

Art Miami & CONTEXT Art Miami FACT SHEET 2012

What:

Miami's longest-running contemporary art fair, **Art Miami** (<u>www.art-miami.com</u>), will run from Tuesday, Dec. 4, through Sunday, Dec. 9, 2012. The anchor art fair for the city of Miami returns this year not only with its compelling array of modern and contemporary paintings, drawings, sculptures, photography and prints from 21 countries around the world, but with a new addition: **CONTEXT Art Miami**, an expansion of Art Miami that will showcase a curated group of 65 international galleries representing exceptional emerging and mid-career cutting-edge artists, including solo artist installations, immersive environments, curated projects and multimedia exhibits. (<u>www.contextartmiami.com</u>) Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami will have a combined participation of more than 190 international galleries and prominent art institutions. World-famous for its outstanding quality, extraordinary variety, and stylish, gallery-like décor, Art Miami will take place in the 125,000-square-foot Art Miami Pavilion in Miami's Wynwood Arts District. CONTEXT Art Miami will take place in a 45,000-square-foot pavilion connected to the Art Miami Pavilion by an outdoor entertainment area that will include a café and bar, performance stage and curated projects, including a renowned wall by acclaimed street artist, BANKSY, among others.

Location:

The Art Miami I CONTEXT Art Miami Pavilions Midtown Miami | Wynwood 3101 & 3201 NE 1st Avenue (between NE 31 ST and NE 32 ST) Miami, FL 33137

Fair Hours:

VIP Preview (Access for Art Miami VIP Cardholders & Press)	
Tuesday, Dec. 4, 2012	5:30 to 10 p.m.
General Admission	
Wednesday, Dec. 5, 2012	11 a.m to 7 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 6, 2012	11 a.m to 7 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 7, 2012	11 a.m to 9 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 8, 2012	11 a.m to 7 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 9, 2012	11 a.m to 6 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 4, 2012

Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami Opening Night VIP Preview benefiting the Miami Art Museum 5:30 to 10 p.m.

Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami invite VIP cardholders and members of the press to experience an exclusive First View of the highly anticipated Art Miami fair and inaugural edition of CONTEXT Art Miami at a cocktail reception benefiting the Miami Art Museum. This can't-miss event is the first opportunity to acquire the finest works from the emerging, cutting-edge, contemporary and modern art movements, before both fairs open to the public the following day. Enjoy cocktails and hors d'oeuvres provided by Rums of Puerto Rico, Heineken, Bootlegger 21 New York Vodka, Societe Perrier and Spuntino Group Catering.

Tuesday, Dec. 4 - Sunday, Dec. 9, 2012 - During Fair Hours

Art Video | New Media Lounge

Video Program: Girls or Boys? Who Cares?!

The Art Video | New Media Lounge, located in the CONTEXT Art Miami Pavilion, will present a hand-picked selection of video art sourced from museums, private collections and art institutions around the globe, specially curated by Julia Draganovic, and Claudia Loffelholz, founders of LaRete Art Projects. The video art works will address the polemic gender issues in modern society, and question the ongoing debate about the current roles of men and women. Highlighted art works include: Said Atabekov's *Battle for the Square*, courtesy of Video insight, Turin; Gerald Byrne's *Homme à Femmes* (Michel Debrane), courtesy of Mudam Musèe d'Art Moderne du Grand-Duc Jean, Luxemburg; Eli Cortiñas's *Dial M for Mother*, courtesy of Stiftung Museum Kunstpalast, Düsseldorf; Oded Hirsch's 50 Blue, courtesy of Collection Robert Bielecki, New York; Janet Biggs' Brightness All Around, Courtesy of Tampa Museum of Art, Tampa (FL), and Carlson/Strom's *Sloss, Kerr, Rosenberg & Moore*, courtesy of Contemporary Collection of Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, USA

BANKSY Out of CONTEXT

CONTEXT Art Miami and photo-sharing platform I PXL U have partnered to exhibit five walls equaling six-and-ahalf-tons in weight, each displaying an iconic stencil by one of the world's most prominent graffiti artists. Key information on the exclusive exhibition and the artist will be distributed on-site.

