## Lindsay Seers & Keith Sargent Cold Light

Welcome to the world Cold Light by Lindsay Seers and Keith Sargent. The artists have created new environments for you to explore using video installation and virtual reality (VR).

This exhibition is inspired by the life and work of Nikola Tesla – an inventor and engineer who performed scientific experiments and believed in alien life forms. He had an extraordinary brain and was best known for his work on the electric lightbulb that we see and use today.

Lindsay Seers is a British artist who lives in the Isle of Sheppey, Kent. She is best known for her video installations and the hundreds of images she has produced using her own body as a camera.

> Keith Sargent is a British artist, graphic designer, film maker, educator, and UFO expert. He lives in the Isle of Sheppey, Kent.

Nikola Tesla was a Serbian American inventor who lived between 1856 – 1943. He invented the first alternating current motor and made a huge impact on technology today.











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Seers and Sargent are interested in the unique ways we think, feel, and learn. They use lots of images and sounds that relate to different Neurodivergent experiences.

This exhibition is an example of how we can use art to understand each other better. As you explore the gallery, think about what makes your mind unique...



## **Useful Words**

Cold Light – the name given to electric light once fire was no longer needed for illumination.

Alternating Current (AC) – a type of electrical current that constantly changes direction or flows back and forth on repeat.

Virtual Reality (VR) - a computer generated environment that a person can interact with by wearing electronic equipment like a headset.

Electromagnetism – a type of physical interaction that occurs between electrically charged particles.

Neurodiversity – a broad term used to describe the many and varying ways people perceive the world. Autism, ADHD, ADD and Dyslexia all come under Neurodiversity.

Consciousness – your awareness of yourself and the world around you.

UFO – a mysterious flying object that cannot be explained by science or fact. It stands for 'unidentified flying object'.

Extra-terrestrial – something that exists or lives outside of the Earth's atmosphere.

**Robot** – a mechanical device that can operate on their own.





