

## Eric Great-Rex | Islands

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### Artwork Details:

Eric Great-Rex | Islands (Regret, Desire, Luck, Anger) | 2014 | Ceramic Tiles | Edition of 15 | 20.3 x 25.4 x 3.8 cm

*"Recently I watched a TV programme called 'The Island' hosted by the adventurer Bear Grylls. Thirteen British men were abandoned on an uninhabited Pacific island, and they had to fend for themselves with only the clothes they were wearing and some basic tools. As I watched this social experiment, to see if men can recapture their primeval instincts, I started to think that learning how to articulate the tricky and murky waters of established behaviours and attitudes could possibly be a more productive exploration of what it is to be a man. Maybe all the men could be equipped with an emotional compass to keep them moving in the right direction."*

### About the artist:

Eric Great-Rex is an artist based in London and is represented by the Silas Marder Gallery in Bridgehampton, New York. He is currently Senior Lecturer on the Professional Doctorate in Fine Art at the University of East London.

Recent Exhibitions include 'One Way or Another 2' Smart Gallery, Aberdeen, Scotland. (2013) 'Commemorative Objects' University of East London Professional Doctorate (2013) .. 'History of What' and 'The Big Show' at the Silas Marder Gallery, Bridgehampton, New York (2012-11).

His work is featured in private collections in the UK and USA.