# **RUIZ-HEALY ART**

Latinx, Latin America, & Texas Contemporary Art

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### Ruiz-Healy Art at IFPDA Fine Art Print Fair October 07 – November 01, 2020

Ruiz-Healy Art is pleased to announce the gallery's seventh year of participation in the prestigious IFPDA Fine Art Print Fair taking place, this year, in a hybrid online / in-person format. The works will be available for view on Artsy in addition to socially distanced in-person appointments at our NYC gallery. This year, Ruiz-Healy Art will highlight nine printmakers from the gallery's stable of artists including: Ethel Shipton, Richard Armendariz, Constance Lowe, Cecilia Paredes, Nate Cassie, Francisco Toledo, Kelly O'Connor, Pedro Friedeberg and Roger Von Gunten.

The works featured in the IFPDA Fine Art Print Fair display Apollonian and Dionysian concepts, highlighting qualities of both theories and how they naturally appear in works of art. Apollonian, originating from the god Apollo, refers to reason, harmony and rational thinking. Apollonian tendencies manifest as the orderly and restrained repetition seen in Pedro Friedeberg's *Desfile de Perros* and the harmony of composition and line in Constance Lowe's *Marchland I*. Dionysian characteristics, derived from the god Dionysus, are based on emotion and instinct. This is displayed in Richard Armendariz's *Muro Hopper* in the chaos created by shape and detail. Many of the works in this show display elements of both theories, examining the balance that is created through visual elements.

Visit us on Artsy <u>here</u>.

#### **About the IFPDA**

The International Fine Print Dealers Association (IFPDA) is a non-profit organization of leading art dealers and galleries with expertise in the field of fine prints. Members are committed to the highest standards of quality, ethics, and connoisseurship, and to promoting a greater appreciation of fine prints among collectors and the public. Members are selected only after a rigorous application process; the dealers must exhibit a high level of expertise, adhere to a strict code of conduct with professional integrity, be invited by another member dealer, and will not even be considered unless established in business for at least five years. Ruiz-Healy Art is one of only two such member dealers in the state of Texas and the only member in the city of San Antonio.

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### **About Ruiz-Healy Art**

Established in San Antonio, Texas and in operation since 2006, Ruiz-Healy Art specializes in contemporary works of art with an emphasis on Latinx and Latin American artists, as well as working with prominent Texas-based artists. With galleries in San Antonio, Texas and New York City, Ruiz-Healy Art's continuous investments in these underrepresented areas have remained a longstanding signature of the gallery program. To request high-resolution images and more information about the exhibitions, please contact the gallery at info@ruizhealyart.com, 212-510-7873 or 210-804-2219 www.ruizhealyart.com

### **COVID-19 Guidelines for Guests Visiting Ruiz-Healy Art**

We look forward to welcoming you to Ruiz-Healy Art. Advance appointments are recommended but not required. To schedule your visit you can call 212-510-7873 or 210-804-2219 and email info@ruizhealyart.com. The health and security of our staff and visitors is our top priority, our staff has implemented enhanced safety measures in accordance with city guidelines and reopening protocol. With these concerns in mind, kindly note that we're taking the following precautions at our newly reopened galleries:

- There will be a limit on visitors in the space at a time, to align with the city's current social distancing protocol.
- Visitors are required to wear masks for the duration of their visit.
- Masks and hand sanitizer will be provided for visitors at the front desk.
- Gallery staff will be wearing masks.