

Inside Fibers of the Curtain

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As It Stands is pleased to present *Inside Fibers of the Curtain*, a group exhibition featuring Joshua Abelow, Sebastian Black, Calvin Miceli-Nelson, and Michelle Uckotter.

Inside Fibers of The Curtain presents four artists who investigate the tension of being embedded in a state of containment, something which is at once claustrophobic and malleable. This tension resonates from the interplay between the changing subject and the changing ground. It is about the looseness of seemingly rigid structures and the opportunities for the bodies they hold. Characters moving through hostile spaces, bodies warped within languages of abstraction, and landscapes on the verge of collapse. In their own unique practices, each of these artists confronts the idea of being trapped, moving around, and adapting. Perhaps in the right place one moment, then not the next.