



Norma Minkowitz Drawings On View In NYC Exhibit

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Westport-based artist Norma Minkowitz is holding a first-time exhibition of her pen-and-ink drawings.

Minkowitz, who is best known for her sculpture and fiber works, has her drawings on display at Nancy Margolis Gallery, 523 W. 25th St., New York.

"For the past 30 years, I have primarily focused on sculptural forms using fiber as line, and at the same time I have been drawing consistently," Minkowitz said. "I now find myself quite obsessed by the drawn line and its endless possibilities."

She added, "My pen-and-ink drawings, at times combined with collage, encompass my thoughts and observations of life's dark side including violence, evil, illness and mortality. My drawings are both spontaneous and delicate."

Minkowitz's works are part of a seven-artist exhibition, titled "Narrations." Artists participating in the show are Edward del Rosario, Susan Jamison, Marie Sivak, Abdelkader Benchamma, Kiel Johnson, Marie on Heyl.

Minkowitz is a recipient of a NEA Visual Arts Grant in 1986, a Connecticut Commission on the Arts Visual Arts Grant in 2002 and a United Nations Award honoring outstanding Connecticut women in 2000. Her work is in more than 20 museum collections, including the Smithsonian Institution and the Museum of Arts and Design in New York City.

The exhibit concludes March 1. For information, call (212) 242-3013 or visit www.nancymargolis.com



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Artist Norma Minkowitz, who is best known for her fiber sculptures, is showcasing her pen-and-ink drawings in a New York gallery through March 1.