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TWISTED SISTERS
May 19 – June 23, 2012
Reception: Saturday, May 19, 6-8pm

Twisted Sisters is an exhibition of works that are made by women artists and depict women as the subjects. Inspired by 1960's performance works wherein women turned to the body as the site of creation and content, the exhibition casts the body as protagonist. Twisting cultural endorsements of beauty, the depictions of women in these works are unsettling, unexpected, or up side down. Whether the works are driven by narrative, fantasy, or portraiture, they incite an attraction, repulsion or amusement response from the viewer. The nuance of body and form expressed within and between works refuse singularity. Identity is not definitive. The combination of pieces, including painting, sculpture, video, installation, prints, mixed media, and performance, will itself be unsettling, providing few relief points between eyes looking out.

Hannah Barrett
Katherine Bernhardt
Kathe Burkhart
Katie Cercone
Serena Cole
Patricia Cronin
Leah DeVun
Marlene Dumas
Moyna Flannigan
Chitra Ganesh
Julie Heffernan
Chantal Joffe
Nina Katchadourian
Lauren Kelley
Anya Kielar
Judith Linhares
Xander Marro
Kim McCarty
Ana Mendieta
Wangechi Mutu
Sarah Peters
Alex Prager
Allison Schulnik
Dana Schutz
Xaviera Simmons
Nancy Spero
Mickalene Thomas
Summer Wheat
Lorna Williams
Molly Zuckerman-Hartung

In collaboration with: Anna Kustera Gallery, Barbara Gladstone Gallery, CANADA, Catharine Clark Gallery, Cheim & Read, David Castillo Gallery, David Zwirner Gallery, Edward Thorp Gallery, Galerie Lelong, Lehmann Maupin Gallery, Mark Moore Gallery, Morgan Lehman Gallery, PPOW, Rachel Uffner Gallery, samsøn, Victoria Miro Gallery, Winkelman Gallery and Yancey Richardson Gallery.

Founded in April 2010 by Kristen Dodge, DODGE gallery is a contemporary art gallery located on the Lower East Side. The gallery is run by Kristen Dodge, Founder/Director, and Patton Hindle, Director of Operations. Housed in a 2,500 sq/ft former sausage factory, the gallery opened to the public on September 10, 2010. The program combines early-career and mid-career artists, often featuring two concurrent exhibitions. Artists on the gallery roster include Rebecca Chamberlain, Dave Cole, Environmental Services, Darren Foote, Ted Gahl, Sheila Gallagher, Jason Middlebrook, Daniel Phillips, and Lorna Williams. For more information please visit dodge-gallery.com

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