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**Kirsten Reynolds: *SPIN***  
**December 14, 2017 - January 28, 2018**

**Artist Reception:** December 15, 5-8pm

**SOWA First Friday Reception:** January 5, 5-8pm

**Artist Talk:** January 14, 2pm

**Second Sunday Concert Series:** January 14, 4-6pm

Poised between perpetual creation and imminent collapse, Kirsten Reynolds' large-scale, site-specific architectural installations activate the agency of uncertainty. Her work explores language, architecture and the body as related rational constructs that become flexible and emergent through humor, curiosity and wonder. The absurd architectural tableaux create a space between fact and fiction that the viewer can enter, becoming a participant in an irresolvable narrative.

Reynolds' new installation, *Spin*, her debut exhibition at Boston Sculptors, features a baroque cascade of architectural structures tumbling through the gallery. Colorful, patterned arcs attached to wood frames resembling post and beam construction appear to be fragments of larger decorative architectural forms. Reynolds transforms ordinary materials into playful exaggerations of the real to complicate the installation's physical presence. The faux wood grain finishes and painted patterns derived from origami paper create an illusory surface, rendering the architectural construction as unstable and performative. *Spin* presents a cartoonish, parallel world, engaging the viewer as observer and player.

Reynolds has exhibited widely, most recently at the McIninch Gallery, Southern New Hampshire University; the Museum of Art, University of New Hampshire; The Blue Star Contemporary Museum, San Antonio, TX; the Currier Museum, Manchester, NH; DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA; and 3S Artspace, Portsmouth, NH among others. She holds a BFA from Syracuse University and a MFA from Maine College of Art. Reynolds is the recipient of numerous awards including the Vermont Studio Center Fellowship, New Hampshire State Council for the Arts Artist Grant and the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation Greater Piscataqua Artist Advancement Award. She lives and works in Newmarket, NH with her husband and two children.

Kirsten Reynold's *Spin* will be on view concurrently with Evan Jespersen *Stretched*.

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