

### **About our contributors**

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# Pamela Baldacchino

As a visual artist whose gift for synthesis fuels her transdisciplinary approach to art, Pamela Baldacchino works within an integrative practice that brings together text, narrative, painting, design, video and research. This process seeks to create empathic structures and to blur what lies in-between; in-between thoughts, feelings, words and flesh.



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# Giuliana Fenech

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