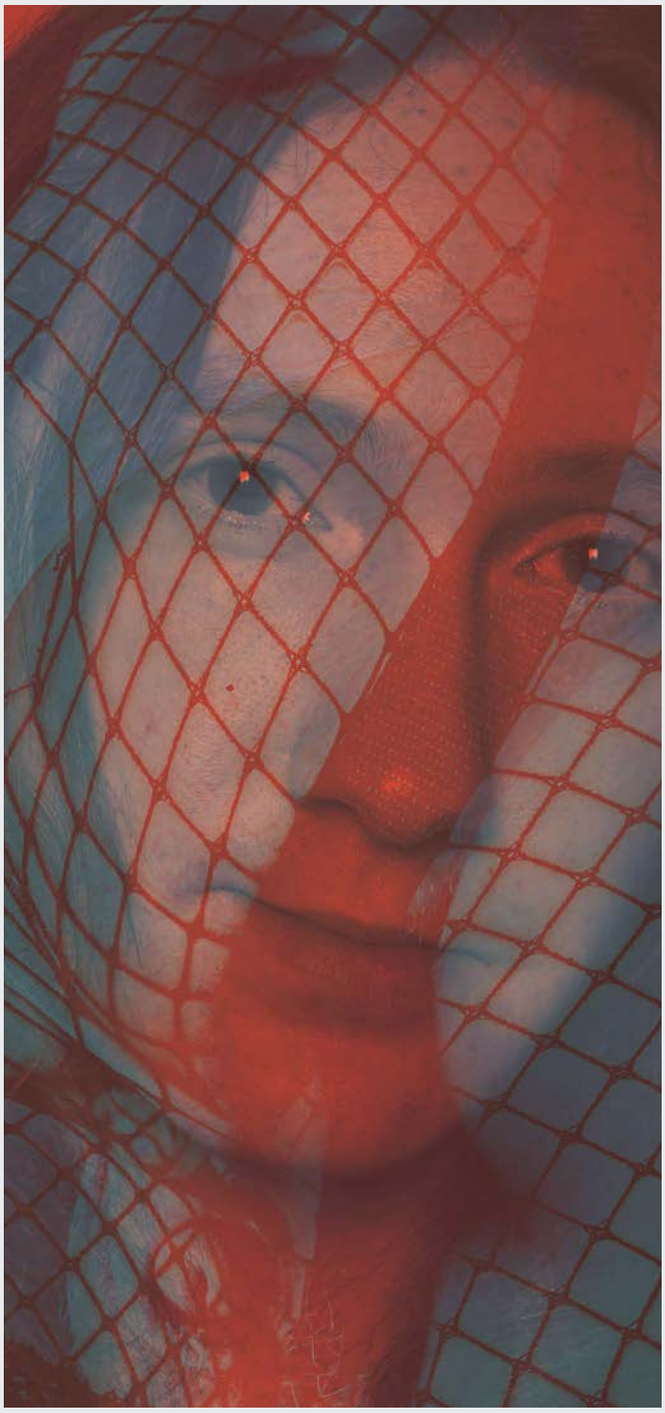
After this, the spectator is again invited to view the exhibit, but now with the red-tinted eyewear provided and view the artwork in a new perspective. Does anything new become apparent, does the conversation around the distinctiveness or synonymous nature of Gender, Sex, and Sexuality become clearer or less so?

