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"By members, for members; together in friendship for over 36 years."

IWCL MONTHLY MEETING

Tuesday, 4 February at the Hotel Pestalozzi
Via Pietro Bianchi, Piazza Indipendenza 9, 6901 Lugano
09.30 Refreshments 10.15 Club Announcements
10.30 Speaker: * Micol Sarfatti

"The fascinating life of Margherita Sarfatti, beyond Benito Mussolini"



When I was a child I found a book in my mother's library dedicated to a woman with my same surname: Margherita Sarfatti. It was not a case of homonymy! Since then this woman has never abandoned me.

She followed me throughout my childhood, when I found her in books and magazines labelled only as "the Duce's lover". When I studied literature at university I found her as the first female art critic in the world and when I started working as a journalist I found her again because she also had been a journalist. Her figure, which I studied for a long time, fascinated me, repelled me, inspired me, made me question our history.

Margherita Sarfatti was an absolute pioneer in the intellectual field, but was also the Jewish Benito Mussolini's lover, a relationship that has obscured her persona and her thoughts for decades.

My first book could only be dedicated to her, my ancestor. It was released in June 2023 and is entitled "Margherita Sarfatti. The Lady of the Future", published by Giulio Perrone Editore, and since then, with a break for the birth of my son last October, I have been presenting it at literary festivals and events throughout Italy. Every time, I am surprised by the interest that this woman manages to arouse. Margherita Sarfatti is now also among the protagonists of the TV series "M. The Son of the Century," directed by Joe Wright and based on the international best seller by Antonio Scurati.

During the February IWCL Meeting I would like to guide you through the life of this fascinating and controversial woman.

* Professional journalist, host, speaker and video maker, Micol Sarfatti works at Corriere della Sera (First Italian Newspaper) in the newsroom of the weekly magazine Sette, where she is focused mainly on current and social affairs, foreign affairs and culture.

She studied Literature and Communication and attended Walter Tobagi school of Journalism in Milan. After specialized in multimedia journalism she did internship in the newsroom at RCS Media Group and Condé Nast. She's worked for media companies, newspaper, radio and tv such as RAI (National Italian Television), Mediaset (first private Italian television), Huffington Post (Italian edition), La Stampa.

She's also a tv anchor and a radio speaker who hosted some video columns in the all-news channel TgCom 24 and the prime time tv show L'erba dei Vicini, broadcasted by Rai Tre. She worked on new project about digital journalism and social media; developed a new publishing project and communication campaign, and has written and shot reportage from Europe, Russia, Ukraine, Israel and Africa.

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MONTHLY MEETINGS IN 2025

	11 March	8 April	6 May	
3 June	9 September	7 October	11 November	2 December

SAD NEWS

We are very sad to announce that Claudine Berti was recently diagnosed with a very large, incurable brain tumour. She spent her last weeks with her close family and passed away on 11 January 2025. Claudine was a vibrant, positive, happy person who lived life to its fullest. She will be sadly missed by her family and her friends in the Club.

A VERY WARM WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBER MARY LYN

Mary Lyn is British and moved to Ticino to open her next chapter in life. Mary Lyn was working as an educational leader and is now embarking on being a soul impacting entrepreneur. Mary Lyn loves artistic, creative activities like flower arrangement, gardening and keeps fit with tennis and swimming.



Mary Lyn Campbell

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**SAVE THE DATE - SATURDAY, 8 MARCH**

Calling all IWCL artists, makers, writers, bakers, creatives of all kinds ...
You are warmly invited to give a workshop and to display and sell your work at our
Art and Craft Day
at La Cascina, Saturday, 8 March

In our Club, we have so many members with masses of skills and talents. We have Group Leaders who love to share their passion for Dance, Mah Jong, Painting, Cooking, Knitting, Meditating, Aramaic ...you name it! Let's celebrate all this talent!



We have hired the beautiful building of La Cascina to host an Art and Craft Day to showcase all this creativity. We offer YOU individual tables to display and sell your work, plus the chance to participate in a programme supported by our Group Leaders, of workshops, activities and hands-on experiences. There will also be tasty treats and a Pot Luck Lunch.

As last year, want this to be a big event for the whole Club. Your participation would be invaluable, as an artist and/or as a planner, supporter, workshop leader or chef.

