MEDIA ALERT

BRONXUSEUM

ARTISTS IN THE MARKETPLACE (AIM) BIENNIAL OPENS AT BRONX MUSEUM, WAVE HILL, AND 1285 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS ART GALLERY

SITE SPECIFIC OUTDOOR INSTALLATIONS BY AIM ARTISTS DISPLAYED ON RANDALL'S ISLAND FOR FLOW.13

Bronx Calling: The Second AIM Biennial

Beginning June 22, The Bronx Museum will showcase the work of Artists in the Marketplace participants with *Bronx Calling: The Second AIM Biennial*, on view at **The Bronx Museum**, **Wave Hill**, and **1285 Avenue of the Americas Art Gallery**. Organized by Lia Zaaloff (Bronx Museum Curator), Elizabeth M. Grady (Guest Curator), and Gabriel de Guzman (Wave Hill Curator of Visual Arts), the exhibition will feature sculptures, works on paper, video installations, paintings, photographs, and performances by the 73 participants in the 2012-2013 AIM program. Site specific outdoor installations by five AIM artists will also be featured on Randall's Island beginning June 15 as part of FLOW.13. All AIM artists currently live in the New York area. AIM artists hail from the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico, the Dominican Republic, Cuba, Chile, Spain, Croatia, Italy, Serbia, Germany, Estonia, Poland, Israel, Japan, Korea, Hong Kong, Nigeria, and Bangladesh.

WHEN and WHERE:

Exhibitions and openings at all four spaces are free and open to the public.

The Bronx Museum of the Arts - 1040 Bronx Grand Concourse, Bronx, NY 10456

- June 23 September 8, 2013
- Opening reception: Sunday, June 23, 2013, 2 5 PM

Wave Hill - 675 Independence Ave, Bronx, NY 10471

- June 22 September 8, 2013
- Opening reception: Saturday, June 22, 2013, 1 4 PM

1285 Avenue of Americas Art Gallery - 1285 6th Ave, New York, NY 10019

- June 24 September 20, 2013
- Opening reception: Monday, June 24, 2013, 6 8 PM

Randall's Island - Southern area, along the water

• Opening: Saturday, June 15, 2013, 2 – 5 PM

About AIM

For more than three decades, The Bronx Museum of the Arts' **Artists in the Marketplace (AIM)** program has supported **emerging artists** by providing professional development resources and introducing their work to the public. AIM is structured as a "collaborative residency" in which participants work directly with established artists, collectors, art critics, curators, dealers, lawyers, and other art world professionals. AIM sessions provide

information, instruction, and professional guidance by addressing areas of practical concern to artists, among them are curatorial practice, copyright law, exhibition and public art opportunities, gallery representation, grant writing, income taxes, and marketing. The 13-week seminar is offered annually in two sessions, each with 36 artists, and culminating with an exhibition of the participants' work. Among past participants in the AIM program are Glenn Ligon—who was one of the early AIM artists and whose work was first exhibited at the Bronx Museum—and Polly Apfelbaum, Rina Banerjee, Amy Cutler, Anton Vidokle, and Phoebe Washburn. In 2012, Joseph R. Wolin was selected as the Art Critic in Residence for the AIM program.

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Artists Represented in the 2013 AIM Biennial, by Location:

The Bronx Museum of the Arts

Ido Abramsohn Njideka Akunvili Firelei Báez Katie Cercone Michelle Marie Charles Abigail DeVille Stephanie Dodes Alan and Michael Fleming Sean Paul Gallegos Daniele Genadry David Goodman Alicia Grullon Alejandro Guzmán Duron Jackson Jay Paavonpera Jacolby Satterwhite Wade Schaming Diana Shpungin Pacifico Silano Kant Smith Allison Wall

1285 Avenue of the Americas

Art Gallery Ok Hyun Ahn Miya Ando Nobutaka Aozaki Peter Baker Tatiana Berg Reade Bryan Onvedika Chuke Lourdes Correa-Carlo Sonia Louise Davis Matt Frieburghaus Gisela Insuaste Ellie Irons Steffani Jemison Heidi L. Johnson Marta Jovanović Daniel Lichtman Shaniana Mahmud Jason Mones Eto Otitigbe Jason Peters Freva Powell Rob Raphael Erick Sánchez David Schroeter Marisa Tesauro Ka-Man Tse Jenifer Wightman Seldon Yuan

Wave Hill

aricoco (Ari Tabei) Héctor Arce-Espasas Maša Bajc Aurora De Armendi Lisa Elmaleh Raúl Gómez Valverde Emily J. Hara Robyn Hasty **Benjamin Heller** Janne Höltermann Elizabeth Hoy Naoko Ito Guillaume Légaré Summer McCorkle Dean Monogenis José Antonio Ojeda Vittorio Ottaviani Anne Percoco Sarada Rauch Jessica Sanders Elisabeth Smolarz Terttu Uibopuu Andrea Wolf

Randall's Island Stephanie Dodes Alejandro Guzmán Eto Otitigbe Anne Percoco

Jennifer Wightman