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EXHIBITION

100 Artworks by Chicago Architects and Designers

A show at the Bridgeport Art Center in Chicago highlights the non-building work of nearly three dozen local creatives.

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View of exhibition showing Richard Blender's "Birds Not Included" (2017) sculpture

The work of architects often extends beyond the building client-practice relationship into producing much smaller-scale works of art, from [chairs](#)



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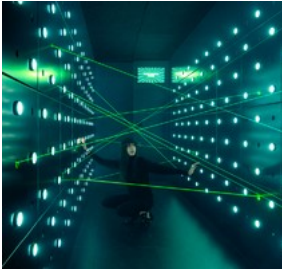
to [dollhouses](#) to [shoes](#). For a show in Chicago at the [Bridgeport Art Center](#), co-curators Stephen Wierzbowski, AIA, and [Edward Keegan, AIA](#) (an ARCHITECT contributor), with Lelde Kalmite gathered more than 100 examples of these non-building spurts of creativity from 33 local architects and designers. The show, up through March 2, features work by Aric Lasher, FAIA, of HBRA Architects; Ross Wimer, FAIA, of AECOM; Paola Aguirre of Borderless; Philip Enquist of Skidmore, Owings, & Merrill; and Mimi McKay of McKay Landscape Architects.



Nancy Desmond
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Josh Mings

"Reykjavik Sunset" (2017) by Josh Mings

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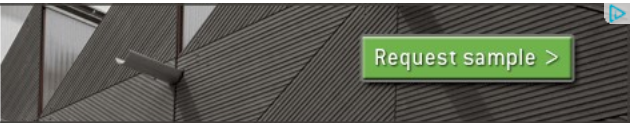
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