Sugar & Gomorrah

Peter Anton's experiential "Sugar & Gomorrah" is the world's first art installation in which the viewer journeys in a reworked carnival ride through a modern interpretation of the destruction of a Sodom and Gomorrah-like world. Attendees will be able to enjoy the ride as part of the outdoor exhibition area.

ART FROM BERLIN

ART FROM BERLIN will be Miami's first showcase of some of the most celebrated Berlin galleries, presenting contemporary, international and innovative works specific to the state of Berlin, sponsored by the European Union, and on display in the CONTEXT Art Miami Pavilion. Works by renowned artists such as Gosbert Adler, Matteo Bergamasco, Eva Bertram, John Breed, Eb Broner, Dawid, Pia Dehne, Inka and Niclas, Gal-la Uriol Jané, Christiane Klatt, Franziska Klotz, Levke Leiss, Wiebke Loeper, Knut Wolfgang Maron, Rex Ray, Susanne Ring, Susanne Roewer, Christine Rusche, Eric Schmidt and Björn Wallbaum, will serve as the highlights of this special exhibition. ART FROM BERLIN is supported by BERLIN LOUNGE in cooperation with Haus am Waldsee.

Wednesday, Dec. 5, 2012

Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami After-Party at the EPIC Hotel

7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Location: 270 Biscayne Boulevard Way, Miami, FL 33131

Art Miami exhibitors and Host Committee are invited to an after-party at the EPIC Hotel featuring cocktails and hors d'oeuvres.

Thursday, Dec. 6, 2012

5th Annual Museum Professional & Curators Brunch

11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami invite all museum professionals and curators to enjoy a delectable brunch in Art Miami's VIP Lounge while mingling with peers, Art Miami dealers, Fair Director Nick Korniloff and Curators Julia Draganovic, Elena Forin and Claudia Löffelholz of LaRete Art Projects, along with Nicholas Cohn of Nicholas Cohn Art Projects. RSVP Required.

The Buoniconti Fund VIP Reception at the CONTEXT Art Miami Pavilion

5 to 7 p.m.

Art Miami and the Buoniconti Fund host a VIP reception featuring the artwork of Ma Desheng, who will be present for the event. A portion of artwork sales proceeds will be donated to The Buoniconti Fund to Cure Paralysis.

MAM Party on the Plaza

7 to 11 p.m.

The Miami Art Museum Party on the Plaza is the Museum's largest event of the year. Hosted by MAM Director Thom Collins, the celebration of the New York Miami 2013 exhibition will feature newly commissioned works by Miami's vibrant artistic community, special musical performances, and cocktails on the Museum's outdoor plaza. Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami VIP Cardholders and Exhibitors will have access to the event.

Friday, Dec. 7, 2012 VIP Guided Tour with Carol Damian Time: TBD

Carol Damian, Director of the Frost Art Museum leads an intimate VIP guided tour of the fairs.

Lincoln Schatz Book Signing

4 to 6 p.m. – Art Miami VIP Lounge

Just as the nation is settling in after the election and reflecting on the year coming to a close, video artist Lincoln Schatz (whose *Esquire* Magazine Portrait of the 21st Century won him national critical acclaim) is releasing a major new book and simultaneous portrait presentation at Washington, D.C.'s National Portrait Gallery: **THE NETWORK:** *Portrait Conversations* In **THE NETWORK**, Schatz offers a stunning and unique portrayal of contemporary American leadership and innovation. Representing government, business, science, technology, and culture, Schatz' eighty-nine subjects include father of the Internet Vint Cerf, Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, Emmy Award-winning journalist Cokie Roberts, Republican strategist Karl Rove, liberal heavyweight Vernon Jordan, National Cancer Institute Director Dr. Harold Varmus, and Miami-based art collector and philanthropist Mera Rubell. Lincoln Schatz is represented by CONNERSMITH., Washington, DC. The Network may be seen at Art Miami, booth B19.

Christie's International Real Estate VIP Party

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Christie's International Real Estate will host an exclusive reception in the Art Miami VIP Lounge. By invitation only.

Saturday, Dec. 8, 2012

The Bloggers' Guide to Art Miami

11 a.m.

Artist/blogger Joanne Mattera takes to the aisles for an hour-long tour of the Fair, stopping to admire artwork and engage in dialogue with dealers. There will be informal discussions following the tour.

