



Charlotte Thrane: Between Them

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Idea Store Whitechapel is pleased to present a new installation by Charlotte Thrane.

Made in response to the gallery space, the installation will engage viewers with its characteristically irreverent use of objects, materials and images. Creating a new syntax and logic out of the everyday and familiar, Thrane's juxtapositions highlight qualities and readings beyond the utilitarian.

Thrane uses objects and images in ways which initially appear disorientating, only to make us look again at what we think we already know. This re-engagement with our surroundings proposes a different outlook and allows new possibilities to emerge. Things which would not normally be seen together

are selected for the possible conversations they may begin to have when different factors and qualities beyond the functional are prioritised; these include colour, shape, position and placement alone or in groups.

The artist will be responding to the setting of the gallery within a busy working environment, as well as architectural features such as the stark concrete columns and the striking red floor. These elements will be incorporated into the dynamics of Thrane's intervention, creating new dialogues within the space.

Charlotte Thrane is a Danish artist living in London. Recent group exhibitions and projects (all 2010) include Shape, Space & Colour; The Round Tower Gallery, Copenhagen; Hex Colony; Unnaryd, Sweden, (residency and exhibition); 21st Century: Hex Colony Manual (Rehearsal), Chisenhale Gallery, London.