

## TALK TO ME Design and the Communication between People and Objects

By Paola Antonelli. With essays by Paola Antonelli, Jamer Hunt, Alexandra Midal, Kevin Slavin, and Khoi Vinh

Since the introduction of the personal computer, many objects have been designed with capabilities well beyond their immediate use or appearance. Whether openly and actively or in subtle, subliminal ways, these objects talk to us, and we have come to expect interaction with them. Contemporary designers, besides giving objects form and function, write their initial scripts—the foundations for useful and satisfying conversations. Talk to Me: Design and the Communication between People and Objects. published to accompany an exhibition at The Museum of Modern Art, focuses on projects that involve direct interaction-including interfaces, websites, video games, devices and tools, and information systems—as well as installations that establish practical, emotional, or even sensual connections to cities, companies, governmental institutions, or other individuals. The featured objects range in date from the late 1990s to today, with particular attention to the past five years and projects currently in development. Organized thematically, Talk to Me introduces design practices that are increasingly crucial to our world and demonstrates how rich and deep the influence of design will be on our future.





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#### DE KOONING: A Retrospective

By John Elderfield. With Jennifer Field, Delphine Huisinga, and Lauren Mahony; and Jim Coddington and Susan Lake

Published in conjunction with the first large-scale, multimedium, posthumous retrospective of Willem de Kooning's career, this publication offers an unparalleled opportunity to appreciate the development of the artist's work as it unfolded over nearly seven decades, beginning with his early academic works, made in Holland before he moved to the United States in 1926, and concluding with his final, sparely abstract paintings of the late 1980s. The volume presents approximately two hundred paintings, sculptures, drawings, and prints, plus more than five hundred reference illustrations, exploring the full diversity of de Kooning's art and placing his many acknowledged masterpieces in the context of a complex and fascinating pictorial practice. An introductory essay by John Elderfield, Chief Curator Emeritus of Painting and Sculpture at The Museum of Modern Art, provides an in-depth account of de Kooning's development, context and sources, theory of art, and working methods. Nine chapters devoted to particular periods of the artist's oeuvre each include a brief introduction, an illustrated chronology of the period discussed, and detailed entries on groups of works. With lavish, full-color documentation, this volume is the most complete account of de Kooning's artistic career to date.



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## RICHARD BENSON North South East West

By Richard Benson and Peter Galassi

Richard Benson, former dean of the Yale School of Art and a MacArthur Foundation Fellow, has been a photographer for more than four decades, but until now his art often took a back seat to his prodigious achievements as a printer and teacher. Richard Benson: North South East West presents nearly one hundred photographs by Benson made over the past six years on journeys throughout North America, highlighting the unique properties of his prints and exemplifying his fresh techniques for reproducing them for publication. From direct digital capture through inkjet output, his renowned technical wizardry has yielded unusually vibrant and beguiling color prints that are at once ultra-vivid and utterly natural, like our everyday visual experience. Their uncanny lushness and clarity give voice to Benson's generous, inquisitive eye. An essay by Peter Galassi, Chief Curator of Photography at MoMA, surveys the work, and a text by Benson explains how it was made.



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# WHAT IS A PRINT?

By Sarah Suzuki

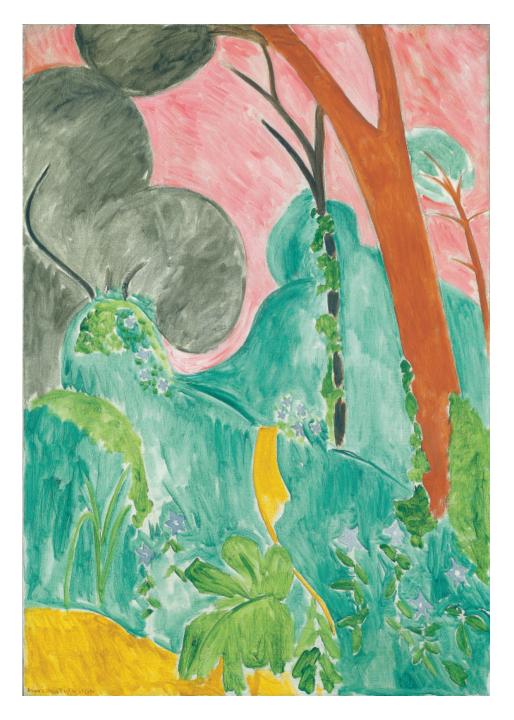
What is a print? This volume answers that question by exploring woodcut, intaglio, lithography, and screenprint-the four basic printmaking techniques-as well as other approaches ranging from ink rubbings to digital processes. The book is divided into five sections, illustrated with works from The Museum of Modern Art's superlative collection of prints. Each provides an overview introduction to one technique, demonstrates its range and variety, and illustrates its development over the last century. Generous captions highlight the distinctive visual effects of each technique and examine issues specific to printmaking. Featured works include prints by modern masters—such as Joan Miró, Edward Munch, Pablo Picasso, and Andy Warhol—as well as those of a roster of international contemporary artists who continue to explore and expand the medium today.



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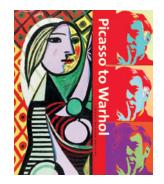
### PICASSO TO WARHOL Twelve Modern Masters

By Jodi Hauptman. With essays by Samantha Friedman, Jodi Hauptman, and Michael Rooks

Published in conjunction with a presentation of masterworks from MoMA at the High Museum of Art, Atlanta, this volume features the work of twelve masters of twentieth-century art: Constantin Brancusi, Alexander Calder, Giorgio de Chirico, Marcel Duchamp, Jasper Johns, Fernand Léger, Henri Matisse, Joan Miró, Piet Mondrian, Pablo Picasso, Jackson Pollock, and Andy Warhol. Breaking with tradition in the form, technique, and display of their work, each of these artists played an integral role in shaping the course of modern art.

