

## ***Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman***

Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, UBC

September 6 - December 11, 2022

Opening reception: Saturday, September 10 from 2 to 4 pm

### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_001**

Installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman* (September 6-December 11, 2022) at the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_002 - 005**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_006**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Serpent Rain*, 2016 (foreground) and archives for *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019, and *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Courtesy of the artists.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_007**

Installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman* (September 6-December 11, 2022) at the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_008**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020, archive (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022

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### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_009**

Tarot cards, installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022) at the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_010**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020, archive (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022.

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**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_011**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019, archive (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Courtesy of the artists.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_012 - 013**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Courtesy of the artists.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_014 - 017**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020, newspaper (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_018**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020, newspaper (2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022.

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_019 - 022**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, archives for *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019, and *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022).

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

**Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_023 - 024**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Sand, Silt, Soot, Soot (Dark Matter)*, 2020

(installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022, at Walter C. Koerner Library, UBC).  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_025**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022.  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_026 – 027**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019, archive (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Courtesy of the artists.  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_028 - 030**

Installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman* (September 6-December 11, 2022) at the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia.  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_031**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, archives for *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019, and *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022).  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_032**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020, archive (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_033**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Crossroads*, 2019, digitized archival photographs (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022). Courtesy of the artists.  
Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

#### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_034**

### **Belkin\_Elemental\_Cinema\_035**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Sand, Silt, Soot, Soot (Dark Matter)*, 2020 (installation view, *Elemental Cinema: Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman*, September 6-December 11, 2022, at Walter C. Koerner Library, UBC).

Photo: Rachel Topham Photography

### **4Waters-1 - 7**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *4 Waters: Deep Implicancy*, 2019 (still).  
Courtesy of the artists

### **Serpent-rain-1 - 9**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Serpent Rain*, 2016 (still). Courtesy of the artists

### **Serpent-rain-Poster**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Serpent Rain*, 2016. Courtesy of the artists

### **BG6232\_install1 – 5**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow, 2021). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022

Photo: Alan Dimmick

### **BG6232\_install6**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow, 2021). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022

### **Soot\_Breath\_BG6232\_still1 - 13**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (still). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022

### **Soot\_Breath\_BG6232\_still5-mine**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (still). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022

### **Soot\_Breath\_CCA\_Glasgow**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (installation view, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow, 2021). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, University of British Columbia, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022  
Photo: Alan Dimmick

**Soot\_Breath\_crystal2**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (detail). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022

**Soot\_Breath\_crystalflattened**

Denise Ferreira da Silva and Arjuna Neuman, *Soot Breath // Corpus Infinitum*, 2020 (detail). Collection of the Morris and Helen Belkin Art Gallery, purchased with support from the Canada Council for the Arts and the Morris and Helen Belkin Foundation, 2022