

ALBERT OEHLEN JOHN SPARAGANA

We are proud to announce the exhibition of Albert Oehlen (*1954) and John Sparagana (*1958). The exhibition evolved out of a conversation between the two artists. Both are known for their unique use of the collage. In this exhibition they confront their oppositional approach.

Albert Oehlen presents recent large-scale collages on canvas. With fragments of advertisement posters they trace silhouettes of interiors. John Sparagana uses pages of political magazines in a systematical process of slicing and pasting. The mass-mediated imagery is manually distressed, fatigued and remains as a kind of ghost.

Floor 1

John Sparagana

Reverse Teddy Kennedy Funeral/Andy Warhol, Flowers, 1964 2011

sliced and mixed inkjet prints with oil pastel on paper

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Teddy Kennedy Funeral/Andy Warhol, Flowers, 1964

2011

Sliced and mixed inkjet prints with oil pastel on paper

John Sparagana

Post-Earthquake Haiti/ Helio Oiticica, Metesquema, 1958 2010

sliced and mixed inkjet prints with disco mylar on paper

Albert Oehlen

2013

paper on canvas

Floor 2

John Sparagana

Der Spiegel (Time Magazine) with Burgoyne Diller Composition 2013

fatigued, sliced, mixed magazine pages with oil stick on paper

Albert Oehlen

Untitled

2013

paper on canvas

John Sparagana

Der Spiegel with Malevich Flying Rectangles and Malevich White Cross 2013

fatigued, sliced, mixed magazine pages with oil stick on paper

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