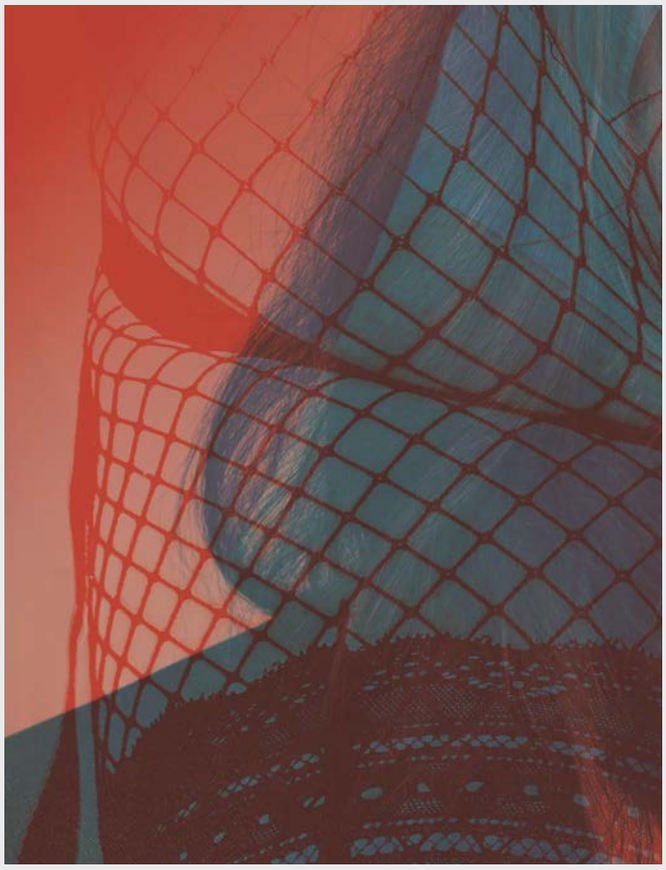
It is the hope of this exhibition that through the fundamental participation of the viewer, new discussions can be had not just about how we see Gender, Sex, and Sexuality but upon how we can reflect on how we contextualise what we see in general. Exposing the often over-simplified nature of social discourse which inevitably leads to exclusion, discrimination and spread of misinformation, and disinformation.

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality.

Sexuality is the human sexual expression of a person's sex, gender, and sexual orientation, and includes sexual behaviors, preferences, and identities. Although we observe only two distinctive sex categories, Male, and Female, sex is a complex biological system where individuals do not fall into a binary, discrete, fixed form. Rather, sex is a continuum of biological traits, including genetic, hormonal, anatomical, and behavioral characteristics. Gender refers to the social roles, behaviors, and identities associated with sex, including masculinity and femininity. Each person's sexuality is a unique blend of these factors, influenced by their biological sex, gender identity, and sexual orientation. It encompasses a wide range of behaviors, attractions, and identities, reflecting the diversity and complexity of human sexuality.

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality - Gender #2. 2024





Gender, Sex, and Sexuality - Gender #2. 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Diptych - Gender & Sex #1 (Gender). 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Diptych - Gender & Sex #1 (Sex). 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality.

Sexuality is the expression, or manifestation, of sexual desire, and is influenced by personal, cultural, and biological factors. Although we observe two distinct sexes, Male, and Female, it is a complex biological system where individuals do not fit into strict categories. Instead, sexuality encompasses a spectrum of identities and behaviors, including heterosexuality, homosexuality, bisexuality, and other sexualities that may be fluid or evolving. It is a dynamic aspect of human experience that shapes relationships, identity, and societal interactions. Each person's sexuality is unique, and understanding it requires sensitivity and acceptance of the diversity and complexity of human sexuality.

