

Drawing in Thread: 3.30 - 5.2.10 Contemporary Embroidery

Curated by John Tricomi & Kathleen Driscoll

Reception:

4.8, 5-7pm

Gallery Talk:

6:30pm on 4.8

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Gallery Hours:
Tuesday - Sunday
1:00-5:00pm

Traditionally, embroidery is a decorative embellishment made with a needle and thread on textiles. This exciting exhibition includes the work of 19 contemporary artists who push the boundaries of traditional embroidery. Techniques of both traditional and non traditional embroidery are used to explore historical, political, personal and humorous iconographies. Works include a bounty of color and line as found in drawn landscapes, Miro like thread paintings and wall and floor installations held together in space by thread. These artists offer a surprising new vision of embroidery.

Annie Aube
Bren Ahearn
Deborah Slabeck Baker
Emily Barletta
Corrine Bayraktaroglu
Andrea Dezso
Katy Helman
Takashi Iwasaki
Anna Keck
Joetta Maue
Michael Aaron McAllister
Elaine McBride
Chris Niver
Marilyn Pappas
Marjorie Durko Puryear
Shannon Rankin
Richard Saja
Jodi Stevens
John Tricomi

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