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THREE A.I.R. PHOTOGRAPHERS

But that's a different story . . .

Daria Dorosh • Jeanette May • Sheila Ross

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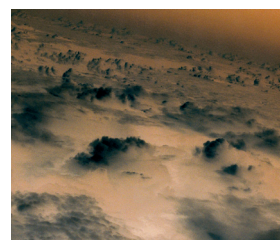
Reception: Thursday, April 28, 6 - 8 p.m.



DARIA DOROSH



JEANETTE MAY



SHEILA ROSS

April 2010, Brooklyn, New York – In conjunction with the 2011 New York Photo Festival, A.I.R. Gallery is pleased to announce *But that's a different story...*, an exhibition by three A.I.R. artists working in photography: Daria Dorosh, Jeanette May, and Sheila Ross.

But that's a different story... highlights a cross-section of photographic practices in the 21st century. As the New York Photo Festival explores the future of contemporary photography, A.I.R. Gallery contributes the distinctive vision of women employing photography in their art.

Utilizing a range of techniques from black and white film to digital capture to physical or digital manipulation, these works playfully interact with one another and with our preconceptions of photography. Each woman approaches contemporary photographic practice with a desire to challenge traditional ideas of photographic form, subject matter, and veracity.

DARIA DOROSH presents cut, twisted, and hand-colored photographic prints from her *LOOP* series. Her constructions are paradoxically two- and three-dimensional, narrative and abstract. Pattern and color fuse the photographic illusion with the looped structure as the imagery peels back and interacts with the other side, creating a pattern that cascades like a textile. JEANETTE MAY explores the female gaze through staged scenes of men in their contemporary *Bachelor* pads. She produces photographs located somewhere between portraiture and documentary that allow women (and men) to stare unabashedly at beautiful men in the context of their private space. *Bachelor* contributes a new twist to the ongoing conversation about gender and difference. SHEILA ROSS introduces *Cloud*, a new series of photographs taken through the airplane's window during trips between NYC and her English homeland. Shot at or above cloud-level, her large digital prints revel in the sheer presence of sky, cloud, and the space beyond. Ross offers us a mostly unseen aspect of our daily reality: the greater universe in which we live.

A.I.R. Gallery is located in the DUMBO neighborhood of Brooklyn, close to the A and F trains.

For more information please contact Gallery Director, Kat Griefen at 212.255.6651 or kgriefen@airgallery.org.

GALLERY HOURS: Wednesday-Sunday, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.