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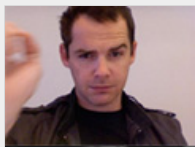


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Erica Renya Robles

New York University >



Lynn Spigel

Northwestern University >



Tara Mullaney

Umeå Institute of Design >



Mats Deutschmann

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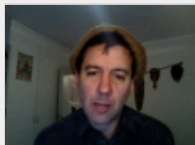
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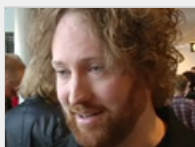
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Anja Linna

Experimental cellist and architect

Iris Piers and Anja Linna

[additional info >](#)**Tara Mullaney**

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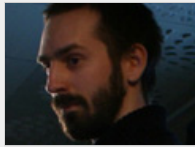
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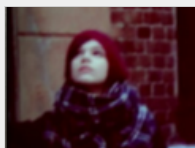
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Iris Piers

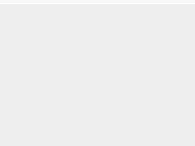
Experimental filmmaker and artist

Iris Piers and Anja Linna

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Performers

Experimental filmmaker and artist Iris Piers and experimental cellist and architect Anja Linna will be performing at the dinner on Friday night.



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