

# October 2021 Fountain Street Annex Bill Cohn, Alison Judd, and Joan Ryan

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**Boston, MA**– In October, artists Bill Cohn, Alison Judd, and Joan Ryan use inspiration from everyday life as their language to create expressions that range from the concrete to the abstract. While sharing a common starting point they illustrate concepts with a diversity of meanings; an exploration of contemporary society, an emphasis on the beauty of the textures of everyday items, and the relationships between mind and memory.







## **Bill Cohn**

Bill Cohn has been a ceramic artist for 30 years. His work has been featured in solo, two-person, and juried group shows, with gallery pieces as well as outside sculpture. Cohn works from his studio at Artspace Maynard, where he was an original member. During his business career he launched dozens of products in corporate life and holds three patents. This past June (2020) Cohn retired and is now pursuing his artistic career full time.

# **Alison Judd**

Alison Judd is a Boston-based painter, printmaker, and curator. She received a B.A. in Painting and Art History from Brandeis University, and an M.F.A. in Painting and Printmaking from Massachusetts College of Art. In 2019 she founded Gallery Tempo, showcasing local artists through pop-up gallery shows in the Boston area. Judd is a board member of JArts, serves on the Art Committee for the Gallery at Mayyim Hayyim, and is a director on the MassArt Foundation Board.



### Joan Ryan

Joan Ryan is a Boston based artist whose work has been exhibited nationally and internationally, including the Schultz Gallery, Berlin, A.I.R. Gallery in Brooklyn, and the Mattatuck Museum, Waterbury CT. Her residencies include Mass Moca, Santa Fe Museum of Contemporary Art, Byrdcilff, Woodstock, NY, DADA Post, Berlin Germany, and most recently Arts, Letters and Numbers, Averill Park, NY. She has received grants from the Massachusetts Cultural Council, the Provincetown Art Association, the Puffin Foundation, the George Sugarman Foundation and the National Endowment for the Arts.

## **Image Information**

[L] Cohn, Enterolobium Cairn #3 (detail)[C] Judd, Blurred Memories II[R] Ryan, Forefathers at the Wall

#### **About Fountain Street**

Fountain Street is a contemporary gallery in the SoWa Art + Design District of Boston. We exhibit a wide array of media from over 30 emerging and mid-career artists in both our main and annex galleries. Founded in 2011, our passion has always been about connecting art seekers and makers through thoughtfully curated exhibitions, juried shows, collaborative projects and installations. In its third year, the Annex is a section of the gallery where work is featured by artists seeking gallery experience and exposure in the Boston area. Our deep commitment to local artists and frequent rotation of new exhibits offers visitors a fresh and dynamic art experience.

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