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by the well of urd

Judith Copithorne, Carole Itter, Rhoda Rosenfeld, Trudy Rubenfeld curated by Lee Plested

April 7th - May 11th, 2019

Opening Reception Sunday April 7th, 1-4pm

Macaulay & Co. Fine Art are pleased to present an exhibition of four Vancouver artists whose work reflects on the desire and turmoil of life in our contemporary age.

Having made art and poetry in this city for over 50 years these artists accumulated methods and means, drawn from absorbing the rich energy of Vancouver's fecund experimentation and collaboration, enrich the work that they now make today. Continuing to release this resonance through their various media, the work carries the complexity of their gained experience and perception.

by the well of urd draws on an image from Norse myth, where the Norns sit by the well of urd and draw from its endless depths to water Yggdrasil, the tree of life. These are the Norns who know the past and so spin futures, pulling material from the dark recesses of urd and always, steadfastly, turn it through the twists of our shared presence, as they thus watch it wind and resolve tomorrow. Tracing the energy and desires of life, the mournful watchers braid beginnings and ends along their ever extending flow. Nurturing desires in the shadows of death, then delivering forth the accomplishments and scorn of this mortal coil.

This exhibition will present paintings, sculpture, digital drawings, photography and video made within the last ten years.

Please join us for the opening reception on Sunday April 7th, from 1-4pm. Artists will be in attendance.