Saturday, Dec. 8, 2012 Art Miami After Party at Bakehouse Art Complex

7 to 10 p.m.

Location: 561 NW 32nd Street Miami, FL 33127 (www.bacfl.org) T: 305-576-2828

Bakehouse Art Complex hosts VIP after-party. Artists' studios are open. Art Miami + CONTEXT Art Miami VIP Cardholders and exhibitors will receive complimentary admission. There is a \$10 donation for general public. Enjoy complimentary beverages and live entertainment.

Ticket Information:

One-day fair pass	\$20
One-day fair pass, including catalog	\$50
Multi-day fair pass	\$40
Multi-day fair pass, including catalog	\$65
Art Miami 2012 Catalog	\$35
Students 12-18 years and Seniors	\$10
Children under 12 years, accompanied by adult	Free
Groups 10 or more	\$10

Admission tickets can be purchased on the website. For additional information, email <u>info@art-miami.com</u>, or visit <u>www.artmiami.com</u> or <u>www.contextartmiami.com</u>

Art Miami Participating 2012 Galleries:

101 / Exhibit | Miami, Abby M. Taylor Fine Art | Greenwich, Adrian Sassoon | London, Alan Cristea Gallery | London, Aldo de Sousa Gallery | Buenos Aires, Alfredo Ginocchio | Mexico, Allan Stone Gallery | New York, Alpha Gallery | Boston, Antoine Helwaser | New York, Arcature Fine Art | Palm Beach, Armand Bartos Fine Art | New York, Art Forum Ute Barth | Zurich, Art Nouveau Gallery | Miami, Arthur Roger Gallery | New Orleans, Ascaso Gallery | Miami, Barry Friedman | New York, Blue Leaf Gallery | Dublin, Bolsa De Arte | Porto Alegre, Bridgette Mayer Gallery | Philadelphia, C. Grimaldis Gallery | Baltimore, Catherine Edelman | Chicago, Cernuda Arte | Coral Gables, Christopher Cutts Gallery | Toronto, Claire Oliver Gallery | New York, CONNERSMITH. | Washington, DC, Contessa Gallery | Cleveland, Cynthia Corbett Gallery | London, Cynthia-Reeves | New York, Dai Ichi Arts, Ltd. | New York, David Klein Gallery | Birmingham, David Lusk Gallery | Memphis, David Richard Gallery | Santa Fe, De Buck Gallery | New York, Dean Project | New York, Denise Bibro Fine Art | New York, DeVera. Iglesias | Miami, Dillon Gallery | New York, Dot Fiftyone Gallery | Miami, Douglas Dawson | Chicago, Durban Segnini Gallery | Miami, Durham Press | Durham, Eckert Fine Art | Millerton, Eli Klein Fine Art | New York, Evelyn Aimis Fine Art | Miami, Fama Gallery | Verona, Ferrin Gallery | Pittsfield, Galería Patricia Ready | Santiago, Galerie Forsblom | Helsinki, Galerie Kleindienst | Leipzig, Galerie Olivier Waltman | Paris, Galerie Peter Zimmermann | Mannhein, Galerie Renate Bender | Munich, Galerie Terminus | Munich, Galerie Von Braunbehrens | Munich, Galleri Andersson/Sandstrom | Stockholm, Galleria Bianconi | Milan, Galleria D'Arte Contini | Venice, Goya Contemporary | Baltimore, Hackelbury Fine Art | London, Haunch of Venison | New York, Heller Gallery | New York, Hollis Taggart Galleries | New York, Jackson Fine Art | Atlanta, James Barron Art | South Kent, Jenkins Johnson Gallery | New York, Jerald Melberg Gallery | Charlotte, JGM. Galerie | Paris, Jim Kempner Fine Art | New York, Joel Soroka Gallery | Aspen, Juan Ruiz Gallery | Miami, June Kelly Gallery | New York, KM Fine Arts | Chicago, Kreisler Art Gallery | Madrid, Lausberg Contemporary | Düsseldorf, Leila Heller Gallery | New York, Leon Tovar Gallery | New York, Leslie Sacks Contemporary | Santa Monica, Leslie Smith Gallery | Amsterdam, Lisa Sette Gallery | Scottsdale, Lyons Wier Gallery | New York, Magnan Metz Gallery | New York, Mark Borghi Fine Art Inc | New York, Mayoral Galeria D'Art | Barcelona, McCormick Gallery | Chicago, Michael Goedhuis | London, Michael Schultz Gallery | Berlin, Mike Weiss Gallery | New York, Mindy Solomon Gallery | St. Petersburg, Modernbook Gallery | San Francisco, Modernism Inc. | San Francisco, Nancy Hoffman Gallery | New York, Nicholas Metivier Gallery | Toronto, Nikola Rukaj Gallery | Toronto, Nohra Haime Gallery | New York, Now Contemporary | Miami, Olyvia Fine Art | London, Osborne Samuel | London, Pace Prints | New York, Pan American Art Projects | Miami, Paul Thiebaud Gallery | San Francisco, Peter Fetterman Gallery | Santa Monica, Piece Unique | Paris, Priveekollektie Contemporary Art & Design | Heusden, Rosenbaum Contemporary | Boca Raton, Rudolf Budja Gallery LLC |

