Stephen Friedman Gallery

Art Basel

Booth J03

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Stephen Friedman Gallery presents a group exhibition at Art Basel. Artists in the presentation include Mamma Andersson, Tonico Lemos Auad, Leilah Babirye, Jonathan Baldock, Stephan Balkenhol, Sarah Ball, Huguette Caland, Caroline Coon, Kenturah Davis, Melvin Edwards, Andreas Eriksson, Denzil Forrester, Tom Friedman, Jeffrey Gibson, Pam Glick, Wayne Gonzales, Hulda Guzmán, Channing Hansen, Jim Hodges, Kathia St Hilaire, Izumi Kato, Ilona Keserü, Woody De Othello, Ged Quinn, Deborah Roberts, Anne Rothenstein, Yinka Shonibare CBE RA, David Shrigley, Caroline Walker, Kehinde Wiley, Clare Woods, Yooyun Yang and Luiz Zerbini.

The exhibition features new and important historical works that explore a breadth of media including painting, sculpture, textiles and drawing and brings together a diverse and esteemed group of artists from around the world. New and recent work by Leilah Babirye, Jeffrey Gibson and Yinka Shonibare CBE RA, who all feature in the 60th International Art Exhibition of La Biennale di Venezia, are included. Artists who recently joined the gallery are highlighted, and they include Clare Woods' imposing new still life painting and Woody De Othello's bold and theatrical sculptures and paintings. Kenturah Davis's striking double portrait and Jim Hodges' large new hand-stitched denim panel painted with 24 carat gold are also exhibited.

Significant earlier works for sale for the first time include Caroline Coon's enigmatic painting, *Glastonbury Festival* (2000), featuring a group of revellers; a rare, intricately rendered painting from the *Rossinante* series by Huguette Caland - direct from the artist's estate; and a monumental and historically important painting from 1985 by Denzil Forrester entitled *Stryder*, depicting a dance club in full motion. Exhibited in the artist's solo show at the Institute of Contemporary Art in Miami last year, it precedes Forrester's upcoming New York exhibition at Stephen Friedman Gallery and Andrew Kreps in November 2024. Forrester's first exhibition in New York was curated by Matthew Higgs and Peter Doig and took place at White Columns in 2016.

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Notes to editors

Leilah Babirye, Jeffrey Gibson and **Yinka Shonibare CBE RA** are participating in the 60th International Art Exhibition of La Biennale di Venezia until November 2024. **Babirye and Jonathan Baldock** both have solo exhibitions currently on view at Yorkshire Sculpture Park, West Bretton, UK. **Gibson** currently has a solo exhibition at the Sainsbury Centre, Norwich, UK, and a solo show, *POWER FULL BECAUSE WE'RE DIFFERENT*, will open at MASS MoCA, North Adams, Massachusetts, USA in November this year. **Shonibare's** solo exhibition *Suspended States* is on view at Serpentine, London, UK.

Sarah Ball is featured in the group exhibition *Infinite Woman* at Fondation Carmignac, Hyères, France. Her solo exhibition at the Longlati Foundation, Shanghai, China opens in 2025. **Caroline Coon** features in *Women in Revolt!* at National Galleries Scotland.

Melvin Edwards' touring solo show, *Some Bright Morning*, opens at Fridericianum, Kassel, Germany in August.

Andreas Eriksson's solo exhibition *The house is leaning but the curtains hang straight* is on view at Siftelsen Lillehammer Museum, Lillehammer, Norway.

Denzil Forrester is included in *The Time is Always Now: Artists Reframe the Black Figure*. Curated by Ekow Eshun, the exhibition is on view now at The Box, Plymouth, before travelling to the United States in 2025.

Wayne Gonzales appears in *The Swimmer*, a group exhibition at FLAG Art Foundation in New York in June.

Anne Rothenstein has a solo exhibition at Charleston, Sussex, UK.

Kehinde Wiley's solo exhibition *A Maze of Power*, is on view at Museum of Black Civilisations, Dakar, Senegal. His solo exhibition *Archaeology of Silence* will continue to tour, opening at Art Museum Miami, Miami, Florida and Museum of Fine Arts, Houston this year, before travelling to Minneapolis Museum of Art, Minneapolis, Minnesota in 2025.

Luiz Zerbini has a solo exhibition at Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Rio De Janeiro, Brazil opening in June and touring to to Brasilia's CCBB in September.

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Stephen Friedman Gallery is a contemporary art gallery that was founded in 1995 with a focus on representing exceptional artists from around the world. Since its inauguration, the gallery has been based in Mayfair, London. In October 2023, the gallery expanded and relocated to Cork Street. In November 2023, the gallery opened its first location outside the UK at 54 Franklin Street in Tribeca, New York.