THE CENTRE FOR SENSORY STUDIES
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THE TEXTILES AND MATERIALITY CLUSTER,
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PRESENTS
Textiles Trade Time: A Symposium
Saturday 19 October 2019
09:30-17:00, Milieux Institute for Arts, Culture and Technology, EV Building, 11th floor

Join us for a daylong series of artists’ and scholars’ Provocations: 10-minute lightning talks that explore the histories, presents and futures of textiles across many sites, with a focus on Tiohtià:ke/Montreal as a locus of trade across cultures, nations, fibres and moments. Presenters consider Indigenous textile traditions; the role of textiles in colonialism; discussions of local or global labour and environmental textile implications; artistic and technological innovation in textiles and speculative spheres.

A ‘Provocation’ can be an artist’s talk, a scholarly presentation, a video or a performance, linked to one of four broad themes: Dynamics of Appropriation, Trade and Mobilities, Infrastructures and Continuities, Environment and Change.

Advanced registration is required via EventBrite, and includes morning coffee, vegetarian lunch and a closing reception.

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