

**First Weekends at Trinity Buoy Wharf presents
an installation by Dr Simon Park**

Exploring the Invisible

**Hello! We are the dark matter of the biological world.
Let it be noted that without the unacknowledged legislation of
microbes, inside and outside of you, there is no you**

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A unique blend of art and science revealing the hidden machinations of the natural world, by Dr Simon Park, Senior Lecturer in Molecular Biology in the Department of Microbial and Cellular Sciences at the University of Surrey, Guildford.

Opening Party Thursday 2nd May 5pm – 9pm
Exhibition open on the First Weekend of May 2013
Saturday 4th & Sunday 5th from 12 noon – 5pm

The Electricians Shop
Trinity Buoy Wharf
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The exhibited array of artworks include:

Bioluminescent Marine Bacteria glowing on the walls of the darkened room of the Electrician's Shop.

Lichens collected locally and then arranged in patterns illuminated with Ultra Violet light so that they fluoresce.

Natural Photosynthetic Microbes in water taken from the Thames and Lea, used to infuse paper exposed to light.

Bacterial Fingerprints transferring hand prints onto bacterial growth media, converted onto glass-like films.

General Microflora on swabs from various parts of the Wharf, cultivated on agar and displayed on lightboxes.

The Microflora of Mud on glass plates embedded into the mud of the Thames then left for 3-4 weeks to allow the bacteria in it to attach to the glass. Once removed, the plates are stained to reveal the bacteria.

A Winogradsky Column created in experiments made by incorporating copperas into temporary texts on concrete.

For more information: www.exploringtheinvisible.com

Curated by Garry Hunter at Fitzrovia Noir CIC.