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality - Sex #1. 2024

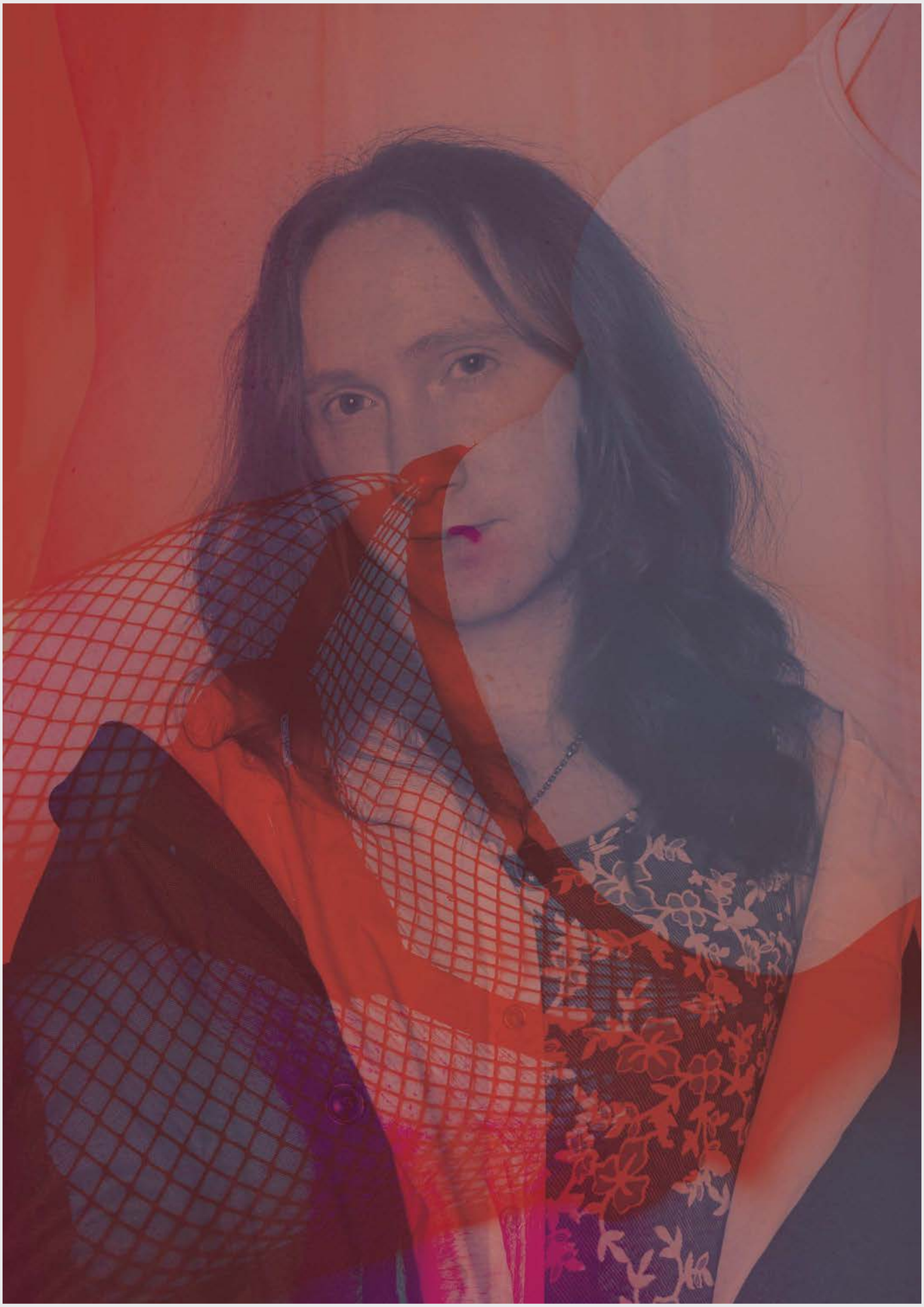
Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Diptych - Gender, and Sex #2 (Gender). 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Diptych - Gender, and Sex #2 (Sex). 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality.

Sexuality, as opposed to Sex and Gender, refers to an individual's sexual orientation and identity, encompassing their attraction to Male, Female, or Intersex individuals, as well as their sexual behaviors and preferences. It encompasses various dimensions, including physical, emotional, and psychological aspects, and can vary widely among individuals. Sexuality is a complex and fluid aspect of human experience, influenced by biological, cultural, and social factors. It plays a significant role in shaping relationships, identities, and societal dynamics.

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality - Sexuality #1. 2024



Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Sex, and Sexuality #1 (Gender). 2024

