



“EMERGENCE” A NEW SECTION DEDICATED TO EMERGING YOUNG GALLERIES

SHOW OFF’s “Emergence” section is dedicated to featuring young emerging galleries with less than three years of experience under their belts. With SHOW OFF’s new commitment to Solo Shows, young galleries will have a unique opportunity to feature a single artist and create a solo show of their work. 12m2 booths at an all-inclusive affordable price make Show Off’s section for emerging galleries one not to be missed.

Galleries will enjoy a prime location at the foot of the Grand Palais and the FIAC. This new emerging galleries section will include :

Room Art Space, London featuring Gordon Cheung
www.roomartspace.co.uk



Revelation XI, 2009 - Pyrography on plywood, 32.5 x 24.5 cm (detail) - Courtesy Room Art Space

Room Art Space opened in 2008 under Sandie Macrae, and will feature at SHOW OFF the work of the young British artist Gordon Cheung. Raised in London, Cheung’s works traverses cultures through a juxtaposition of images, symbols and ideas from a diverse range of sources. Cheung’s diverse use of material recalls the globalized world at the crux of illusion and disillusion. He won the prize Laing Art Solo in July 2007 and his works are part of international collections in the Hirshhorn Museum, Museum Whitworth or the ASU Art Museum.

Russiantearoom, Paris featuring Dmitry Sokolenko
www.rtrgallery.com



Gift, Zizou series, 2007 - Photograph, 30 x 22 cm - Courtesy of Russiantearoom Gallery

The Russiantearoom Gallery opened its doors in Paris in 2007, dedicated to promoting the work of contemporary Russian artists throughout Europe. Director Liza Fetissova will present the work of Dmitry Sokolenko at SHOW OFF’s 2010 fair. Born in 1977 in Russia, the microbiologist-turned-photographer works with simple forms of points and lines on a plane, complicating these seemingly simple forms with carefully chosen titles that invoke deeper semantic questions and complicate the space between the verbal and the visual.

Ladiray Gallery, London featuring Vincent Bizien
www.jeromeladiray.com

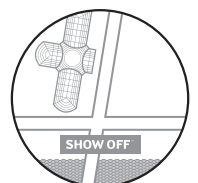


Ne vois-tu, rien venir ?, 2010 - Watercolor and ink on paper, 140 x 200 cm - Courtesy of Ladiray Gallery

Having established itself four years ago in France, Ladiray Gallery will open its doors in London in 2010. The gallery represents 20th-century avant-garde artists specializing in modern and contemporary drawing. For SHOW OFF, the Ladiray Gallery will feature the work of French artist Vincent Bizien, inheritor of expressionist energy and a major figure of the French contemporary drawing world.

Dates to remember for the 5th edition of SHOW OFF, the fair of SOLO SHOWS :

- Open to the public October 21 - 24, 2010 from 12 to 8pm
- Press preview October 20, 2010 from 12 to 6pm
- Public opening October 20, 2010 from 6pm to 10pm
- Port des Champs Elysées, Pont Alexandre III Paris 8th



www.showoffparis.fr