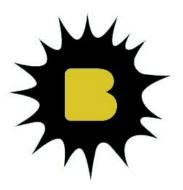
Press Release



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Brooklyn Museum Presents Major Survey of Work by Brooklyn Artists On View Tuesday, November 17th, 2015

The Brooklyn Museum continues its long tradition of focusing on Brooklyn-based artists with a follow up to our landmark survey, "Crossing Brooklyn," with a new show featuring works by over forty-five artists who live and/or work in Brooklyn. "Double Crossing Brooklyn: 6th Annual Real Estate Summit," on view from Tuesday November 7th featuring practices that span what Johanna Drucker has called "complicit aesthetics' to Julia Bryan-Wilson's identification of "Occupational Realism" the artists in the exhibition operate in the field of real estate that seek to erase boundaries between art and Capitalism. While most of the exhibition will take place in the museum's galleries, there will also be counter programming off-site in the streets and public spaces of the Brooklyn Museum.

The exhibition has been organized by the collaborative team GreenPearl, founded by members Ryan Slack, Mark Schacknies, and Nima Negahban. Slack is perhaps best known for his collaborative work, "PropertyShark", 2002-2006, and is the lead curator of GreenPearl. As suggested by the exhibition title, "Double Crossing Brooklyn," the organizers have traversed the borough, in search of the area's most successful principals in the innovative field of for-profit creative placemaking. Critiquing notions of diversity, they have selected an almost all white male roster of artists from the same field, to present the burgeoning monoculture within the borough of Brooklyn.

Art Critic Ben Davis has lavished praise on the exhibition, saying "The organizers of the Brooklyn Real Estate Summit are on the front lines of 'complicit aesthetics.'Through their bold innovation of raising everyone's rent, they have found a new and possibly final way to 'dematerialize' the art object for good, by pushing artists completely out of New York."

The show extends the tradition of collaborations between artists and real estate developers exemplified by Lucien Smith's one night "Macabre Suite" and No Longer Empty's "When you cut into the present the future leaks out". The discussion will be continued further in "Agitprop!," the museum's premier winter show organized by the Elizabeth A. Sackler Center for Feminist Art.

Please join us at 4:15 pm for our networking cocktail reception in front of the Brooklyn Museum to celebrate the opening of Double Crossing Brooklyn.

List of artists included in the exhibition:

Richard Mack, CEO Mack Real Estate Group

Elliot Spitzer, Former NY Governor & CEO Spitzer Enterprises

Eric Adams, Borough President, Brooklyn

Brendan Aguayo, Managing Director Halstead Property Development Marketing

Andrew Barrocas, Chief Executive Officer MNS

Kunal Chothani, Regional VP – New York City Area, Akelius Residential

Jared Della Valle, President Alloy Development

Michael D'Onofrio, Managing Director Engineered Tax Services

Michael Eglit, Principal Blackstone Group

David Ehrenberg, President & CEO Brooklyn Navy Yard Development Corporation

David Ennis, Founder & Principal The Daten Group

Chris Fischer, Chief Technology Officer Reonomy

Boaz Gilad, Co-Founder Brookland Capital

James Hedden, Chief Development Officer Rose Associates

David Heiden, Managing Partner & Director of Loan Origination W Financial

Paul Hoffmann, SVP – Special Inspections HAKS

Stephen Kliegerman, President Halstead Property Development Marketing

Jonathan Landau, Senior Account Executive Online Marketing Group

David Manheimer, Partner Brooklyn Standard

David Maundrell III, EVP – New Development, Brooklyn & Queens Citi Habitats

Andrew Miller, Owner Excelsior Equities

Jeffrey Moerdler, Member Mintz Levin

Toby Moskovits, CEO & Founder Heritage Equity Partners

Timothy Oberweger, VP – Business Development Fidelity National Title Insurance Company

David Pfeffer, Chair – Construction Practice Tarter Krinsky & Drogin

Seth Pinsky, Executive Vice President RXR Realty

Adam Popper, Managing Principal Westbrook Partners

Tucker Reed, President Downtown Brooklyn Partnership

William Robertson, Principal & Architect NBBJ

Jordan Sachs, Co-Founder & CEO Bold New York

Richard Sarkis, Chief Executive Officer Reonomy

Andrew Sasson, Director Eastern Consolidated

David Schwartz Principal Slate Property Group

Ilana Schwartz COO & EVP Online Marketing Group

Edward Setton Managing Partner Shamah Properties

Samvir Sidhu, Founder & CEO Megalith Capital Management

Alan Silver, Director – Acquisitions Toll Brothers

Jeff Simpson, CEO Property Development Greystone

Adam Spagnolo, Director – Business Development & Marketing SGA

Jim Stein, Senior Vice President Lincoln Property

Donald Tallerman, President Online Marketing Group

Can Tavsanoglu, Director – Acquisitions & Finance XIN

Paul Travis, Managing Partner Washington Square Partners

Jameson Weber, VP – Product Strategy Hightower

Susi Yu, EVP – Development Forest City Ratner

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