

VENICEPROJECTS

Return **Group Show curated by Victoria Golembiovskaya**

London / 10th-23rd October, 2011
Boswall House / 2 Cornwall Terrace-Regent's Park

Following on from the success of last year's The House of the Nobleman art exhibition curated by Victoria Golembiovskaya, Venice Projects is pleased to announce the participation of Joost van Bleiswijk to the second installment in the series, The Return, opening 10th-23rd October 2011 at Boswall House, a magnificent 15,000sqft Grade I listed Regency mansion at 2 Cornwall Terrace, overlooking Regent's Park and the nearby activity of Frieze Art Fair.

One of the largest and most significant privately sponsored art exhibitions held during the Frieze Art Fair, the Return explores ideas of the sacred in art, design and contemporary thought, exhibiting rare and previously unseen works from the most prestigious international collections alongside today's most notable artists and designers. Salvador Dali, Zaha Hadid, Damien Hirst, Claude Monet and Yves Klein are just a few amongst the many represented.

The Return asks how art can be viewed if the "theological turn" is acknowledged within and parallel to post-modern practice and as an experience beyond pure aesthetic appreciation. The juxtaposition of works spanning different historical periods and mediums explores religious narratives of revival, rebirth and return as well as related topics of landscape, travel and time. Each of the exhibition rooms is dedicated to a varying topic where visitors can have an intimate viewing experience with a range of works across the mediums of painting, photography, mixed media, video, sculpture and design.

Complimenting this year's exhibition, The House of Nobleman and Kenny Schachter are pleased to announce a special installation by architect Zaha Hadid as a continuation of Hadid's research and exploration into the dialogue of material geometry. Always questioning the restrictions imposed by an orthogonal arrangement, the total fluidity of her work continues to push the boundaries of architecture and design.

Artists Exhibited:

Richard Artschwager, Pyotr Belenok, Laurent Bolognini, Christian Boltanski, Cecily Brown, Alexander Calder, Kwang-Young Chun, George Condo, Stefano Curto, Salvador Dali, Edgar Degas, Bouke de Vries, Atul Dodiya, Peter Doig, Marlene Dumas, Olafur Eliasson, Jay Emets, Max Ernst, Peter Fischli and David Weiss, Lucio Fontana, Nancy Fouts, Lucian Freud, Adam Fuss, Tom Gallant, Zaha Hadid, Damien Hirst, Nick Hornby, G.R. Iranna, Pascal Haudressy, Ji Yong Ho, Yujin Huh, Matthew Day Jackson, Ling Jian, Ma Jun, Anish Kapoor, Sam Keil, Minjung Kim, Yves Klein, Olrik Kohlhoff, Oleg Kulik, David LaChapelle, Sea Hyun Lee, Lihong Li, Zhang Lin Hai, Robert Longo, Kelly McCallum, Whitney McVeigh, Claude Monet, Vik Muniz, Takashi Murakami, Zak Ove, Dave Pearson, Maria Pergay, Sesti Petroc, Jesper Rasmussen, Gerhard Richter, Auguste Rodin, Peter Paul Rubens, Lee Jae Sam, Raqib Shaw, Gunwoo Shin, Soheila Sokhanvari, Chaim Soutine, Fredrikson Stallard, Stefan Strumbel, Hiroshi Sugimoto, Rolf Sachs, Stefan Strumbel, Margo Trushina, Joana Vasconcelos, Wolfe von Lenkiewicz, Gary Webb, Joseph Walsh, Richard Wilson, Miao Xiaochun, Shi Xinning and Thomas Zipp.