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## LINE GOZALBES Unexpected Lifespan

November 6 – December 1, 2007

Opening Reception Thursday Nov. 8, 6pm to 8pm

New York, N.Y., November, 2007 - **A.I.R. Gallery** is pleased to announce, *Unexpected Lifespan*, a solo exhibition of new paintings by **Line Gozalbes**. On view from November 6th to December 1st, 2007. The opening reception will be held Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, from 6-8pm.

The works in *Unexpected Lifespan* consist of mixed mediums celebrating contrast and diversity. Line Gozalbes uses found objects from the streets of New York, to show dynamic movement. Her neo-expressionist paintings echo a strong Spanish heritage, through the ongoing and precise use of primary color and light. It relies on a singular and very communicative vitality, which expands itself into pure emotion.

Gozalbes tries to communicate a message of diversity. The artist says "...Surrounded by recycled material, some paintings hide invisible words and signs stemming from our personal heritage, as a part of our collective memory, that pull us one step ahead to the future, the immediate future, the one that bring sense to our lives, the one that question us about where we went, and where we go..."

- "...I pick up materials from the streets of New York. Most of my paintings show papers, collages, colors, rubbish objects,... that assemble into a dynamic movement. Movement is life, if you stop it, you are death..."
- "...A simple translator, I try to communicate a positive message about diversity: anyone understanding how great we are all together, how much we have to share, is allowed to a deep truth: the unexpected lifespan..."

Line Gozalbes's work has been exhibited in Brussels, Milan and Paris, she participated to the Annual Art Fair in Shanghai and the Biennial International of Contemporary Art in Florence.

A.I.R. Gallery is located at 511 West 25<sup>th</sup> Street, NYC. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday 11am-6pm. For information please contact the director, Kat Griefen at 212.255.6651 or kgriefen@airgallery.org.