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Connecticut College, Cummings Arts Center presents
Interdependence

Dates: September 7 – October 16, 2015
Exhibition Hours: M-F, 9 am – 5 pm
Gallery Talk: Wednesday, September 16, 6:30-7:15 pm
Reception: Wednesday, September 16, 7:15-8pm

NEW LONDON, Conn. –

Cummings Art Center is pleased to present *Interdependence*, the first exhibition of the fall semester featuring the art of Kate Gilbert and Abigail Anne Newbold, curated by Mary Tinti. In this two-person show running September 7 – October 16, 2015, both artists employ similar design and conceptual aesthetics in their investigations of the darker psychologies of independence and comfort. Shown together for the first time, their subtly humorous works may prompt viewers to feel both uneasy and reassured.

These design-focused artists come together in their desire to create clothing, accessories, and toolkits for survival in a world filled with anxiety and uncertainty. And they take a unique approach to exploring their relationship to economic hierarchies. They share a love of display environments, the creation of characters and the proclivity to combine high and low materials. The resulting exhibition highlights the interdependence of two artists on one another, on their materials and on their desire to transcend cultural expectations.

Kate Gilbert and Abigail Anne Newbold will be discussing their art Wednesday, September 16, 6:30-7:15 pm with a reception to follow from 7:15-8pm in the Cummings Arts Center Galleries. It is free and open to the public.

For more information about Kate Gilbert visit: <http://www.kategilbertstudio.com/>
For more information about Abigail Anne Newbold visit: <http://www.abigailanne.com/>

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