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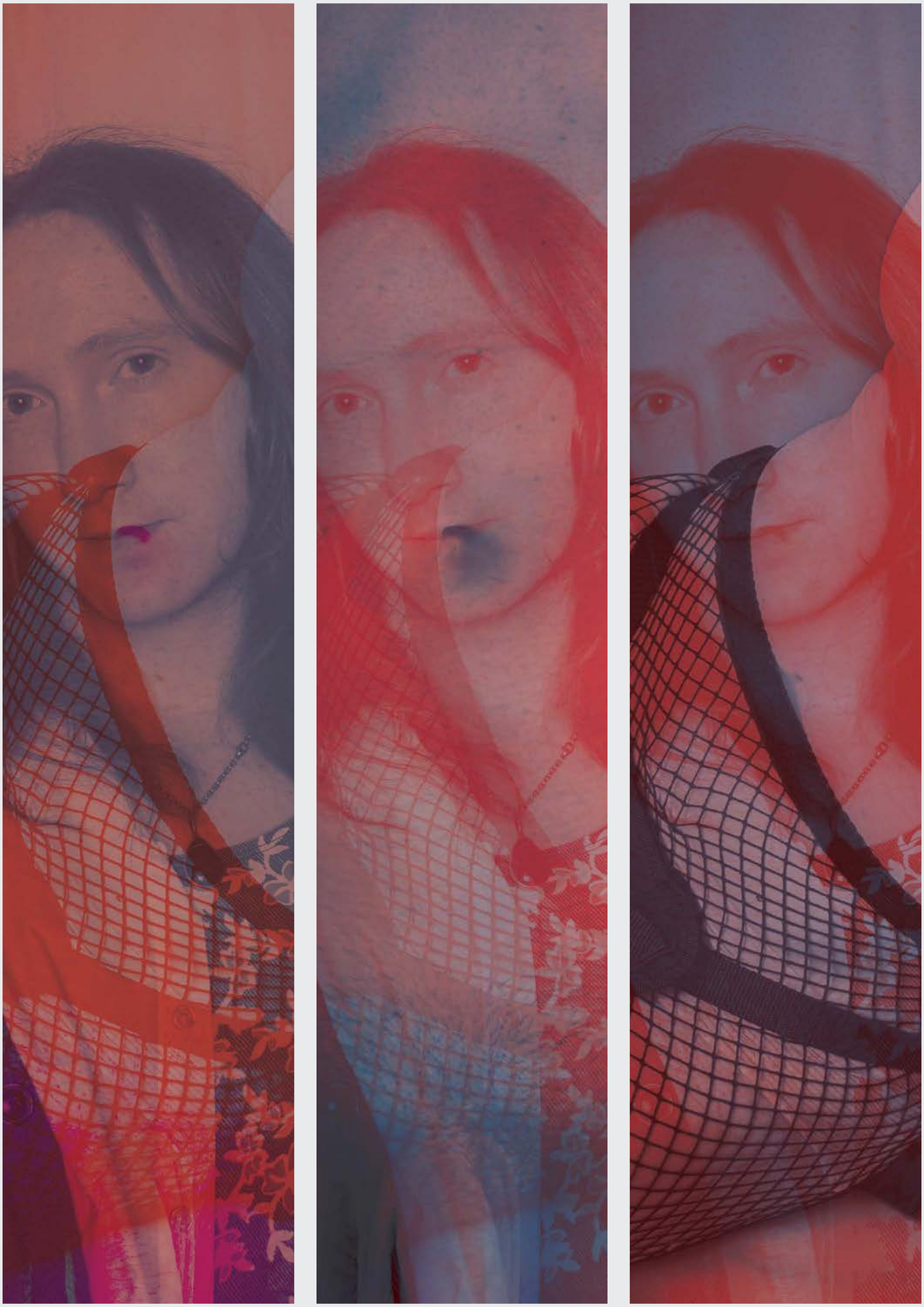
Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Sex, and Sexuality #1 (Sexuality). 2024