Please contact Sue asap to book your table, and/or to offer a workshop, or to support the planning of this big event.

Sue March

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International Women's Club of Lugano

Join us at our...

Spring Vintage Sale

Saturday 26 April 2025

10:00 - 19:00

**at the Hotel Pestalozzi
Piazza Dell Indipendenza 9
Lugano**

... for the benefit of our Club Charity: "Oltre Noi"

**Clothes - Bags - Scarves - Jewelry -
Accessories - Beautiful Shoes (36-37EU)**

Info: iwclvicepresident@gmail.com

"SAVE YOUR STUFF!"

As you will have seen, we are planning a Vintage Sale at Hotel Pestalozzi on 26 April.

We are hoping for donations of quality, high-end and designer clothing and accessories, such as bags, hats, jewellery, scarves. Your donation can be left at the hotel reception at any time! We are fortunately able to store everything until the day of the sale.

Please save your stuff! Don't throw or give away anything we might be able to sell - but please note that we are asking only for wearable items of high quality.

You are kindly invited to spread the word among your friends, through social channels and among people you usually meet, both for donations and for their support on the day of the sale.

Thank you in advance for your generous help (profits to our Charity, *Oltre Noi*).

The IWCL Board



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IWCL CHARITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please come and support these events:-

Sunday, 16 February - Cinema Lux, 16.00
 Choir of Valgenzana with inclusion of Autistic children. Donations requested.

Wednesday, 26 February - Evangelical Church, Cassarate Vi
 olin Concert by Anthony Flint. Exact time, cost and pieces of music to be confirmed.



MOMS AND TOTS

For more information about Moms and Tots please contact Rocio Tauber. Her email address is:
 rocio_cuervo@hotmail.com

FEEDBACK REQUESTED

I was asked to provide the presentation for our April meeting. I plan to share the research I am currently working on that involves the impact of culture on health. In preparation for this meeting and to best meet your interests, it would be very helpful if you could share with me the meaning of health for you.



When you think about health, what comes to mind? How would you describe health?

If you'd like to include a picture that best expresses what health means to you, that would also be of interest.

You can send this to my personal email: pat.camillo@gmail.com

If anyone is interested in a Women's Health Group please contact me.

Thanks!

Pat Camillo Ph.D, RN, NP

IWCL WEBSITE

Please refer to the IWCL website for information on:

OPEN DOORS

OUR CANCELLATION POLICY (CP)

THANK YOU FOR SIGNING UP!

IWCL PHOTOS

BIRTHDAYS IN OUR DIRECTORY

YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU

PHOTOS FOR WEBSITE

RESPECT FOR OUR SPEAKERS

COPY OF THE LATEST NL

PUBLICISING YOUR ENGLISH SPEAKING EVENTS IN OUR NL

Please contact Andrea if you need or have forgotten your password to access the site

IWCL FACEBOOK PAGE

If you would like to join our Facebook page please contact Ann Lutz at: 6900editoriwcl@gmail.com

Please note: you must use a private FB account and NOT a commercial one. Many thanks.

MENTOR SCHEME FOR NEW MEMBERS

If you are a new member and need support with doctor visits, vets, household help, home design/renovation, insurance companies, car registration, etc. or a shoulder to lean on, you are not alone!



Please feel free to contact:

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Irene Fröhlich

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Maura Koopman

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Sharon Palette

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CLUB DISCOUNTS

Dear Ladies,

You might not know that we have a page on our IWCL website that shows which hotels and Spas in Lugano give us discounts: <https://iwcl.org/members-discount/>

For example, the Choice Spa has increased their discounts to us. Check out their and the other hotels' deals.

Kind regards,

Christine Petersen
IWCL Vice President



MUSIC APPRECIATION GROUP– THANK YOU!

We know that there are many of you out there who love music, concerts, opera, singing, concertos and all the other forms of musical entertainment that Lugano has to offer.

BUT how many times do you miss beautiful events because you didn't know about them? **OR** how many times do you not go to wonderful concerts because you don't want to go alone? **AND** how often would you like to find out about musical events that are taking place in our city which might appeal to you?

This is the group for you!! We would like to continue to have an informative, interactive group in which we can exchange news of upcoming events, find friends to go along to concerts with and a place to post reviews, comments and critiques.

