## Challenging places: performance and discomforts

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www.cssd.ac.uk

 http://www.theatreapplied.org/ challenging-place



- Half Moon Young People's Theatre
- http://www.halfmoon.org.uk/
- Cyrff Ystwyth











- Oldham Theatre Workshop
- http://www.oldhamtheatreworkshop.co.uk

- Drama, Landscape and Memory, late 1990s-2000 (around the the Minack Theatre)
- The Caer Llan Trilogy 2002-2004, at a field studies centre on the Welsh borderlands
- Environmentalism network in Cove Park, Scotland, 2010-11
- Feast 2005 (ish) a south London allotment project (LIFT)

http://www.minack.com/
http://www.minack.com/showzorba09.htm

 'Drama, Landscape and Memory: to be is to be in place' (pdf)

## Dr, L and M:

- idyllic landscape
- childhood
- community
- density of experience (theatre)















- http://www.caerllan.co.uk/about.html
- http://www.bobwalters.co.uk/ performing\_place/start.html
- http://www.theatreapplied.org/ performingplace/Pages/intro2.html

- Temporary inhabitation of place
- Repetition of performance = performing place (later)
- Density of living
- Heterotopic communities

- http://www.theatreapplied.org/ performingplace/Pages/pp1 4.html
- http://www.theatreapplied.org/ performingplace/Pages/pp1\_5.html

## Alternative entry points:

- http://www.theatreapplied.org/ performingplace/Pages/Clips/clip12.html
- http://www.theatreapplied.org/ performingplace/Pages/Clips/clip13.html

www.nest-life.com/

- http://performancefootprint.co.uk/
- http://covepark.org/





http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-1375551/HMS-Astute-shooting-Submarine-leaves-scene-crime.html







 http://performancefootprint.co.uk/ 2011/02/cultivating-attentivenessresponses-to-glasgowcove-park/















































## The Upper Case:

- Living with Environmental Change is a partnership of 22 major UK public sector funders and users of environmental research, including the research councils and central government departments. ...
- Living with Environmental Change is the politics of inconvenient truths-and-lies and Planet Stupid
- Living with Environmental Change is knowing of recent nuclear waste at Faslane and Coulport.
- Living with Environmental Change is the worry of not knowing how to Live with Environmental Change ...

## the lower case:

- living with environmental change is watching a mother change her environment, happily leaving behind a life's belongings in moving to a home.
- living with environmental change is barely noticing a light in the day as we pass.
- living with environmental change is feeling I should be supporting a mother in Monmouth and not sheltering so richly in the Scottish environment.
- living with environmental change is turning away from large scale Scottish grandeur and the nuclear to attend to detail.

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(see theatreapplied.org and look for Challenging Place)



http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=St\_DpzckQiQ







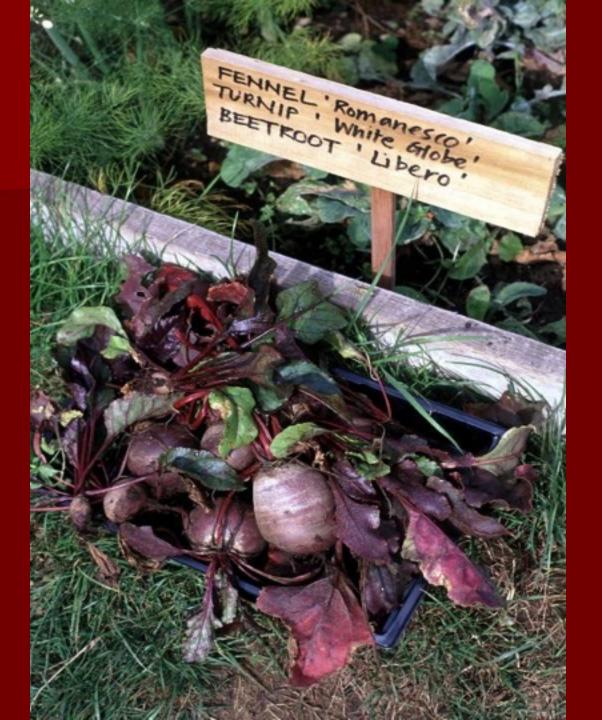


































- http://www.bobwalters.co.uk/ performing\_place/Pages/Clips/clip32.html
- http://www.bobwalters.co.uk/ performing\_place/Pages/Clips/clip18.html

- http://www.bobwalters.co.uk/ performing\_place/Pages/Clips/clip9.html
- http://www.bobwalters.co.uk/ performing\_place/Pages/pp1\_2.html
- http://www.nest-life.com/

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=St\_DpzckQiQ