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Using the traditional sand art practiced in Jordan to fill discarded fluorescent tubes with pixelated patterns.

This pattern reflects the critical mass, a term that indicates the sufficient number of adopters of innovation in a social system, so that the rate of adoption becomes self-sustaining and creates further growth. The layers of sand are positioned to resemble the transition phase of a critical mass affecting the existing mass.

The sand particles resemble the human presence and necessity in such an environment.

The piece questions the definition of a normal and healthy community: statelessness and citizenship are now an inevitable reality in our world, therefore finding ways to include them in our collective pattern is as important as retaining the current one.

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