



## Galleries pool resources for bigger picture

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**THREE** London galleries known for producing contemporary art stars are joining forces so that they can work on bigger projects.

The Chisenhale in Bow, The Showroom in St John's Wood and Studio Voltaire in Clapham, all non-profit, have a track record of Turner Prize-nominated exhibitions such as Lynette Yiadom-Boakye last year.

They have won an Arts Council grant of £210,000 to go towards a series of nine commissions over the next three years under the title *How to Work Together*. The first three artists to create work are Céline Condorelli, 39, from France, Australian Gerry Bibby, 36, and Ella Kruglyanskaya, 35, from Latvia, with exhibitions planned for the spring. In a joint statement, the galleries' directors – Polly Staple, Emily Pethick and Joe Scotland, respectively – said pooling their resources meant they could expand programmes, raise profile and show more "incredible" new work.