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SANTA FE NEW MEXICO:**

**“PREMISES”**

Caley Dennis February 10 – February 26 2017  
Antone Könst March 31 – April 16 2017  
Allyson Packer April 28 – May 14 2017  
Matthew Schrader May 26 – June 11 2017  
Krista Peters June 23 – July 9 2017

After *Spells* and *Utilities*, another homonym. One inaudible separation of sense that defines both place and inference. *Meaning* a spatial determination, authorized by law or custom, that gives the virtual summary of each appropriated part of an institution. *Meaning* the assumptions that inference (politico-practical, deductive, material etc.) builds into instances of formal conclusiveness.

In the typology of exhibitions, “Premises” would be a hybrid of solo and group presentation. Five artists were invited to consider the vacant Radical Abacus space as a magnifying lens for objects and actions and to process the theatrical suppositions of its recessed surfaces, the curtain-like wall, the balcony. Since the rhetoric of site-specificity often finesses the edge between work and context, perhaps these five sculptural/performative interventions are better described as *interferences* that revise prior assumptions and make brief disruptions within architectural and perceptual codes.

“Premises” will feature new work by: Caley Dennis (b. 1991, BFA Santa Fe University of Art and Design, based in Santa Fe), Antone Könst (b. 1987, MFA Yale, based in NYC), Allyson Packer (b. 1987, MFA School of the Art Institute of Chicago, based in Albuquerque), Krista Peters (b. 1985, MFA Bard, based in Chupadero NM and NYC), and Matthew Schrader (b. 1984, MFA Bard, based in NYC).

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