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Opening: June 19, 2010: 4PM ArtLexis presents Dead Cat Bounce, a group exhibition featuring painters Patrick Lundeen, Osvaldo Ramirez Castillo, Russell Tyler, Marc Seguin and Max Wyse.

Dead Cat Bounce is an exhibition of Montrealers – Max Wyse and Osvaldo Ramirez Castillo (based in Montreal), with Patrick Lundeen, Marc Seguin and Russell Tyler (based in New York) who freely utilize some of the idioms of popular narrative art and other vernacular media in order to build a more urgent visual language. Redolent of other historical swells that highlight the primacy of imagery during particularly cynical times (like Ensor, Grosz or Dix), each has weaved their imagistic urge into a deeper involvement in the more traditional language of painting.




Each artist places emphasis - albeit with starkly different approaches and mannerisms - on the act of drawing as the core of painting. Simply put, they are all people that display a propensity to put their heads down and draw, whether in service to a sharply satirical visual language (like Castillo and Seguin) or (like Tyler, Lundeen and Wyse) a comically psychic quasi-narrative. They all share a bit of both properties in varying degrees, much like the pool of influence they drink from.

Cameron Skene
Guest Curator

Dead Cat Bounce is on from June 19 to August 20, 2010. Artists will be present. For information or interview requests, contact Alex Rader, Director ArtLexis at 718.243.0923, mail@artlexis.com or Cameron Skene at cwskene@yahoo.ca.

# DEAD CAT BOUNCE

Montréal/New York



Osvaldo Ramirez Castillo, Patrick Lundeen
Marc Séguin, Russell Tyler, Max Wyse

curated by Cameron Skene

June 21, 2010 - August 20, 2010

Opening reception: Saturday, June 19, 4-7pm Gallery hours: Mon-Fri 11-6

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