Organized into monographic sections that provide a lively introduction to each artist and his practice, the richly illustrated volume highlights some of the century's most significant artworks, including such iconic achievements as Matisse's Dance (I), Picasso's Girl Before a Mirror, Léger's Three Women, and Johns's Map. An essay by Jodi Hauptman, Curator, Department of Drawings, explores the nature of the creative process, focusing on innovative strategies and connections between artists. The book also includes close readings of key works and short biographical sketches.

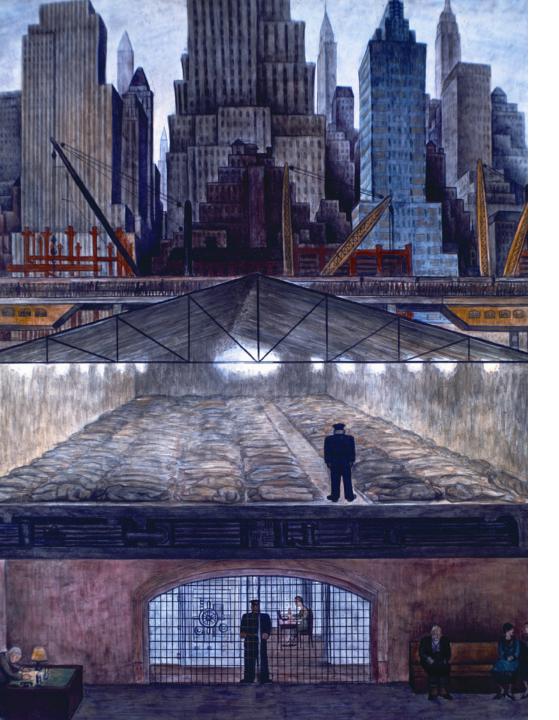




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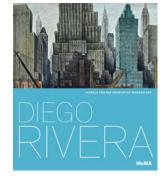
By Leah Dickerman and Anna Indych-López

In 1931, Diego Rivera was the subject of The Museum of Modern Art's second monographic exhibition, which set attendance records in its five-week run. The Museum brought Rivera to New York six weeks before the opening and provided him with a studio space in the building. There he produced five "portable murals"-large frescoes featuring bold images commemorating the recent revolution in Mexico. After the opening, to great publicity, Rivera added three more murals, taking on New York subjects through monumental images of the city during the Depression. Published in conjunction with an exhibition that brings together key works from Rivera's 1931 show and related material, this vividly illustrated catalogue casts the artist as a highly cosmopolitan figure and examines the intersection of art-making and radical politics in the 1930s.

### MEXICAN MURALISTS

By James Oles

At the forefront of the social revolution that transformed Mexico during the first half of the twentieth century were three artists whose murals resonated throughout the Americas and beyond: José Clemente Orozco, Diego Rivera, and David Alfaro Siqueiros. This latest volume in the MoMA Artist Series looks at ten important works by these artists from the collection of The Museum of Modern Art. Engaging essays on each work provide fresh and innovative readings, placing the paintings in local and international contexts.



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### ALIGHIERO BOETTI

By Lynne Cooke, Mark Godfrey, and Christian Rattemeyer. With essays by Claire Gilman, Jemima Montagu, and Jason Smith

Published to accompany the first large-scale retrospective of Alighiero Boetti's work outside Italy in over a decade, this volume presents the most comprehensive overview of the artist's career to date. Covering all periods of Boetti's broad oeuvre—including early sculptural experiments associated with Arte Povera, ephemeral Conceptual projects of the 1970s, and monumental embroideries and tapestries fabricated up to his death in 1994—this richly illustrated catalogue is structured as a typology of the artist's work rather than a chronological progression.

Essays by curators from the Museo nacional centro de arte Reina Sofía, Madrid, Tate Modern, London, and The Museum of Modern Art, New York, address recurrent themes and binaries in Boetti's work, such as travel and geography, time, order and disorder, and singularity and multitude, while contributions by scholars examine the artist's early influences and his relationship to the cultural, political, and social spheres of Italy and Afghanistan in the 1970s and 1980s. The volume celebrates the material diversity, conceptual complexity, and visual beauty of Boetti's work, proving that he is one of the most important and influential international artists of his generation.

This book is co-published by the Museo nacional centro de arte Reina Sofía.



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# SANJA IVEKOVIĆ Sweet Violence

By Roxana Marcoci. With essays by Terry Eagleton and Roxana Marcoci

Published in conjunction with the first solo museum exhibition of Sanja Iveković's work in the United States, this volume makes a major contribution to the reevaluation of significant women artists from the post-1960s period to today. A feminist, activist, and video and performance pioneer, Iveković (born Zagreb, 1949) came of age in the early 1970s during the period known as the Croatian Spring, when artists broke free from mainstream institutional settings, laying the groundwork for a new form of practice antipodal to official art. This catalogue presents an overview of the artist's projects in all mediums from the early 1970s to 2011, offering a fascinating view of gender roles, the official politics of power, and the paradoxes inherent in a society's collective memory. Featured works include lveković's historic single-channel videos, photocollages, performances, and sculptural installations. Weaving together art historical analysis and political theory, essays by literary critic Terry Eagleton and curator Roxana Marcoci offer a critical examination of the neoavant-garde in the former Yugoslavia and provide a philosophical context for investigating urgent issues such as women's rights, political activism, and collaborative tactics in art.





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