The Cinema Lux in Massagno (or sometimes Iride in Lugano) show operas that come directly from the Metropolitan Opera New York. Here is the 2024/25 programme.

15th March	Fidelio	(Beethoven)
26th April	Le Nozze di Figaro	(Mozart)
17th May	Salomé	(Richard Strauss)
31st May	Il barbiere di Siviglia	(Rossini)

Renata Del Grande



COFFEE MORNING NEW STYLE : “THE ROUND TABLE”

Every third Friday of the month (10.30-11.30 hrs) we will meet for a coffee and a conversation (“The Round Table”) , at the COOP City ristorante, Via Nassa 22, Lugano.

Each time there will be a theme on which views, knowledge and experiences will be exchanged. The theme will be announced in the monthly newsletter. Everyone is welcome; registration is not necessary.

To enable everyone's participation in the Round Table, some rules are necessary:

1. There will be a leader of the conversation
2. Religion and politics are excluded as themes
3. Everyone's input is valuable and will be treated with respect

Hope to see you at the first “Round Table” on 21 February with the theme:

“Diversity in society”

Ina Boonacker



CULTURAL VISIT (CP)

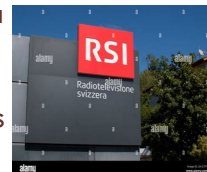
Thursday 20 February

RSI Television Studios, Via Cureglia 8,

Comano from 10.00- 12.00

We are delighted to be able to offer members the opportunity to participate in a guided tour of the RSI TV studios, led by our own member Michelle Minotti.

The visit is FREE and lasts about two hours, but you MUST book your place in advance. Here's the programme:-



We will meet at 09.50 at the main reception. It's a bit early, but there is more life in the corridors, studios etc.

We will be guided to the Cinema Room. After a short presentation of the company and what they produce, the tour begins, passing through the tailoring, make-up and hair room, studio 1, studio 2, visual radio, studio 4, studio 5 and the production studio of Piotta la Marmotta!

Parking spaces are available for visiting groups, right near the cinema room. The bus connection is also really good; it takes 15 minutes from Lugano Main Station by the number B443 or B461, leaving every half hour.

This visit can also be made in conjunction with our February Ladies' Lunch. Please see the separate announcement and book for lunch with Lilo.

To book your place on our RSI Studio Tour, please contact Elizabet **by Sunday, 16 February.**

Elizabet Ak

iwclevelandgroup1@gmail.com

LADIES' LUNCH

We will have lunch after the visit of the television studio RSI 20.02.25 organized by Elisabeth Ak at the restaurant RONCHETTO in Comano. Please contact Lilo for more details or to sign up.

Lilo Valli

079 207 20 92

lilosmile@yahoo.de

DRAMA GROUP

There will be a short meeting at the Pestalozzi cafe on:

WEDNESDAY, 26 FEBRUARY

for anyone interested in participating in our next fundraising Murder Mystery performance. The purpose of the meeting will be to determine the actors and the rehearsal schedule. The script is underway. The date of the performance will be on the evening **Tuesday, 13 May**



Our new venture will be a more complex performance than the previous one, so it is essential that participants are able to commit to rehearsals and are definitely available on the performance date. I look forward to seeing my thespians soon!

Love, Sue x

LET'S DANCE!**Keep fit, have fun, make friends!**

Hi ladies! Come and join our IWCL Dance Group, back by popular demand, at the usual time of 10.30 - 12.00 every Wednesday.

We will dance together not only the moves from previous sessions, but we will also learn new styles, as we prepare for our next Club event!



This time, we have a series of 10 sessions, and we pay only for the room rental divided by the number of participants; to be paid at the first session. Dates as follows:

February:- 5, 12, 19, 26

March:- 12, 19, 26

Please sign up with Marina Marsaglia asap:

Marina Marsaglia

marinaporza@gmail.com

MAH JONG

Do you like to play board games? Why not try MAHJONG?

In 2005 we had an Australian lady in the Club who was passionate about this game. She brought all the equipment over here from Perth, Western Australia and started up a **Mahjong group**.



