

23RD ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITION



COEXISTENCE



Join Brad Cooper Gallery in celebrating twenty-three years of presenting fine art exhibitions in the Tampa Bay area with a group exhibit titled: **COEXISTENCE, opening Saturday, Dec 8, 2007 from 7-9 pm.** The show will be on view December 1, 2007 through February 9, 2008.

Selected works for this exhibition include gallery artists: John Gregory, Willard Lustenader, Eric Montoya, Helena Rubinstein, Thom O'Connor, William Pachner, Yvonne Petkus, Corey Postiglione, Leland Shaw, Karin Swildens, Tanya Tewell, and Sandra Yagi.

JOHN GREGORY, AZ / NY - INK, PASTEL DRAWING

WILLARD LUSTENADER, NY / CT – OIL PAINTING

ERIC MONTOYA, UT / WA – OIL PAINTING

THOM O'CONNOR, MI / NY - PHOTO / PRINTMAKING

WILLIAM PACHNER, CZECH / NY / FL - OIL PAINTING

YVONNE PETKUS, NJ / KY - OIL PAINTING

COREY POSTIGLIONE, IL - MIXED MEDIA PAINTING

HELENA RUBINSTEIN, ISRAEL - MIXED MEDIA PAINTING

LELAND SHAW, FL - CERAMICS

KARIN SWILDENS, HOLLAND - CERAMIC SCULPTURE

TANYA TEWELL, IN / TN - DRAWING

SANDRA YAGI, CO / CA - OIL PAINTING

The objective of this exhibition is to address the individual's being and how this existence is capable of changing throughout life, never reaching a set point. Visual imagery has a defined influence over ones potentiality, ability to perceive and understand the culture we find ourselves in; and more specifically the media generated culture is defining the individual's pattern of potentiality. The tendency of culture in today's America is reflected in the individual becoming more absorbed in the sea of collective responses and attitudes ... with the corresponding loss of his or her own awareness, and whatever characterizes him as a unique and original being, where every waking hour is spent in creating the self-image. This exhibition is about the COEXISTENCE of the artist's imagery and their desire to create an encounter with a culture of conformity.

This exhibition is free and open to the public. To see images and for additional information about this exhibition go to:

www.bradcoopergallery.com. Images available on request.

MAIN GALLERY EXHIBITION:	COEXISTENCE / TWENTY THIRD ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITION
OPENING RECEPTION:	<u>Saturday Eve, December 8 from 7-9 pm.</u>
EXHIBITION DATES:	December 1, 2007 through February 9, 2008
GALLERY HRS:	Wed – Sat, 11am -5pm and appointment
LOCATION:	BRAD COOPER GALLERY / YBOR CITY / 1712 E 7th Avenue Tampa, FL 33605

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