

5th Annual NARS Foundation Open Studios

May 12: I-8 PM & May 13: I-5 PM



The New York Art Residency & Studios (NARS) Foundation is delighted to announce its 5th Annual Open Studios. Join us for a festive weekend and get a glimpse into the private studios and working artist environment at the NARS studios, located along the New York Harbor in Sunset Park, Brooklyn. As the arts initiative in South Brooklyn continues to rapidly evolve and thrive, Open Studios offers an opportunity for their unique community to open their doors and showcase their work and diverse practices and mediums. Six artists from Season I 2012 of the International Artist Residency Program will also be inviting visitors into their studios to present what they have been working on during their three and six month terms.

NARS Foundation Sunset Park Studios

88 35th Street, 3rd Floor, Brooklyn NY, 11232

D, **N**, **R** to 36th Street in Brooklyn – only 2 express stops from Manhattan

Shuttle Service between Manhattan and Sunset Park:

Pick up location: New Museum, 235 Bowery, New York, NY 10002

2 PM / 4 PM / 6 PM

Return Drop off leaves from NARS Foundation:

3 PM / 5 PM / 7 PM

Studio Artists:

Austin Adams **Justin Davis** Esmeralda Dean Russo lose Arenas Michael Ensminger Kosmatopoulos Mason Saltarrelli Patricia Ayres Carlota Figueras Ellen Coleman Izzo Steev Scott Gennadi Barbush Betty Hart Roberta Lawson Chinatsu Seya **lean Boggs** Cosme Herrera Marisa Manso Michael Solomon Michael Paul Britto Griselda Healy Francesco Paola Strada Nyeema Morgan Michael Brown Aaron Hillebrand Anatoly Mikhailov Masaki Takizawa Dorothea Buschell Mikhail Iliatov Rose Nestler Elizabeth Velazquez Richard Castellana Rachel Kahn Tempest NeuCollins Kate Wattson Jacqueline Cedar Marat Kharisov Marcie Paper Elizabeth Townsend West Cathleen P. Cueto II Kyung Han Kim Jin-kang Park Natalia Yovane

International Residency Artists 2012 Season I:

Santina Amato, Suzanne Goldenberg, Tang-Wei Hsu, Hisao Ihara, Jacqueline Hoang Nguyen, Anna Tihanyi, Cullen Washington Jr.

Music: D| Edwin Peralta

PIANO Norman Zamcheck



Performance: Yumi Kurosawa (Koto, Percussion, Computer Sound) 6:00pm at Parlor room



Born and raised in Japan, received first prize at National Competition for students in 1989 and '92 and Scholarship from The Agency for Cultural Affairs of Japan in '98. She has appeared in Prague Cello Ensemble Concert at Suntory Hall, Tokyo in '96, NHK Broadcast TV program, Genjimonogatari-WAKANA, in '00. She also studied computer music at computer music lab when she was attending Keio University. As well as extensive performance in Japan, in 2002, she moved to New York, she has appeared on well known venues such as Apollo sound stage Joe's pub and held her concert at Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie, her first CD, Beginning of a Journey, featuring her own compositions, was released in 2009. Yumi appeared as the soloist for the world premiere of Koto Concerto: Genji, by composer Daron Hagen in NYC, DC and with the Orchestra of the Swan in UK, and she will play this Concerto at World Financial Center on the May 5th. She will be appeared in the Chelsea Music Festival, Concerts in Japan and many others. She has received great concert review several times in New York Times, The Washington Post and so on. http://www.yumikuro.com

On View in the NARS Foundation Gallery



Objects in Motion

2012 Season I International Residency Artist Exhibition

May 12 - June 17

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The New York Art Residency and Studios (NARS) Foundation is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit arts organization committed to supporting artists and curators on an international level as well engaging the local community in Brooklyn and the Greater New York area. NARS provides an array of creative support services and professional development opportunities for emerging and mid-career artists through short-term integrated residency programs, affordable long-term studio spaces, progressive exhibition programs, international exchanges, and engaging public programs that foster global understanding and dynamic cross-cultural dialogues. These services operate in conjunction with our community outreach initiatives to promote greater accessibility to contemporary art for the underserved local community in south Brooklyn. Our mission is to present diverse platforms on which to nurture creative inspiration and innovative cross-pollination of ideas.

For further information, please contact us at www.narsfoundation.org, info@narsfoundation.org or 718-768-2765. To view a complete registry of NARS Artists, visit http://narsfoundation.org/artists.php

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