Unfortunately she had to return home to Australia but a few of us still meet **once a week - on Thursday afternoons from 14.30 – 17.00 (at Hotel Pestalozzi)** to play this fascinating game - which is fun, challenging and interesting!

It is a game of Chinese origin, using small engraved tiles, for tables of three to four players. We play the "Western style" (Chinese style is different). You are very welcome to participate - please contact us for further information!

Ruth Sergi-Baumann

079 607 82 62/091 630 11 27

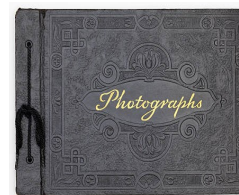
ruthsergi@bluewin.ch

FIND YOUR PHOTOS!

Ladies, did you know that you can see photos from all our IWCL events, going back several years, simply by accessing our Dropbox?

It's really easy to find them - Ann has already sent you the link:-

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/ai79cbog2dhidhfwzf5i3/h?rlkey=jidl4b7kg5cnf2089rv1pojvg&st=mn0y3jqb&dl=0>



However, if you aren't confident with the technology, but would still like to see the photos, then bring your phone, iPad or laptop to the October Monthly Meeting where our resident expert, Christine, will give you a tutorial so that you will always be able to find your photos in future!

If you would not like your photos posted, please let Christine know.

'SUNDOWNER SPECIAL'



Ladies, we are delighted to continue our evening Aperitivo Group in Lugano.

Once a month, we meet for drinks 'after work' in a great venue in and around Lugano. We would love to encourage everyone to join us, and especially those ladies who can't often make it to daytime activities.

Our February Sundowner will be at: **ROOKIES & PICCHIO**
 Aperitivo - Buffet
 Via F.Peri 13, Lugano
 Thursday, 13 February from 18.30

At this event, you will pay for your own drinks as they are served. It would be great to know that you are coming along so please don't just turn up! My contact details are below.

Elizabeth Ak

iwclevengroup1@gmail.com

GOLF

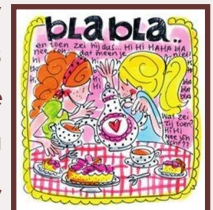
We meet at 11.00 every Wednesday at the Golf Club "Monticello" near Como (first EXIT autostrada A2 to Milano after Como) Uscita "Fino Mornasco". The exact address is: I-22070 Cassina Rizzardi (Como) Italy, Via Volta, 63. Tel. 0039 031 928 055. The green fee for 9 holes = Euro 45.- during the week.



Marlene Mugglin 091 967 15 47 079 423 68 47 tourservices.lugano@freesurf.ch

LET'S CHAT IS GOING HIKING!

This group meets at least once a month to explore the hiking trails of Ticino and possibly beyond while chatting about all manner of topics. The hikes will be roughly three hours in length and will include a picnic stop. Participants are kindly asked to pre-register, be equipped with appropriate walking attire (walking shoes, sunscreen, etc.) and bring a packed lunch and water. The goal is not only to hike but, as before, to openly engage, share knowledge, opinions, and experiences around a given theme.



Please contact Maria to be included on the distribution list for information about forthcoming walks.

Maria de la Cámara 079 263 04 65 maria.delacamara@gmail.com
Hanneke Sillekens 076 220 93 19 hannekesillekens@gmail.com

KNITTING GROUP

If you would like to join our group, please contact me by phone or email. Experienced and novice knitters are welcome so we can share our expertise.



Pam Blakey 091 980 45 07 076 229 22 50 pam.blakey@yahoo.com

ART GROUP

If you are a member of IWCL why not take the opportunity to come and paint together with us? We are a group of women who enjoy spending time together, with lots of individual creative expressions. Watercolour, Acrylic, Pastels, Charcoal, Pen, Ink etc. Provide your own supplies! Let's inspire each other!



Come and share the joy with us! We are meeting on alternate Mondays from 14.00 -16.00 at the Pestalozzi Hotel. Fee for the room is CHF 5.- per person. Any questions please contact Eva.

Eva Wahlqvist

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"BREATHE, RELAX, FEEL!"

Learn to use mindfulness in your daily life ...

Would you like to begin to deepen your self-awareness, to learn something about controlling your emotions, to develop new habits or to break old ones? We shall be meeting every Monday at 18.00 on Skype. If you are interested, please send me an email with your ID Skype. Let's experience mindfulness together, under the guidance of a fully trained and qualified teacher, who is also a well-known member of our Club.



