



The Sound-truck of

July 14 – August 2, 2023

An exhibition of works by Tielin Ding

NARS Project Space
Opening Reception: Friday, July 14, 6-8pm

NARS Foundation is pleased to present *The Sound-truck of*, a solo exhibition by NARS Residency Alumni Tielin Ding. John Cage asked in 1958 "when a truck is passing by a music school or a factory, which is more musical"? I have been thinking about the moving truck signifying as a wandering heart, a risking mind and an international citizen who is always thinking of where to go and which direction to go.

A truck is a carrier, a vehicle of transportation and transformation, with the truck's aluminum surface reflecting sunrise, sunset, traffic lights and car lights while the wheels are always in motion. Along the journey, the truck keeps changing the color and light of its surface.



In this solo presentation, the artist is sharing a site of construc(k)tion with photo-based installation including a design element of yellow, which is a color that has been penetrating through in his previous practices, suggesting a sense of both continuation and separation, just like the yellow line in the middle of the road.

About the artist: Born in 1996 in Chongqing, China, **Tielin Ding** is a wanderer, observer and mixed-media artist whose diverse practice involves working with playful objects, indeterminate traces and movements to create performative actions. His application of "Mapping" and "Walking" gives him more opportunity to reflect on invisible systems within urban and natural spaces. Under the practice of way-finding, mark-making and game-changing, he has been very interested in drifting in the field of language and space, risking getting lost from point A to point B. He studied architecture engineering at Beijing University of Civil Engineering and Architecture for his bachelor and MFA in photography at Parsons School of Design, The New School in NYC.

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