



Frances Stark

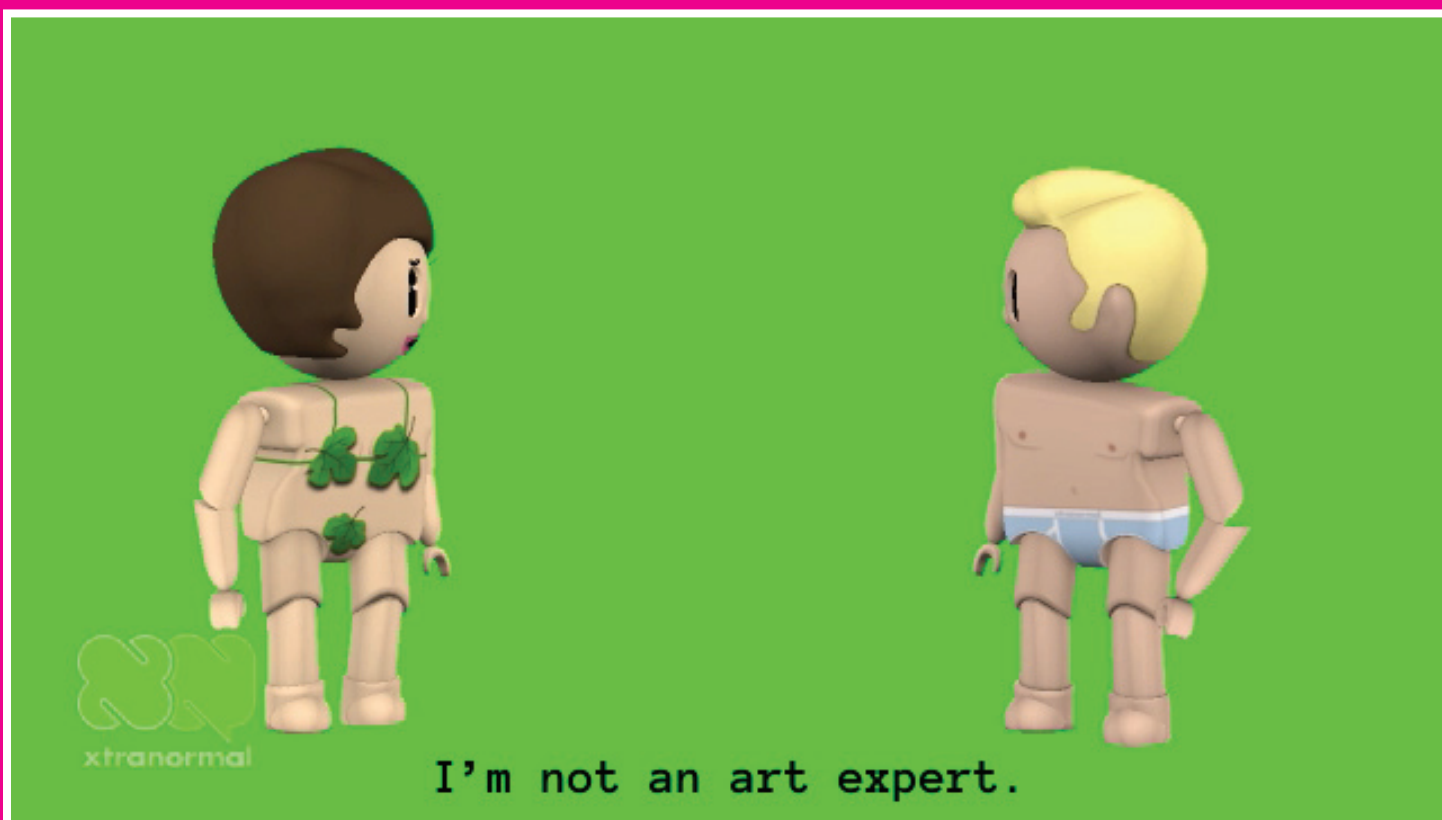
Artist's talk

Co-presented with Charles H. Scott gallery

Friday, February 3, 7 pm

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1399 Johnston Street, Granville Island, Room 301



Frances Stark is an artist and writer whose practice focuses on language and the interrelation between graphic and textual materials. Her work often combines figurative imagery with repeated letters, words cut out of context, familiar literary passages, and everyday throwaway materials from her studio. The process of creative production and Stark's own self-referential nature form the core subject of her practice. This talk is presented in conjunction with *My Best Thing* (2011) her first feature-length animation, which is on show at the Contemporary Art Gallery from February 3 to April 15, 2012.

Following the talk the artist will be available to sign copies of her new publication *Frances Stark My Best Thing* which includes a comprehensive essay by British curator Mark Godfrey. The book is co-published by Contemporary Art Gallery, Vancouver, Koenig Books, London, and the Walter Philips Gallery, Banff.

The exhibition *Frances Stark, My Best Thing* continues until April 15. For more information on exhibitions and events at the Contemporary Art Gallery go to www.contemporaryartgallery.ca