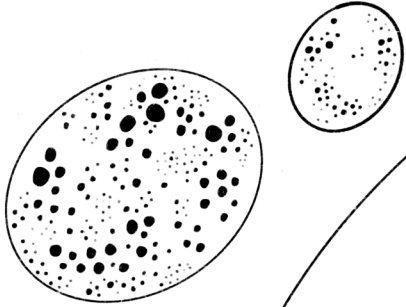


Benjamin Earl Interview
Tuesday, June 29, 2021
1 pm via Zoom

Graphic installation: adhere printed vector illustrations to custom cut wood panels; structures will mirror stage sets and forms will be photographed in natural landscapes creating a graphic glitch / disruption.

ephemera
line alignment

In relation to memory keeping / family histories: viewpoint, geography, embellishment / drama vs accuracy.



(sometimes referred to as breaking or tracking; to reduce tire wear and ensure travel is straight and true.)

Adjustment of a vehicle's suspension *

- ① camber (angle — from front view)
- ② toe (inward vs. outward — from above)
- ③ caster (angle of steering axis — from side)

Ben's current focus

staged realities
vulnerabilities
matter how

Also —
what is a tool

Audio

1. a work of art, especially a detailed architectural drawing.

the action of giving, yielding, or surrendering to something.

a performance of a piece of music or drama
a translation

3. Surrounding or conditions in which a person, animal, or plant lives.

the settings or conditions of a particular activity

the natural world, as a whole or in a particular geographic area, especially as affected by human activity

the overall structure within which a user, computer, or program operates.

habitat
territory
domain
HOME

I recently watched *The Dig* which is based on the historical novel (2007) by John Preston. Set in 1939, it centers around the excavation of an Anglo-Saxon burial ship at Sutton Hoo, Suffolk, England. Artifacts are transported on beds of freshly cut squares of grass / dirt in boxes. I have begun to construct "replicas" of this technique using photography, my sculptural rocks, and wooden boxes I've obtained from an old optics shop in Brookline, MA.

The rendering¹ and simulation² of physical environments³.

2. authentic vs. artificial
synthetic
manufactured
plastic

zoom / cond
digital space
The transcript

Transcript is nearly incoherent and contains many errors. Consideration of how language was delivered and accents. Interruptions in WiFi largely responsible for glitches in communication and odd breaks.

think abt language of the tool,
lack of line breaks and transcript
copy in a continuous stream,
vertical display within digital
container?

- The Alps
- iconic emblem
 - Swiss federal inventory of natural monuments
 - cradles border between Switzerland and Italy.
 - pyramidal shape

My Aunt Margaret and Uncle Stevie got married in Switzerland in 1980. My mother recently told me (again) the dramatic tale of her journey there, via plane and train, with me in utero. There was red American Tourister luggage involved and a lot of nausea. Consider audio recording?

Blutsmist church
Solothurn, CH
(Switzerland)

I have located a bag of ephemera that my mother saved from the trip which includes passports, travel passes, hotel stationery, and even a Swissair sick bag. I want to locate some wedding photos and additional images from the trip.

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