## **Outside the Lines:**

An art exhibition exploring the blurring genres of gender, body, disability and racialization



Detail from Forming 2, hand printed silkscreen comic by Eli Howey, 2016

Lines have been drawn to mark difference - to keep difference in line. The exhibition **Outside The Lines** features 10 artists who represent the beyond and within of lines through their artistic practices. The artists use their work to query and optimally alter readings and renderings of normative lines.

These artists collaborate with autistic experience to challenge notions of independence and care narratives; explore the daily experiences of living with disability that are uniquely humorous, difficult, or lovely; draw queer sexuality and gender through memory fragments; investigate the lived experience of existence with queer and immigrant identity; question the fragmentation of gender, feminism and the body; and challenge the dominant medical and pharmaceutical narratives of experience with cancer.

This exhibition is held in conjunction with the international conference "Lives Outside the Lines: Gender and Genre in the Americas, A Symposium in Honour of Marlene Kadar."

For more information, visit the conference website.

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Exhibition dates:

May 15-19, 2017

Curators' Talk:

12pm, May 16, 2017

Eleanor Winters Gallery 129 Winters College York University

## Attendance is free

## **ARTISTS**

Yvonne Singer
Naz Rahbar
Martha Newbigging
Lindsay Fisher
JoAnn Purcell
Erin Vincent
Estée Klar
Ellen Bleiwas
Eli Howey
Diana Meredith

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