

THE SOUL CONVEYS ITSELF IN SHADOW / EL ALMA SE MUEVE EN LA SOMBRA

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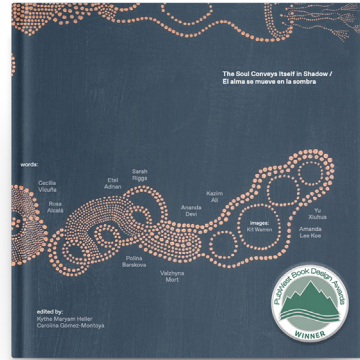
“This book is close to the perfect incarnation of what a nomadic poetry & poetics needs to & can be...”
—Pierre Joris, author of A Nomad Poetics and Always the Many, Never the One

“A joyous, prismatic collection that playfully pushes at the boundaries of translation.”
—Jeremy Tiang, author of State of Emergency

Translation as friendship. Translation in a fractured world. Our inaugural anthology—The Soul Conveys Itself in Shadow / El alma se mueve en la sombra—cross-pollinates five pairs of

internationally-celebrated poets and a visual artist through original poetry, mutual translation, and collaborative essays about the act of translation. The artwork offers dazzling patterns that resonate with language, suggesting cosmologies of dissolution and rebirth.

In The Soul Conveys Itself in Shadow / El alma se mueve



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en la sombra, editors Kythe Maryam Heller and Carolina Gómez-Montoya position English within a constellation, one point on a journey that is both cyclical and fresh. Here, translation means intimate, living relationships that expand beyond language and that model social practice. The result is a life-affirming language all its own.

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