



## The Gathering Reading List from Stuart Hall Library Collections

The following regarding list aims to explore the Stuart Hall Library Collection in relation to *The Gathering, a space for artists and cultural workers to convene in exploration of restorative practices to build frameworks for a more sustainable arts ecology.*

This reading list utilises the five pillars of the programme: Practice, Environment, Nourishment, Mind and Somatics as anchor points to explore the collections materials and aid with interpretation and further engagement on the programme.

Meeting INIVA's mission to *nurture, support and develop anti-racist and equitable spaces for artistic research, wellbeing, play, experimentation and enjoyment with creatives and communities*, this list explores themes relevant to *The Gathering* across global writings, practices and works, and will encourage critical engagement with the library's material collections.

1. **Belonging: a culture of place / bell hooks [ESS HOO]**
2. **Sisters of the yam: black women and self recovery / bell hooks [ESS HOO].**
3. **The Healing Wisdom of AFRICA- Finding life Purpose through nature, ritual, and community. – Malidoma Patrice Somé [ESS SOM].**
4. **Hope in the dark: untold histories, wild possibilities / Rebecca Solnit [ESS SOL]**
5. **Promise me tomorrow: notes on climate change and pedagogy / edited by Niellah Arboine [ZIN PRO]**
6. **Radical Rest / Evie Muir [ESS MUI]**
7. **KLA ART'24 Booklet / 32° East**
8. **CoLab: embodied healing / by artists Fauziya Johnson and Kiara Mohamed Amin [ZIN JOH]**
9. **Artist Kitchen Salon Zine / edited by Niellah Arboine [ZIN ART]**
10. **This broken piece of yard / edited by Cairo Clarke [ESS CLA]**
11. **How we hold: rehearsals for art and social change / Serpentine [410.111 SER HOW]**



12. Performing environmentalisms expressive culture and ecological change / edited by John Holmes McDowell, Katherine Borland, Rebecca Dirksen and Sue Tuohy [ESS PER]
13. Our mothers, our powers, our texts: manifestations of Aje in Africana Literature / Teresa N. Washington [ESS WAS]
14. Reclaiming the commons: biodiversity, indigenous knowledge, and the rights of Mother Earth / Vandana Shiva; foreword by Ronnie Cummins [ESS SHI]
15. All Art is Ecological / Timothy Morton [ESS MOR]
16. The Ethics of Earth Art / Amanda Boetzkes [ESS BOE]
17. Black gathering: art, ecology, ungiven life / Sarah Jane Cervenak. [ESS CER]
18. Black food: stories, art, & recipes from across the African diaspora / edited & curated by Bryant Terry [ESS BLA]
19. Farming while Black: Soul Fire Farm's practical guide to liberation on the land / Leah Penniman; foreword by Karen Washington [ESS PEN]
20. The gathering table / edited by Natalia Palombo and Jenny Salmean [412.5 GAT]
21. Care(less): a supplement to on care / edited by Gemma Blackshaw & Sharon Kivland [ESS CAR]
22. Future commons: notes on a year of care, connection and conversation / designed and edited by Priya Jay [ESS FUT]
23. Radical softness as a boundless form of resistance: reader / edited by Be Oakley [ESS RAD]
24. Decolonizing nature: contemporary art and the politics of ecology / T.J. Demos [ESS DEM]
25. The colors of nature: culture, identity, and the natural world / edited by Alison H. Deming and Lauret E. Savoy [ESS COL]
26. ...and other such stories: 2019 Chicago architecture biennial / Yesomi Umolu, Sepake Angiama, Paulo Tavares [773 ARC BIE 2019]
27. Architectures of Spatial Justice / Dana Cuff [ESS CUF]



- 28. Octavia's brood: science fiction stories from social justice movements / edited by Walidah Imarisha and Adrienne Maree Brown ; foreword by Sheree Renee Thomas [ESS OCT]**
- 29. Popular resistance in Palestine: a history of hope and empowerment / Mazin B. Qumsiyeh [ESS QUM]**
- 30. Dismantling green colonialism: energy and climate justice in the Arab Region / hamza Hamouchene & Katie Sandwell [ESS DIS]**