PETER BLUM GALLERY



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Peter Blum Gallery: "Joyce J. Scott: What Next and Why Not"

September 27 through November 10, 2018

Opening Reception: Thursday, September 27, from 6 to 8 p.m.

Peter Blum Gallery presents "Joyce J. Scott: What Next and Why Not," the artist's first solo show with the gallery.

The exhibition includes approximately 20 sculptures created from the year 2000 and forward. The sculptures incorporate the artist's trademark beadwork and focus on bridging the gap between craft aesthetics and contemporary sculpture. Influenced by the American Southern traditions of quilting, weaving and beadwork of her own family as well as a wide variety of other cultures and spiritual traditions, the objects deal with such issues as race, class, gender, violence and the extremes of human nature.

Peter Blum Gallery is located at 176 Grand St, New York, NY 10013. www.peterblumgallery.com.



"War Woman II" by Joyce J. Scott, 2014. African sculpture, fused and painted mosaic glass, glass/plastic beads, wire, thread, metal keys and cast glass guns, 25 x 18 x 18 inches. Courtesy the artist and Peter Blum Gallery, New York.