Maria Teresa Paladino

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info@counselor.ch

BOOK GROUP

We welcome members old and new to Book Group this month on Tuesday, 18 February. **Please note that from this month onwards we will start at 10.30 promptly** at the Hotel Pestalozzi. Our discussion based on **'Hello Beautiful,' by Ann Napolitano** which will be led by Hanneke.



Come and join us for another wonderful Book Group meeting, even if you haven't read the book! You might be tempted!

18 March - 'Time in Between,' by Maria Duenas (Francesca)

15 April - 'Children of this Land,' by Serafina Crolla (Angela)

20 May - 'All the Flowers in Paris,' by Sarah Jio (Sue)

10 June - 'The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store,' by James McBride (?)

16 September - 'The Frozen River,' by Ariel Lawson (?)

10 June will also be our Tuesday Choose-day where we will select our books up to next December.

Please note that we need to pay for the room each month, so now you can either pay CHF 30.- for the year or CHF 3.- per session at Book Group.

We look forward to seeing you all soon. Happy reading!

Cathrine Orelli

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iwclhospitality@gmail.com

COOKING GROUP (CP)

Tuesday, 11 February, 18.30 onwards

Our Cooking Group is moving back to
Il Grottino Viganello, Via Pergola 5, Viganello
(look for the Lugano flag!)

Our Cooking Group is open to **ALL MEMBERS** each month – the only requirements are to reserve your place early and to clear up afterwards!! Come and join us so we can learn, cook and eat together. We continue our exciting Cooking Group year with

'A Vegan Feast!' - hosted by Jane.

Our dress code for the evening is 'COOL'

Several members have been disappointed when the group has been full. Sign up early!

Appetizer: Vegan Salmon & Avocado Bruschetta - *Sparkling Wine*

Starter: Vegan Veggie Frittata & Greens - *Biodynamic Tuscan White Wine*

Main: Vegan Ragu Cannelloni - *Biodynamic Tuscan Red Wine*

Dessert: Vegan Chocolate Drizzle Cake:



When: Tuesday, 11 February, 18.30 onwards

Where: Il Grottino Viganello, long standing members will remember this location!

Cost: Up to CHF 50.- per participant (usually less.) **Our cancellation policy applies.**

Please note that the Comune is levying a small charge for the rental, which will be reflected as a share of each participant's cost for the evening.

Parking: There is ample kerbside parking, and the Autosilo Civico on the corner. There is space out side for the host to leave their car, as you are bringing heavy items, and a bus stop next door!

Required: Tea towel, apron, **MAKING THE PLACE SPOTLESS** before you leave!

To book your place or for more information (we can accommodate up to 15 people) please contact Sue.

Sue March

077 924 16 76

iwclpresident@gmail.com

COFFEE MORNING

"Good friends and great coffee make the perfect blend. Let's mix it up!"

We meet the first Friday of each month.

Friday, 7 February at 10.00

Latte Macchiato, Bakery & Caffé

Quartiere Maghetti, 6900 Lugano



I would love to see you! Please let me know if you can join us. Very kind regards,

Andrea Never

neverandrea@yahoo.de



LANGUAGE CLASSES

Italian conversation with Eleonora Giraldi will take place on Thursdays from 10.45 - 11.45, either online or in person (if the weather allows us to meet outside).

Contact details: 079 849 09 96 epastoris@gmail.com)

Italian conversation for beginners with Isabella Zardi takes place at her house in Breganzona.

Ladies interested should contact Isabella."

Contact details: 079 375 24 14

Italian conversation will take place every Monday at Raffaella's home in Gentilino, from 14.45 - 15.45. Please email her for further details.

Contact details: lella.reverberi@gmail.com

Italian Conversation with Oana Stan. Please contact Oana for more information.

Contact details: oanastan.1@gmail.com

English Conversation We will meet at the Cafe Agora, in the Agora Apt. building next to The City Hotel at Piazza Molino Nuovo on 3, 10 17 and 24 February.

Contact details: 076 224 90 01 karenclaus600@gmail.com

English Conversation with Linda Denkinger on Wednesdays from 14.30 - 15.30.