Miami, Santa Giustina | Lucca, Schantz Galleries | Stockbridge, Schuebbe Projects | Düsseldorf, Scott White Contemporary Art | La Jolla, Shaheen Modern and Contemporary Art | Cleveland, Simon Capstick-Dale Fine Art | New York, Sundaram Tagore | New York, Talento / Guijarro de Pablo | Mexico City, Tresart | Coral Gables, Unix Contemporary | London, Vincent Vallarino Fine Art | New York, Waterhouse & Dodd | London, Westwood Gallery | New York, Wetterling Gallery | Stockholm, William Shearburn Gallery | St. Louis, Woolff Gallery | London, Yares Art Projects | Santa Fe, Zadok Gallery | Miami, Zolla/Lieberman Gallery Inc. | Chicago

Inaugural CONTEXT Participating 2012 Galleries:

AJLart | Berlin, Asymmetrik | New York, Atlas Gallery | London, Aureus | Contemporary | Providence, Bankrobber | London, Berlin Lounge by LVBG | Berlin, Beth Urdang Gallery | Boston, Black Square Gallery | Miami, Cancio Contemporary | Bal Harbour, Centro De Edicion | San Martin, ClampArt | New York, CONNERSMITH. | Washington, DC, Contemporary by Angela Li | Hong Kong, Curator's Office | Washington, DC, Dialogue Space Gallery | Beijing, Dmitriy Semenov Gallery | Saint-Petersburg, Fabien Castanier Gallery | Studio City, Frederieke Taylor Gallery | New York, FREIGHT + VOLUME | New York, Gaga Gallery | Seoul, Galeria Enrique Guerrero | Mexico City, Galeria Sicart | Barcelona, Galerie cubus-m | Berlin, Galerie Kornfeld | Berlin, Galerie Leroyer | Montreal, Galerie Paris - Beijing | Paris, Galerie Richard | Paris, Gering & Lopéz Gallery | New York, Glaz Gallery | Moscow, J. Cacciola Gallery | New York, Jennifer Kostuik Gallery | Vancouver, Kasia Kay Art Projects | Chicago, Kavachnina Contemporary | Miami, Kit Schulte Contemporary Art | Berlin, Kunst Limited | San Jose, Licht Feld | Basel, Lyle O. Reitzel Gallery | Santo Domingo, Lyons Wier Gallery | New York, Magnan Metz Gallery | New York, Marcia Wood Gallery | Atlanta, The McLoughlin Gallery | San Francisco, Merry Karnowsky Gallery | Los Angeles, Morgen Contemporary | Berlin, Nina Menocal Gallery | Mexico, NOMAD Gallery | Brussels, Packer Schopf Gallery | Chicago, Patricia Conde Galería | Mexico City, Porter Contemporary | New York, Praxis International Art | New York, Robert Klein Gallery | Boston, Robert Mann Gallery | New York, Stewart Gallery | Boise, Swedish Photography | Berlin, Traeger & Pinto Arte Contemporaneo | Mexico, The Proposition | New York, Torbandena | Trieste, Varnish Fine Art | San Francisco, Villa del Arte galleries | Barcelona, White Room Art System | Positano, Witzenhausen Gallery | Amsterdam, z2o Galleria | Rome, Zadok Gallery | Miami, zone B | Berlin, Zemack Contemporary Art | Tel Aviv, 532 Gallery Thomas Jaeckel | New York

