

# Night (art)School

an installation and visual lecture series by James Hull

May 3 – June 10, 2006

A friendly Contemporary Art Lecture series at Green Street Gallery

A series of **slide** and award winning PBS Art:21 **video** presentations with group discussions led by Green Street Founder **James Hull**

**Every Wednesday night at 7:30pm >> Starting May 3, 2006**

(Suggested Admission is \$20 for each two hour class - includes Beer and Wine)

**Gallery Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Nights 7 - 9:30 pm**

Also on View:

## **Green Street Gallery Retrospective Exhibit**

Works by Green Street Artists from 1998 to 2006:

Joshua Aster • Michael Beatty + Mike Newby • Lilly Cannon • Kathleen Connolly • Emil Corsillo • Robin Dash • David Faust • John Guthrie • James Hull • Spencer James • Eibhlin Kelly-Killion • Joni Lane • Eric Lewandowski • Carrie Moyer • Joe Wardwell • Erin O'Brien • Sheila Pepe • Joe Peragine • Isabel Riley • Katherine Taylor • Bill Thompson • Donna Veverka • Douglas Weathersby

By studying and analyzing the work of a number of contemporary artists, this course investigates a series of subjects that seem particularly important to contemporary artistic practice today.

Related readings – both about artists and by artists, video screenings, and oral presentations augment the material brought to the table by the instructor.

### Among the topics:

Museums, Galleries and Art Fairs

Museum as Site and Subject

Performed Sculpture

Obsessive processes

The Artist and Science

Social Issues, Cartoons and Advertising

..... Every Wednesday in May + June 7 .....

# Class #1- May 3 @ 7:30pm (Every Wednesday in May + June 7) Museum as Site and Subject - (Part1)

- **The Art World: Museums, Galleries and Art Fairs ( Defining the difference)**

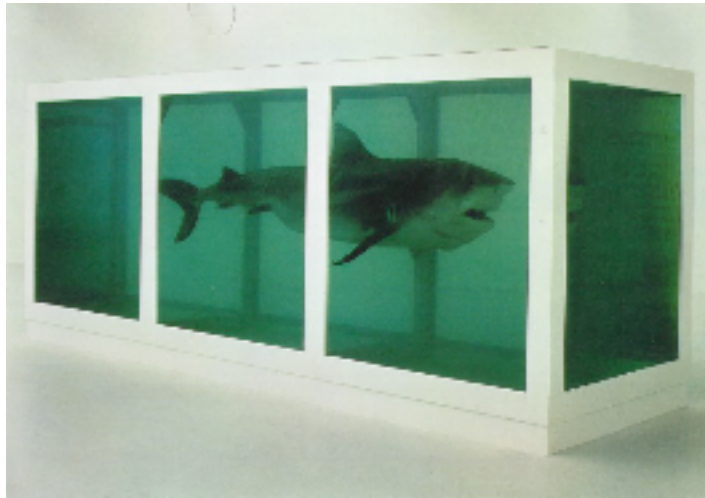
>>Discussion topic: 1) The role of Museums. The relationship between the gallery, museum and artist.

**slide show** - Charles Satchi: Conflicts of interest, money and value of work

>>Discussion topic: 2) Museum expansions > Imposing business models on cultural repositories

- Deaccessioning: Just a fancy word for selling off?

**slide show** - “Sensation” exhibit: YBAs Damien Hirst, Chris Ofili, Malcolm Morley, etc.



- **The National Endowment of the Arts (NEA) in the 1980's artist funding controversy:**

>>Discussion Topic: What does it take to shock these days?

**slide show**

- The roots of “Shock Value” and “Obscene Art” in the 1980's

**slide show**

- Andres Serrano's “Piss Christ”

**slide show**

- Robert Maplethorpe's Bondage Photography.

>>Discussion Topic: Jesse Helms attack on “Pornographic art”.



