



6th – 28th JUNE 2013

**Adam Newton – Alejandrina Solares – Alex Bell – Annabelle Stevens
Bradley Mallett – Ellen Kemad – Harley Price – Karen Lynn – Karl Nash
Kate Enters – Luis Casanova – Maria Ader – Mélanie Dupas-Eefting
Michael Ryan – Micky Modo+Spire – Oliver Bedeman – Sophy Robertson Smith**

'What Is The Point?' is a group exhibition for UK and International 2D artists. Supported by the Adam Street Gallery on the Strand, London, the exhibition will run for the month of June 2013.

Organised by artist Kate Enters, this is a group show of 17 contemporary UK and International artists who do not currently have formal UK gallery representation. All have agreed to support this initiative as a collaborative artistic process and all are responding to the title of the exhibition by creating a new artwork for this occasion. The artists were chosen by a committee from a long list of applicants. Rules and regulations have been agreed that cover everything from the size of the artwork to bringing a set number of guests to the private view.

An example of the debate this title offers to an artist is outlined in these initial statements from two of the artists involved:

'Most of us in our daily lives are missing the true point, the true nature of reality. We clutter our consciousness with compulsive thought, memories, and negativity that gain control over us and rule our lives.' Michael Ryan

'Am I looking to create art based on the question, or am I looking to answer the question in my piece? From which metaphorical location is this question asked? How can I shape this complex abstract question into a tangible piece of art?' Ellen Kemad

Kate Enters decided to set up this initiative to support artists with incredible potential to reach a wider audience in and beyond the Art world. She has often expressed the opinion that individuals working alongside each other create power through their numbers and their sharing of information and contacts. Therefore this exhibition is the inaugural collaboration of what she hopes will become an annual feature on the International Art Calendar.

She is supported by a strong committee:

Steven Pottle – Artist and Poet; Peter D-Eugenio – Art collector and entrepreneur; Bradley Mallett – Artist; Vivi Ibru Stankov – Collector of International Contemporary Art.

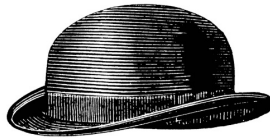
Adam Street is delighted to be supporting this new initiative for UK and International contemporary artists. The club is renowned for its cultural support within the London social scene and regularly exhibits contemporary artists within the gallery space.

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Notes:

The Private View will take place on Thursday the 6th of June 2013 from 7pm.



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Private Members' Club
No.9 Adam St. The Strand London
www.adamstreet.co.uk

Adam Street is opening their doors to non-members who wish to view the exhibition. Open hours are as follows however it is requested that visitors call 020 7379 8000 to ensure no private functions hinder their visit.

Monday to Friday: 08.30am - 03.00am

Saturday: 06.30pm - 12.00am

Nearest Tube / Rail: Charing Cross

The artists:

ESTONIA

Maria Ader: www.mariaader.com

FRANCE

Mélanie Dupas-Eefting: www.defabrik.com

ITALY

Alejandrina Solares: <http://alejandrina-solars.oneminutesite.it>
<http://solares-alejandrina.jimdo.com/>

PERU

Luis Casanova: <http://casanovatorolla.prosite.com>

UK

Adam Newton: www.adamnewtonart.info

Alex Bell: www.alexanderbell.portfoliobox.net

Annabelle Stevens: <http://annabellestevens.tumblr.com>

Bradley Mallett: www.bradleymallett.com

Ellen Kemad: www.linkedin.com/pub/ellen-kemad/43/a25/154

Harley Price: www.harleyprice.org

Karen Lynn: www.karenlynn.co.uk

Karl Nash: www.incredibledrawings.com

Kate Enters: www.kateenters.co.uk

Micky Modo+Spire: www.mickymodo.com

Oliver Bedeman: www.bedeman.co.uk

Sophy Robertson Smith: www.sophysmith.co.uk

USA

Michael Ryan: www.michaelfrancisryan.com