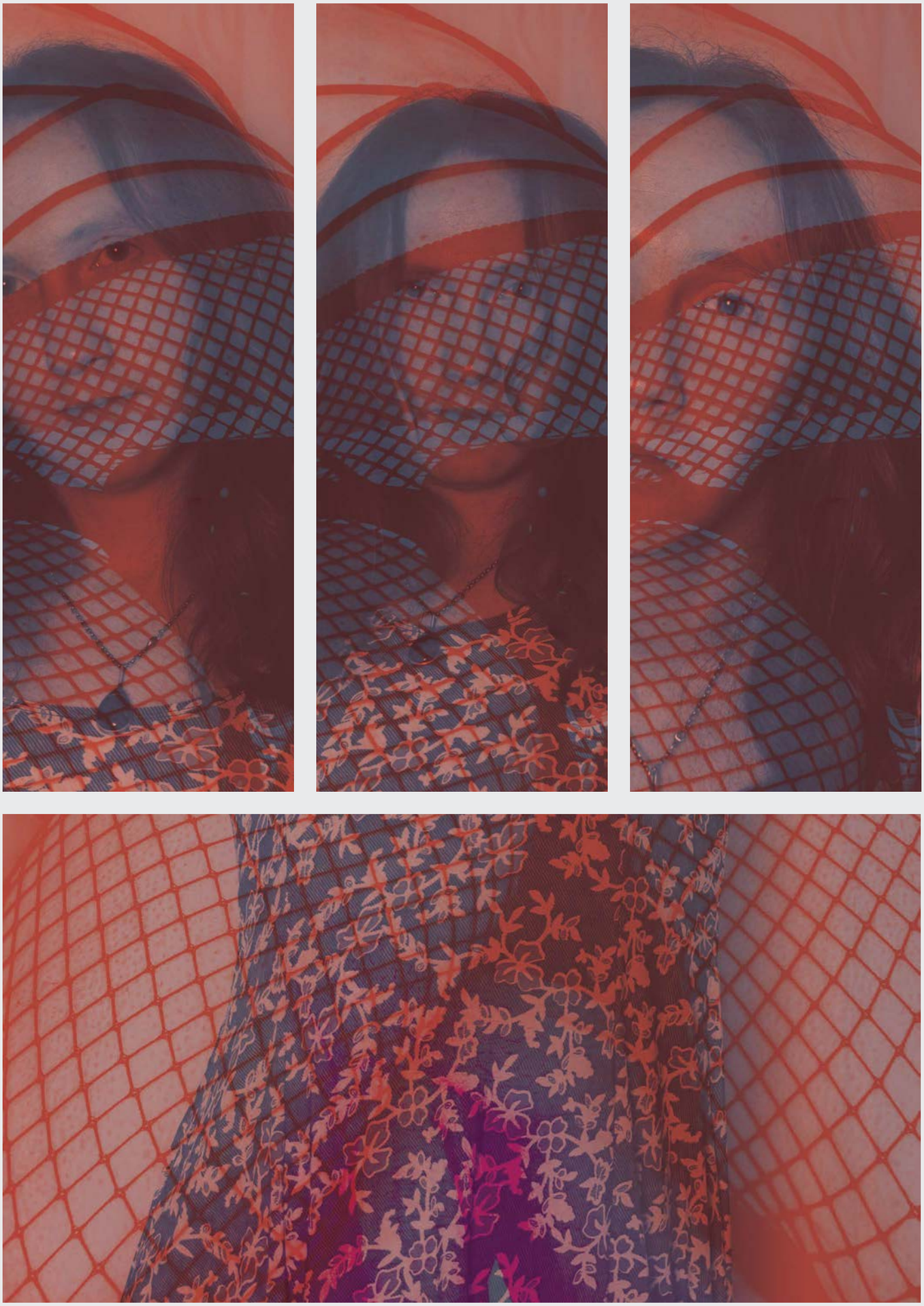


Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Sex, and Sexuality #I. 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Gender, and Gender (Gender #1). 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Gender, and Gender (Gender #2). 2024

Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Gender, and Gender (Gender #3). 2024



Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Triptych - Gender, Gender, and Gender. 2024

About the artist.

Jo Flint graduated from Loughborough University with a BA Fine Art degree before being awarded a ABF Fellowship and going onto study an MA in Graphics Design & Visualisation again at Loughborough University on Scholarship. Gender and discussing Social Inequality in the Arts was something that steered her work ever since her Foundation year at Batley Collage of Arts in which she would begin her journey into Portrait Photography.

This exhibition was influenced by her profound influential MA tutors who guided her to utilise her Fine Arts background with complementing Graphical Design techniques.

Past Exhibitions.

Heckmondlight Art Festival. 2018.

