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## **REQUEERIUM**

A representation of queerness through interpreted memories

**Brooklyn, New York:** New York University is excited to present *Requeerium*, an interactive art piece taking place on Saturday, December 17th. Artists and engineers from the Interactive Telecommunications Program (ITP) and the Integrated Digital Media Program (IDM) will debut a performance installation that addresses notions of queerness and societal response in relation to contextual environments.

The performance highlights the emotions behind collected memories, ever changing based on participation and engagement. *Requeerium* confronts the idea of identity, rethinking motion capture technology as a tool for empathy and understanding, allowing interactive environments to confront audience members on preconceived ideations of queerness, as well as providing a space for queer audience members to see representations of stories similar to their own.

The experience consists of live motion capture cues by the audience coupled with a virtual reality installations to create a participatory performance, designed to immerse the audience in queer life. *Requeerium* will take place during the Bodies in Motion event at NYU's Media and Games Network (MAGNET) on the 8th Floor of 2 MetroTech Center in downtown Brooklyn. The event is free of charge.

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