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Between Space

Lacey Black, Dana Blume, Marin Majić, Carson Monahan, Sarah Pater, Marcelle Reinecke, Bryan Rogers, Hannah Rust, Calli Ryan and Lily Taylor

June 25 – July 16, 2026

Opening reception: Thursday, June 25, 6-8 PM

Monya Rowe Gallery is pleased to announce the summer group exhibition titled *Between Space* featuring **Lacey Black, Dana Blume, Marin Majić, Carson Monahan, Sarah Pater, Marcelle Reinecke, Bryan Rogers, Hannah Rust, Calli Ryan and Lily Taylor**. The opening reception for the artists will be held on Thursday, June 25, 6-8 PM.

The exhibition *Between Space* examines the way enclosed environments amplify isolated objects or figures evoking a heightened sense of introspection, mood or atmosphere. Objects confined within an empty space can convey a profound emotional response. There is beauty in capturing stillness. Sequestered figures set in confined interiors suggests mystery and reflection, while also exploring existential themes. The viewer's focus is brought entirely to the subject thereby heightening its' importance and meaning. The exact meaning, often unclear, may be soothing, menacing or a combination of both. The artists in this exhibition each delineate this heightened awareness in a myriad of challenging ways.

Lacey Black (b. 1992, Pittsburgh, PA) received an MFA from *Purchase College State University of New York*, Harrison, NY and a BFA from *Rhode Island School of Design*, Providence, RI. Recent exhibitions include *PS122 Gallery*, NY, NY; *Richard and Dolly Maass Gallery*, Purchase, NY; and *Monya Rowe Gallery*, NY, NY. In 2025, Black was awarded a fellowship at the *Fine Arts Work Center (FAWC)*, Provincetown, MA, and in 2024, a residency at the *Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture*, Skowhegan, ME. The artist lives and works in Mt. Vernon, NY, and is represented by Monya Rowe Gallery.

Dana Blume (b. 1993, San Diego, CA) received a BFA from *California State University of Long Beach*, Long Beach CA and an MFA from *University of Washington*, Seattle WA. Recent exhibitions include *Roq La Rue Gallery*, Seattle WA; *Moosey Art Gallery*, Norwich UK; and *Geheim Gallery*, Bellingham WA. Blume completed residencies at *Tropical Lab*, *Lasalle College of the Arts*, Singapore and *The Place on PCH*, Oceano, CA. The artist lives and works in Seattle, WA.

Marin Majić (b. 1979, Frankfurt, Germany) studied at the *Academy of Visual Arts*, Zagreb, Croatia. His work has been exhibited at the *Center of International Contemporary Art*, Vancouver; *Megan Mulrooney Gallery*, LA; *Nino Mier Gallery*, LA and NY; *Galerie Isa*, Mumbai; *Huxley Parlour*, London; and *James Cohan Gallery*, NY. Majić's work is in the public collections of the *Knoxville*

Museum of Art, TX; and the *X Museum*, Beijing, China. The artist lives and works in Brooklyn, NY, and is represented by *Nino Mier Gallery*.

Carson Monahan (b. 1985, Ann Arbor, MI) received a BBA from *Eastern Michigan University*, Ypsilanti, Michigan. Recent exhibitions include *Conduit Gallery*, Dallas, TX; *Monument*, Kingston, NY; and *Monya Rowe Gallery*. In 2023, the artist was awarded a residency at *Willow House*, Terlingua, TX. Monahan is a self-taught artist who lives and works in Detroit, MI, and is represented by *Monya Rowe Gallery*

Sarah Pater (b. 1987, Wilmington, DE) received an MFA from *Rhode Island School of Design* and a BFA from *Boston University*. Her work has recently been exhibited at *Yi Gallery*, NY; *CHART*, NY; *Pablo's Birthday*, NY; *Lighthouse Works*, Fishers Island, NY; *Helen J Gallery*, LA; *Peep Projects*, Philadelphia; *Taymour Grahne Projects*, London; and *Pentimenti Gallery*, Philadelphia. Pater has been awarded residencies at the *Lighthouse Works*, *Elizabeth Murray Artist Residency*, *Sam & Adele Golden Foundation*, and *Ora Lerman Charitable Trust*. The artist lives and works in Philadelphia, PA.

Marcelle Reinecke (b. 1989, New Orleans, LA) received an MFA from *The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts (PAFA)*, Philadelphia, PA and a BFA from *Marywood University*, Scranton, PA. Reinecke also completed studies at the *Studio Arts College International*, Florence, Italy and was a Resident Artist at the *Royal Drawing School*, *Dumfries House Trust*, Cumnock, Scotland, U.K. Recent exhibitions include *Steven Harvey Fine Art Projects*, NY, NY; *Alice Amati*, London, UK; *Ruffed Grouse Gallery*, Narrowsburg, NY; and *Monya Rowe Gallery*, NY. Reinecke's work is in the public collection of the *X Museum*, Beijing, China. The artist lives and works in Honesdale, PA, and is represented by *Monya Rowe Gallery*.

Bryan Rogers (b. 1977, Waterbury, CT) received an MFA from *Pratt Institute*, New York, NY and a BFA from *Appalachian State University*, Boone, NC. Recent exhibitions include *M + B*, Los Angeles; *Huxley-Parlour*, London; *Kutlesa Gallery*, Switzerland; *Dinner Gallery*, New York; and *Monya Rowe Gallery*, New York. His work has recently been featured in *Surface Magazine* ("Bryan Rogers Dreams Up Blissed-Out States of Existence"), *The Wall Street Journal* ("Bryan Rogers: Wallflowers' Review: A Blooming Talent"), and profiled in *Artnet* ("Artist Bryan Rogers Conjures Fantastical Queer Landscapes in His New Jersey Studio"). Rogers' work is in the public collections of the *Museu Inima de Paula*, Belo Horizonte, Brazil and the *X Museum*, Beijing, China. The artist lives and works in Hartfield, VA, and is represented by *Monya Rowe Gallery*.

Hannah Rust (b. 1998, Salem, MA) received a BFA from *Massachusetts College of Art & Design (MassArt)*, Boston MA. Recent exhibitions include *Steven Zevitas Gallery*, Boston MA; *Distillery Gallery*, Boston MA; *Field of Play Gallery*, Brooklyn NY; and *Space Space Gallery*, Boulder, CO. Rust has been an Artist-in-Residence at *Chautauqua School of Art*, Chautauqua, NY and *Woodstock Byrdcliffe Guild*, Woodstock, NY. The artist lives and works in Boston, MA and Brooklyn, NY.

Calli Ryan (b. 1988, Richmond, VA) received an MFA from *Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts (PAFA)*, Philadelphia, PA and a BA from *University of Virginia*, Charlottesville, VA. Her work has recently been exhibited at *Procession*, Philadelphia, PA; *HAGD Contemporary*, Aalborg, Denmark; *Scroll Gallery*, New York, NY; *MePaintsMe*, online gallery; and *Monya Rowe Gallery*, NY. The artist lives and works in Philadelphia, PA, and is represented by *Monya Rowe Gallery*.

Lily Taylor (b. 1993, New York, NY) received an MFA from *Rhode Island School of Design*, Providence, RI and a BA (English) from *Wesleyan University*, Middletown, CT. Recent exhibitions include *Plein Ventures*, New York, NY; *FLAG Art Foundation*, New York, NY; and *Monya Rowe Gallery*, NY. Taylor lives and works in Kingston, NY, and is represented by *Monya Rowe Gallery*.

Summer gallery hours

Wednesday - Thursday 12-5 PM

Friday 12-3 PM

And by appointment

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