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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Art Center Artists in Residence to Create Immersive Winter Installation



**Summit, NJ (December 8, 2016)**—Beginning this January, the Art Center will host a collaborative residency featuring artist and Art Center Faculty Member Lisa Pressman and mixed-media artist Krista Svalbonas. The artists will take over Studio X to create *Between Instances: A Collaborative Project* by Lisa Pressman and Krista Svalbonas.

The exhibition will feature photographic images each artist captured every Tuesday at 3:00 pm (EST) for an entire year, wherever they were located at that particular moment. They will use these images and other materials to create an immersive installation that speaks to themes of time, place and memory.

The opening reception will be held on Thursday, January 19 from 6:00 – 8:00 pm and is a free event open to all. Also on view through March 19, 2017: *From There to Here: Encaustic Paintings by Students of Lisa Pressman*; *From the Ground Up: Emerging Ceramicists at the Art Center Part II* and *Stair-Gazing: Rhia Hurt*.

**Continuing Exhibitions include:** *Rachel Beach: Touchstone* and *Renee Stout: At the Crossroads* on view through March 17, 2017.

**Image:** Lisa Pressman, *Tuesday, July 26, 2016, 3 PM Eastern*, from the archive of weekly photographs taken by the artists.

**Gallery Info:** Suggested admission \$5, students/seniors \$3, members and children under 12 accompanied by an adult free. Hours: Monday – Wednesday and Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm; Thursday 10:00am – 8pm; and Saturday & Sunday 11am – 4pm. Please call 908-273-9121 to confirm holiday hours. Adult and children's group tours for the Art Center's exhibitions are available throughout the year. For more information, call 908-273-9121 or visit [www.artcenternj.org](http://www.artcenternj.org).

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### About the Visual Arts Center of New Jersey

For more than 80 years, the Visual Arts Center of New Jersey has been dedicated to viewing, making and learning about contemporary art. Recognized as a leading non-profit arts organization and accredited by the American Alliance for Museums, the Art Center's renowned studio school, acclaimed exhibitions, and educational outreach initiatives serve thousands of youth, families, seniors and people with special needs every year.