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PHOTOFAIRS | Shanghai

Booth D24 Shanghai Exhibition Center, Shanghai, China

Collector Preview: September 19, 2019 VIP Preview: September 20, 2019 Public days: September 21-22, 2019

For our inaugural presentation at PHOTOFAIRS | Shanghai, Sean Kelly is pleased to present a carefully curated booth drawn from our internationally acclaimed roster of artists, each of the artists featured works with photography in non-traditional ways. Our presentation includes works by **Marina Abramović**, who is represented by a stunning selfportrait depicting the artist's face covered in gold leaf; **Julian Charrière**, whose images of nuclear test sites have been exposed to radioactive soil gathered from the locations where his images were taken; **Jose Dávila**, who appropriates images of artworks, which he then physically alters by cutting out and removing the focal point of the image; **Mariko Mori**, who creates computer generated photo paintings based on drawings she made of the ocean on Okinawa Island; **Alec Soth**, whose captivating multilayered photograph of Monika is in fact a double exposed image; and **Wu Chi-Tsung**, whose manipulates light sensitive cyanotype paper to create images that incorporate traditional Chinese art but are in fact contemporary abstract works.

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2019 Spotlight Section: Marina Abramović

Featured this year is Marina Abramović's legendary Chinese series The Lovers, 1988. A defining moment in the history of performance art, this will be the first opportunity for audiences in Mainland China to view the final collaborative work that Abramović made with her former partner Ulay.



Conversations: Wu Chi-Tsung Collectors Exhibition | Taking the Leap Saturday, September 21, 5-6pm

Ying Kwok will lead a discussion about the development of a collection, the influence of New Media and taking risks. He will be in conversation with with Lindsay Taylor (Curator, University of Salford Art Collection) and Sarah Fisher (director, Open Eye Liverpool) and Collection artists Wu Chi- Tsung and Lu Yang.

For more information on the artists and works presented at the fair please visit <u>skny.com</u>

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Image Caption: Marina Abramović, Portrait with Golden Mask, 2009, framed fine art pigment print, framed: 52 x 52 inches, edition of 9 with 2 APs