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Hyperallergic Fall 2022 New York Art Guide

A month-by-month visual guide to the museum exhibitions and art events you should check out in New York City this season.

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New York City continues to be a global hub of culture, and nowhere is that energy and vitality as evident as in the city's vibrant art scene, which includes dozens of museums, hundreds of art galleries, countless nonprofit spaces and temporary venues, and a cornucopia of public art.

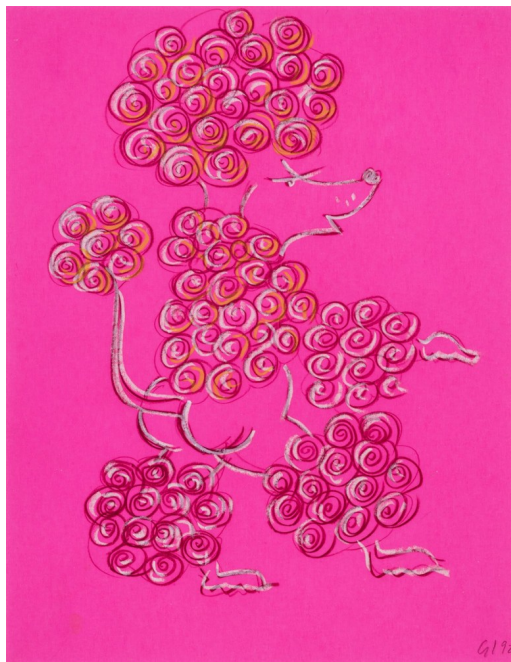
Contemporary art is in the DNA of this city, and it is where Pop Art, Minimalism, graffiti, digital art, and so many other influential styles and movements got their start, eventually going on to have a major impact on global culture.

To understand the real beauty of New York, look no further than its inclusiveness. There is something for everyone in this great metropolis. My suggestion is to go out and see it all!

Why not take a stroll in Central Park and check out the beautiful fountains, bridges, and public art projects throughout, or visit the commercial art galleries of Chelsea, Tribeca, or the Lower East Side to see some work by emerging and established artists on display? Or better yet, check out the wealth of museums the city has to offer.

This guide is focused on the art institutions that help make this city great, and it highlights the breadth of venues throughout the boroughs, as well as a few beyond in the Greater New York region for those adventurous enough to go on a day trip. Art in New York is truly unlike anything else in the world.

Opening in October



General Idea, "Continental Poodle (Pink) Dexter" (1992), pastel, wax crayon and felt pen on painted pink fluorescent paper, 107/8 × 87/16 inches (private collection, courtesy The Drawing Center)

Ecce Homo: The Drawings of General Idea

Founded in Toronto in the late 1960s by AA Bronson, Felix Partz, and Jorge Zontal, General Idea was a collective guided by a radical queer politics and a performative orientation. Drawings executed in the spirit of mass reproduction between 1985 and 1993 spotlight motifs like poodles, stilettos, and masks.