## Class #2 - May 10 @ 7:30pm Museum as Site and Subject - (Part 2)

### • Museum collections and display:

**Art:21Video**  
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- Fred Wilson  
- Josiah McElheny



### • The Art Fair “Booth”:

Walking the line between Exhibition, Exposition, Trade Show and Sales Counter.

**slide show**  
**slide show + Video**

- New York Armory Fair 2003 - 2005  
- New York Armory Fair, Scope Fair 2006



## Class #3 - May 17 @ 7:30pm

### Museum as Site and Subject - (Part 3)

#### • Museum as Arena:

**slide show** - Barney and Beecroft photographs and sculpture / props and documentation

**Video** - Matthew Barney "The Order" one complete chapter of Cremaster 3 (30minutes)

**Art:21Video** - Matthew Barney : making of Cremaster

**Video** - Vanessa Beecroft ICA 1997 performance (50minutes)



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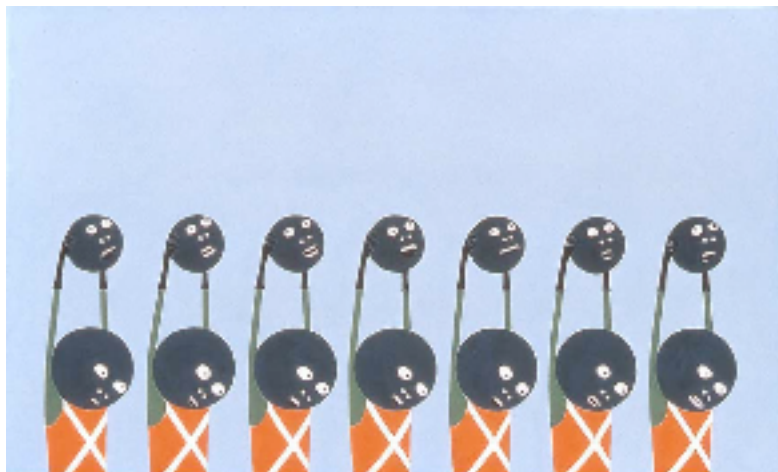
## Class #4- May 24 @ 7:30pm

### Social Issues, Advertising and Cartoons.

**Art:21Video** - Layla Ali

**Art:21Video** - Ellen Gallagher

**Art:21Video** - Arturo Herrera



## Class #5 - May 24 @ 7:30pm

### • Performed Sculpture

**Art:21Video** - Cai Guo-Quiang

**Art:21Video** - Janine Antoni

**slide show** - Nina Katchadourian



## Class #6 - May 31 @ 7:30pm

### • Artist and Science

**Art:21Video** - Tim Hawkinson

**Art:21Video** - Matthew Ritchie

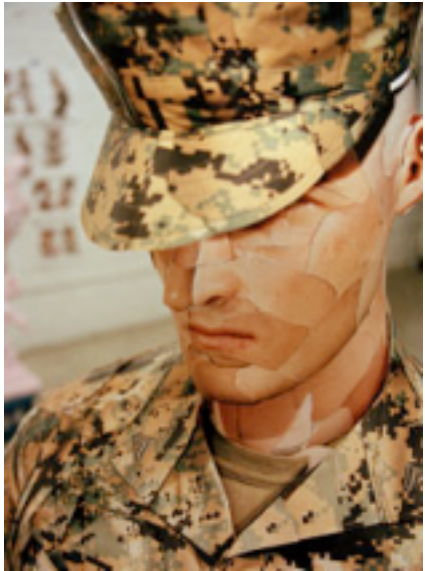
**slide show** - Roxy Paine / Wim Delvoye



## Class #7 - June 7 @ 7:30pm

### • Obsessive Processes

**Art:21Video** - Oliver Herring  
**Art:21Video** - Andrea Zittel



? discussion groups/ class discussion  
[read: TBA ]

**slide show** - Tara Donovan / Tom Friedman  
**Art:21Video** - Jessica Stockholder