Contact details: 079 541 92 02 linflags@bluewin.ch

English Conversation with Pat Camillo will take place every Tuesday, at 14.00 in the Café at Coop City, (4th Floor), Via Nassa.

Contact details: 079 788 0251 Pat.camillo@gmail.com

French Conversation with Claude Perrinjaquet Boni at the Bar Martini Café, via Funicolare 2, Lugano. We are meeting this month on Wednesday, 19 February from 14.00.

Contact details: 079 487 89 92 cm.boni@gmail.com

French Conversation with Ilona Pongracz at Canvetto Luganese, in Lugano; Vie R. Simeon 14b weekly, every Thursday from 16.00 - 18.00.

091 825 33 03 ipongracz@ethika.ch

German Conversation with Daniela Mannu at Al Vecchio Torchio, Viganello every first and third Monday of the month from 10.30. Please bring paper, pen and coloured pencils.

Contact details: 079 120 71 96 danielamannu@hotmail.com

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**OUR NEXT MONTHLY MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE
ON 11 MARCH AT THE HOTEL PESTALOZZI**

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ADVERTISING

Conditions of acceptance:

- Acceptance will be at the discretion of the IWCL Board.
- All advertisements must reach Ann Lutz, Via Matorèll 41, 6926 Montagnola or 6900editoriwcl@gmail.com before the 14th of the month preceding publication.
- The IWCL reserves the right to postpone publication.
- All invoices must be paid within 14 days of date of issue.

1/4 page ad in Newsletter 1 x = CHF 80.- 5 x = CHF 350.- 10 x = CHF 600.-

1/8 page ad in Newsletter 1 x = CHF 40.- 5 x = CHF 175.- 10 x = CHF 300.-

Flyer with email version of Newsletter = CHF 60.-

Flyer with postal and email version of Newsletter = CHF 120.- (plus delivery of material)

Website advertising 6 months = CHF 300.-
12 months = CHF 500.-

EDITORIAL TEAM

Editor **Ann Lutz**
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CLUB NEWS

If you have any personal news e.g. birth, marriage, illness etc., please contact
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 cm.boni@gmail.com

Contributions to the Newsletter must be received no later than the 14th of the month preceding publication.
 Send contributions to:
 6900editoriwcl@gmail.com
Ann Lutz

WEBSITE

If you have any photos or information to add to our
 Dropbox please contact:
Ruth Sergi
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 ruthsergi@bluewin.ch

If you would like more information about the Club please
 contact either our President **Sue March**
 077 924 16 76 or iwclpresident@gmail.com
 or our Membership Secretary, **Andrea Never** on 076 413 32 75
 or iwclmembershipsecretary@gmail.com

If you would like to organise an event please contact our Calendar Coordinator
 Ann Lutz to check available dates: 6900editoriwcl@gmail.com

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Between Body and Space.

**Intangible landscapes, fragility
and variability of perception.**

21/11/2024 - 07/03/2025

The exhibition **"Between Body and Space. Intangible landscapes, fragility and variability of perception"** presents the complex relationship between the human body and the surrounding space, both physical and conceptual. The exhibition explores the way, in which fragile and variable perception shapes our understanding of the surrounding world, revealing the intimate relationship between the body, space and intangible landscapes. It also explores feelings of loneliness and alienation and the need for contact and interaction.

Two series of works by two interdisciplinary artists Judith Le Roux and Dominika Jezewska present different perspectives on these issues, combining elements of reality, imagination and solitude with conceptual and virtual parts.

Due to popular demand the exhibition has been extended until **07/03/2025** and it's **free**. The entrance is through the gallery on our website:

<https://meletegallery.org/en/gallery/>.

Please read the instructions before pressing the "entrance" button. The crucial thing is to press afterwards "enter exhibition", click on the main poster in front and then navigate by pressing the "next" arrow. If you'd like to go back, it's enough to press the "previous" arrow. You can access our virtual exhibition from anywhere and at any time with the internet connection.

Concurrently, there will be online talks with our artists (the second **artist talk** in English will take place on **12 or 13 February** in the evening) and a curatorial visit (tbd), all the information will be on our website (www.meletegallery.org) and social media (and please follow us for more details!). **Enjoy!**

Agnes Wludyka