



三礫 THREE PEBBLES

Friday 27 October 2023 | 5.15pm Holywell Music Room

Part of Oxford International Song Festival's Song Futures programme, generously supported by the **Nicholas John Trust** Tangram
Alex Ho
Mantawoman
Laila Smith

Alex Ho (b.1993) - Rituals and Resonances

Mantawoman - Garden

Alex Ho - 4 Miniatures for our Littler Selves

Laila Smith - The Edge

Luciano Berio (1925-2003) - Sequenza III

Kishi Bashi (b. 1975) - I Am the Antichrist to You

with improvisations

ARTIST BIOGRAPHIES Oxfordsong.org/events/three-pebbles

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Tangram, a pioneering music collective and Associate Artists at LSO St Luke's, make their Oxford International Song Festival debut.

Today, Tangram unveils 'Three Pebbles,' a thoughtful exploration of Asiatic and Asian-diasporic experiences through the medium of the voice. Their artistic practice transcends established Western conventions of songwriting, songmaking, and songsinging, intricately interweaving genres, temporalities, and geographies.

'Three Pebbles' is an assemblage of rituals, some that trace our differences and others that offer opportunities for belonging -even for a moment. The repertoire comprises reinterpretations of existing compositions, original creations, and improvisations.