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Manneken Press announces our participation in EXPO CHICAGO 2022

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Manneken Press is excited to announce our participation as an exhibitor in *EXPO CHICAGO 2022*. EXPO CHICAGO, one of America's largest and most significant art fairs, was cancelled in 2020 and conducted only online in 2021 due to COVID. Manneken Press previously exhibited at EXPO in 2018 and 2019 and EXPO CHICAGO Online in 2021. EXPO's long awaited return as a live event occurs 7 - 10 April, 2022 at Navy Pier, Chicago.

Manneken Press will occupy booth #104 in the *Edition* section of Expo. Our exhibition will feature prints and editions by six notable contemporary artists. These prints, published by and produced at Manneken Press, represent our latest releases with several having been produced as recently as March, 2022. The featured artists include two beloved Chicago artists- Anna Kunz and Judy Ledgerwood.

The artists featured in our exhibition are:

- -Catherine Howe -Ted Kincaid -Anna Kunz -Judy Ledgerwood -Matt Magee
- -Kate Petley

The featured works will include New York-based artist <u>Catherine Howe</u>'s "Tantric Flower" monotypes, printed on sheer silk and mounted on stretchers; large composite photographs/archival inkjet prints by Dallas-based <u>Ted Kincaid</u> from his "Hudson River Clouds" series; monotypes from the "Flood Tide" series by <u>Anna Kunz</u>; monotypes by <u>Judy Ledgerwood</u>, including an installation of all nine prints of her "Inner Vision" series; three aquatint editions by Phoenix-based minimalist <u>Matt Magee</u>; and unique photogravure and relief monoprints by Colorado-based artist <u>Kate Petley</u>.

A selection of portfolios and unframed prints by additional artists will also be available for viewing, including Jill Moser's "<u>Chroma Six</u>" aquatint suite.

The EXPO CHICAGO 2022 schedule is as follows:

VIP Preview Vernissage: Thursday, April 7th | 6:00 - 9:00 PM A special preview celebration benefiting the Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago. By invitation of EXPO CHICAGO and exhibiting galleries. Additional information about the vernissage can be found <u>here</u>.

Exposition Hours - General Admission:

Friday, April 8 and Saturday, April 9 | 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM Sunday, April 10 | 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Additional general information about can be found at the **<u>EXPO CHICAGO website</u>**.

About Manneken Press

Manneken Press is a fine art press located in Bloomington, IL. Manneken Press publishes and exhibits original, limited edition and unique prints, portfolios, artist's books, photographs and drawings by significant contemporary artists. We also augment our inventory to include drawings, sculpture and photography to better represent the full scope of our artist's creative output.

The press was founded in 2000 and is owned and operated by Jonathan Higgins and Sarah Smelser. The prints are made by the artists working in close collaboration with master printer Jonathan Higgins, and are hand-printed on our Takach etching press. We are committed to traditional, time tested techniques, using only the finest papers and inks to produce our prints. Manneken Press has exhibited these works at fine art fairs in Chicago, Cleveland, Miami, Boston, Baltimore, Houston and New York City, and in many galleries and museums. Prints published by Manneken Press have been reviewed in <u>Art In Print</u>, <u>Art In America</u>, <u>Grabado Y Edición</u>, <u>ARTnews</u>, and <u>Art On Paper</u>.

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