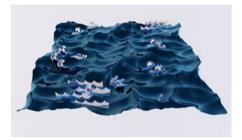
SEA CHANGE

For three weeks this May, you're invited to explore stories of the 'sea change' we need for a sustainable future. Uncover new perspectives through four new artworks, immerse yourself in the UK's first zerowaste theatre, and get involved in workshops, screenings, and talks.

Take a walk through the Royal Docks to explore the Sea Change artworks. The artworks are created by international artists in collaboration with University College London researchers and local communities. Sea Change is commissioned by the Royal Docks Team and curated by Invisible Dust, and opens At The Docks, an exciting summer of worldclass art, culture and events.



1 Raqs Media Collective, The Waves Are Rising

Over a live feed of the calm waters of the Royal Docks, New Delhi-based artists Raqs Media Collective use animated reality to superimpose the turbulence and power of waves – referencing the untamed nature of the deep sea, the rising seas of global warming, and the waves of capital, trade and immigration brought to the Royal Docks during its history.

10am–6:30pm every day Royal Victoria Dock (next to City Hall, E16 1ZE)



2 Dana Olărescu, Power In

Through conversations with local people on the root causes of energy inequality, Dana Olărescu has created a striking installation of six windsocks. These low technology indicators of wind direction and strength make a powerful temporary display of local thought, collective energy-access concerns, and academic research.

10am–6pm every day Thames Barrier Park, E16 2HP



3 Simon Faithfull, Biotopes

Live bees living inside a human head, blue oyster mushrooms sprouting from the mouth of a bust. Simon Faithfull has turned 3D-printed replicas of his head into places where other species can live, an exploration of how entwined we are with the rest of nature.

10am–6pm every day Thames Barrier Park, E16 2HP



4 Melanie Manchot, Flotilla

Equality is a vital element in creating a sustainable future. Inspired by histories of local protests for equality around the Royal Docks, Melanie Manchot invited local women of all ages on a night-time flotilla of boats to produce a series of filmed portraits. Illuminated by pools of light, they glide in procession through the waters toward the lights of the City of London.

10am–6pm every day Thames Barrier Park, E16 2HP



5 The Greenhouse Theatre

The UK's first zero-waste theatre venue, The Greenhouse Theatre, welcomes you between 10am and 6pm every day. The theatre's pop-up residency in Thames Barrier Park hosts Sea Change commissions, talks and workshops, activity packs, and a picnic area with snacks and a bar.

Forecast, 19 May

Find Sea Change artists in conversation at Forecast, alongside writers, scientists and cultural commentators at City Hall and online.

Find out more about Sea Change and Forecast at royaldocks.london/sea-change

AT THE DOCKS

Sea Change is part of At the Docks, a brand new season of arts, culture and events at the Royal Docks.

With over three months of worldclass art and music, international sporting fixtures, cutting-edge cultural performances, pioneering research, and family fun, there is something for everyone down At the Docks this summer.

This year's highlights include:

- Thin Air an immersive light and sound exhibition at The Beams
- Innovative international street arts, dance and performances from GDIF

Scan here to find out more about At the Docks



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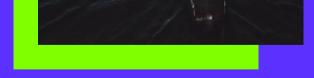
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- and Ensemble Festival
- Wheel-to-wheel racing action at the 2023 Hankook London E-Prix
- The hottest names in dance music as part of Dockyards Summer Series
- Dock swimming and sandpits at Royal Docks Summer Splash
- Multi-sport activities and excitement at the London Triathlon 2023
- Wakeboarding, paddleboarding, open water swimming and a variety of other watersports
- Fascinating stories of the Royal Docks in Newham Heritage Month
- Plus, eleven exciting new projects commissioned by the Royal Docks Team and more



Cover image: Melanie Manchot, Flotilla, 2023, Video still, (c) the artist, courtesy Parafin, London and Galerie m, Bochu



11 – 29 MAY 2023, FREE SEA CHANGE

New climate stories for the Royal Docks – three weeks of fresh artworks and future-facing science rooted in our community

Thames Barrier Park, E16 2HP and Royal Victoria Dock (next to City Hall, E16 1ZE)

