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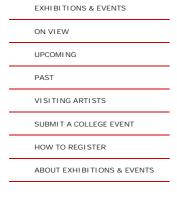
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Gallery 31 — This Is Not a Museum: Portable and Lurking/Esto no es un museo. Artefactos móviles al acecho

January 9, 2013-January 26, 2013





The quest to subvert the logic of the museum through the construction of mobile devices has a long tradition. Since Marcel Duchamp's Boîte-en-valise(1941), many artists have tried to move the field of aesthetic experience beyond the limits of the museum. In recent years, museums have co-opted this strategy with devices intended to make art "portable." Instead of extending the linear feet of the museum's walls, the devices in This Is Not a Museum make nomadic exhibitions as a platform for direct participation. This exhibition showcases more than 50 of these projects from various cities

Originally curated by Martí Peran, a faculty member of the University of Barcelona, This Is Not a Museum has been presented in Barcelona (ACVic. 2011) and Liubliana (Slovene Ethnographic Museum, 2012). Produced by AC/E and ACVic. Arts Contemporanies. Project produced by ACVic, Centre d'Arts Contemporànies and AC/E, ACCIÓN CULTURAL ESPAÑOLA and brought to the Corcoran through collaboration with the Spanish Embassy in the United States.

Artists representing This Is Not a Museum: Portable and Lurking/Esto no es un museo. Artefactos móviles al acecho - Call for Projects; Washington, D.C. include: Calder Brannock, Lisa Bulawsky, Michael Dax Iacovone & Michael Blasenstein, Caitlin Cass, Billy Friebele and Joe Reinsel.

Workshop will run from January 23 - January 26, 2013

Opening Reception: Wednesday, January 9, 5-7 p.m.

MobileMovie Film Festival: Wednesday, January 9, 7 p.m.

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