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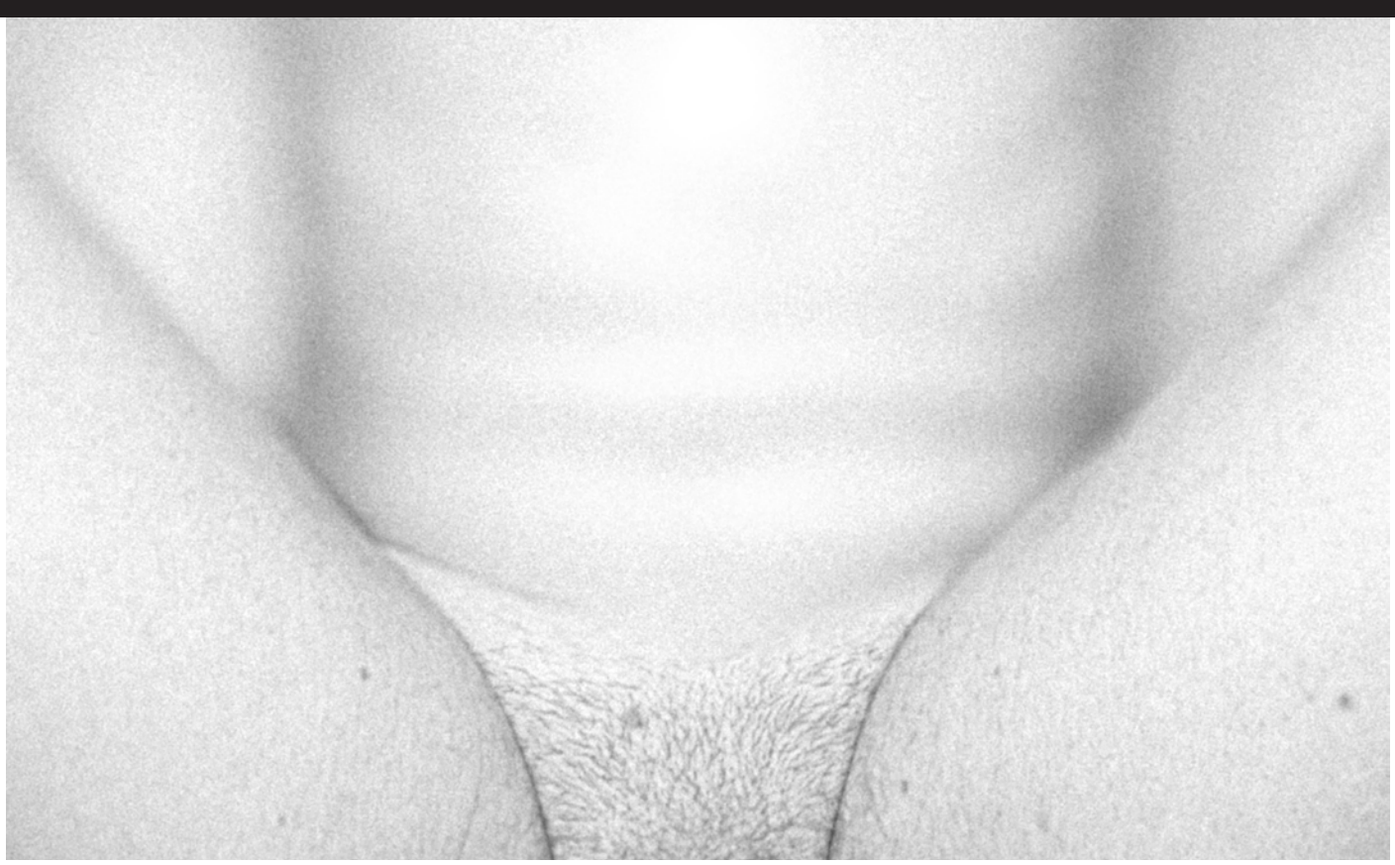
Upcoming Next



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An exhibition founded upon tackling the surrounding misinformation and disinformation plaguing politics and social dialogue, this exhibition presents and reviews a critical analysis into how we see and contextualise Gender, Sex, and Sexuality. Taking a keen eye into these fundamental concepts, the exhibition hopes to expose the distinct divergence between each through viewer participation. The spectator is invited to gaze upon each artwork's surface level coalescent expression of these three concepts before taking a deeper look into how Gender, Sex, and Sexuality warrant their own respective observation.

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Curated, and Produced by Jo Flint.
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