Pushing The Limits



2014 Exhibition

Expanding the Vision of Printmaking CENTRAL BOOKING Gallery | OffLINE Space | New York, NY

"Pushing The Limits" is a significant exhibition showing a wide range of artists who welcome the adventure of risk-taking. Thirty-six pieces by thirty artists represent various disciplines demonstrating originality, aptitude, and above all, a passion for going beyond tradition.

By expanding on the context in which printmaking is typically viewed, this show celebrates the versatile contemporary print practices happening today with the use of Akua Inks.

Susan Rostow Inventor of Akua Inks

An artist phoned me after reading the call for this exhibition in order to tell me that it made her think and inspired her to push her prints into new directions, beyond the conventional print on paper. This was the intent, to encourage artists who experiment with unusual concepts, surfaces, and objects, utilizing the possibilities Akua Inks can offer in combination with all kinds of media. After all, if we trace back to the sources of those traditions that have become imbedded, we will find innovators.

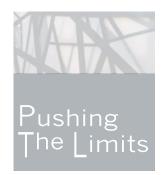
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ARTISTS

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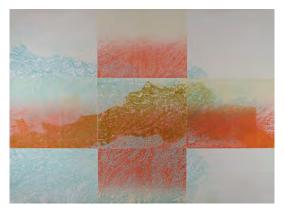
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- 5 So Yoon Lym
- 6 Matt Ellis | Mary Kostman
- 7 Jaune Quick-to-See Smith | Brenda Malkinson
- 8 Kirsten Flaherty
- 9 Jane Geard | Catherine Kernan
- 10 Meejin Hong | Susan Rostow
- 11 Bernice Cross | Joshua Tollefson
- 12 Dan Welden | Melody Leary
- 13 Meredith Dean | Beth Atkinson
- 14 Joyce Silverstone
- 15-16 Neal Ambrose Smith
 - 17 Nancy Langston
 - 18 Izumi Yuu Ueda
 - 19 Sumi Perera | Christine Stoughton
 - 20 Jeffrey K. Fisher



Randy Garber Listening: What You Already Know Multi-plate intaglio with copper tubing 15" x 32"



Melanie Yazzie Counting Monotype with guache 18" x 14"



Bonnie Baker Confluence Polymer plate etching 22" x 30"



Carrie Ann Plank

Uffe Luege Abe Luege

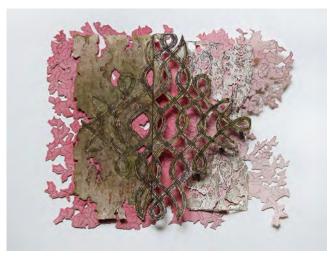
Letterpress, intaglio, relief in an accordian structure
6" x 13" x 1" (closed) , 6" x 130" x 1" (open)



Tekla McInerney
The View From Drowning 1, #1 from a suite of 3 prints
Drypoint, type written text
5.875" x 3.875"



Cynthia Back Encroachment Reduction woodcut, deep bite, aquatint, chine collé 8" x 22"



Indrani Nayar-Gall Decoding IA
Intaglio, trace print, cutting
10.5" x 12.5" x 5"



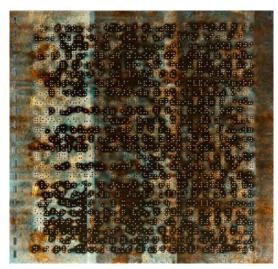
So Yoon Lym James: Solar Etched Solar etched print 10" x 8"



So Yoon Lym Mario II: Solar Etched Solar etched print 10" x 8"



Matt Ellis Keith III Intaglio and chine collé 6" x 6"



Mary Kostman Inaudible Image Monoprint, photograph 12" x 12"



Jaune Quick-to-See Smith Good Government Inverse intaglio-type 19" x 15"



Brenda Malkinson September Twenty Second Woodblock 7" x 5"



Kirsten Flaherty Spider Monkey Etching and aquatint 9" x 6"



Jane Geard *The Ensemble*Collagraph relief on mulberry
56" x 25"



Catherine Kernan Tracings #131 Woodcut monoprint 16" x 10"



Meejin Hong Soil Animation, Akua Ink on glass



Susan Rostow Controlling Motion Mixed media 20" x 20" x 20"



Bernice Cross A Different Scale Four plate intaglio-type 11" x 17"



Joshua Tollefson Face Cards Intaglio 34" x 26"



Dan Welden Sandy Solarplate intaglio 17" x 20"



Melody Leary Second Skin Solarplate intaglio, machine stitching, watercolor, metal eyelets and ribbon 6" x 18"



Meredith Dean *Satx Tondoi* Relief, epoxy, wood 19" x 15"



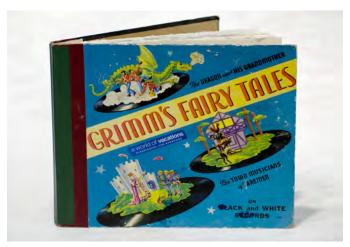
Beth Atkinson
Flow
Book structure with monotype and colored pencil
6" x 4" x 24" (open)



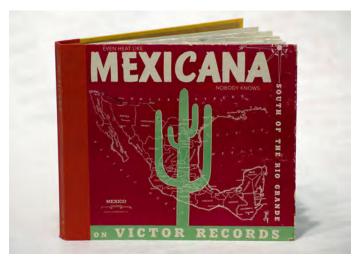
Joyce Silverstone Shift Relief, monotype, collage 24" x 15"



Neal Ambrose Smith Concert Under the Stars Inverse intaglio-type, Xerox transfer 35" x 22"



Neal Ambrose Smith *Grimm's Fairy Tales, A World of Vacations* Mixed media 10.5" x 12" x .75" (closed)



Neal Ambrose Smith
Even Heat Like Mexicana, Nobody Knows
Mixed media
10.5" x 12" x .75" (closed)



Nancy Langston Head High and Glass Rice paper on surfboard, mod podge, varnish 66" x 20" x 2"



Izumi Yuu Ueda *Okomota* Monoprint 20" x 20"



Izumi Yuu Ueda *On Your Toes* Itajime shibori on caste paper 10" x 48" x 4"



Sumi Perera
Think Outside the Building Blocks X
Relief embossed print from cut
card
4" x 6" (each box, closed)



Christine Stoughton
Liquid Light
Recycled prints on mulberry, paper pulp,
chicken wire
Dimensions variable



Jeffrey K. Fisher Rhinoceros Unicornis Monotype 18" x 20"



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