



## #0°0'0" – Homma Meridian and Street Road Artists Space

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The Homma Meridian project, begun in 2010, displaces the Prime Meridian to highlight its constructed nature. A north-south longitudinal line, marked  $0^{\circ}0'0''$ , has been installed in ephemeral ways in different places, ranging from Paris to Margate, to Budapest. The installation at Street Road Artists' Space in Cochranville, Pennsylvania, USA, initially meant to last 1 year, has persisted for over a decade now and has taken on multiple forms and offshoots, including the *Meridian Stone*, a stone carved with  $0^{\circ}0'0''$  that is passed amongst artists - participants are asked to place the stone in a location of personal importance, photograph it, and write a short description.

**For *BABE's Lost Weekend***, you are invited to make your own Prime Meridian: make your own location  $0^{\circ}0'0''$  for the day – draw your own line of longitude, in any ephemeral manner of your choosing. You can use a compass / compass app to make sure it runs north-south. Take a photograph, or a short video and share it with #BABE2021, including a short description, to @arnolfiniarts please tag with #0°0'0"

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