

Kaleidoscope MA Degree Show Birmingham School of Art Birmingham City University 31st August — 3rd September 2023

Clare Nisbet MA Art and Design: Interdisciplinary Practices Living the Dream

The post-war family home in Britain, with borrowed ideas taken from American ideals of the suburban house, can be seen in many housing developments across Britain. *Living the Dream* explores the seaside retirement home of my grandparents, a bespoke build in 1963. Set in the social and political context, this is an augmented vision, a dream home in a brand-new consumer world.

The hopes and fears are said to resonate keenly with the now. By taking a retrospective of the past, are we learning from the constructs of our home environments for future society? In a fast-paced digital world there is the danger of a *cultural amnesia*. We may forget altogether.

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Opening Times Thursday to Saturday 11.00 — 17.00 Sunday 11.00 — 16.00 Private view Thursday 31st August 18.00 – 20.00