About Art Miami, LLC

Art Miami, LLC, is a partnership consisting of art and media industry veterans Nick Korniloff, Mike Tansey and Brian Tyler. Art Miami, LLC, produces Art Miami (<u>www.art-miami.com</u>), Miami's longest-running contemporary art fair, CONTEXT Art Miami (www.contextartmiami.com), Art Wynwood (<u>www.art-wynwood.com</u>) and the prestigious Art Southampton (www.art-southampton.com).

About Art Miami

Known as Miami's premier anchor fair, Art Miami kicks off the opening day of Art Week. The fair will commence on December 4, 2012 with Art Miami's highly anticipated Opening Night VIP Preview which benefits the Miami Art Museum. World-famous for its outstanding quality, extraordinary variety, and stylish gallery-like decor, Art Miami showcases the finest in modern and contemporary art from more than 125 of the most prestigious international art galleries. Art Miami maintains a preeminent position in America's modern and contemporary art fair market. With a rich history, it is the original and longest-running contemporary art fair in Miami and continues to receive praise for the variety of unparalleled art that it offers. It is the "must see" event for all serious collectors, curators, museum directors, and interior designers providing an intimate look at some of the most important work at the forefront of the international contemporary art movement.

About CONTEXT Art Miami

Miami's newest international emerging and cutting-edge art fair, will launch with a VIP Private Preview on Tuesday, December 4, 2012 coinciding with the 23rd edition of Art Miami. Trendsetting galleries from around the globe will exhibit in a state-of-the-art pavilion directly adjacent to Art Miami. CONTEXT Art Miami will feature a curated group of 65 galleries representing exceptional emerging and mid-career cutting edge artists, including solo artist installations, immersive environments, curated projects and multimedia exhibits. The CONTEXT Art Miami Pavilion will feature a VIP Lounge, Art Video New Media Lounge, performance stage, indoor and outdoor curated

projects and will be located just 50 feet north of the existing 125,000 square-foot Art Miami Pavilion. The combined exhibition space will increase the overall roster of galleries to 190 participants and cover 250,000 square feet. Ample and convenient parking is available for both fairs through the use of a four-story parking garage with 2,000 spots, located directly across the street from the CONTEXT & Art Miami Pavilions as well as valet parking. A network of complimentary shuttle buses will run round-trip service between Art Miami, CONTEXT Art Miami and Art Basel Miami Beach.

Art Miami Sponsors and Partners

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About the Miami Art Museum

Miami Art Museum, a modern and contemporary art museum located in downtown Miami, Fla., is dedicated to collecting and exhibiting international art of the 20th and 21st centuries with an emphasis on the cultures of the Atlantic Rim—the Americas, Europe and Africa—from which the vast majority of Miami residents hail. Miami Art Museum's educational programming currently reaches more than 30,000 people every year, with the largest art education program outside the Miami-Dade County Public Schools. Miami Art Museum will reopen as Pérez Art Museum Miami, next year in downtown Miami's Museum Park. The new, expanded museum, designed by Herzog & de Meuron, will provide room to showcase growing collections, expanded exhibition space to bring more world-class exhibitions to Miami-Dade County and an educational complex. For more information about Miami Art Museum, visit miamiartmuseum.org or call 305.375.3000.

Hotel Partner: Kimpton's EPIC Hotel

Kimpton's EPIC Hotel, Miami has been named the "Official Luxury Hotel for Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami and will host an exclusive VIP reception on Wednesday, Dec. 5, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., on the hotel's pool deck. The invitation-only event will bring together top collectors, curators, dealers and artists in town for the 23rd edition of Art Miami and the inaugural edition of CONTEXT Art Miami. Guests will receive special room rates, as well as unlimited access to the daily shuttle buses that will service Art Miami and CONTEXT Art Miami, as well as Art Basel Miami Beach and the EPIC Hotel. Guests will also enjoy access to the fairs' VIP Lounges.

About Christie's International Real Estate

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