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## 1708 Gallery's InLight Richmond 2017 Participating Artists!



Richmond - We are pleased to announce the list of participating artists for 1708's InLight Richmond 2017. InLight 2017's artists will transform facades and walls, sidewalks and alleys, storefronts and empty buildings in Richmond's Arts and Culture District. Their artworks will highlight the unique history of the area and take as their inspiration, the Electric Carnival, a street festival that enlivened Broad Street in 1901.

## SELECTED JURIED ARTISTS

Travis Austin

Mark Baker, Chalet Comellas, and Clinton Sleeper Claire Bennett

Todd Berreth, Lee Cherry, Patrick Fitzgerald, and Emil Polyak Jaclyn Bowie

Shannon Collis and Liz Donadio

Alex Coyle, Grace Cummings, and Shannon Lowe

Victoria Farr

Younan Ghebrial, Ian Hess, and Sarah Walker

Graehound

Tim Harper and Matt Lively

Lori Hepner and Kendra Ross

Wade Kramm

Derek Larson

Chelsea Lee

Robin Mandel

Josh Miller

Josh Rodenberg and Russell White

Rumput

Jon-Phillip Sheridan

Jill Taffet

Sasha Waters Freyer

## PARTICIPATING COMMUNITY PARTNERS:

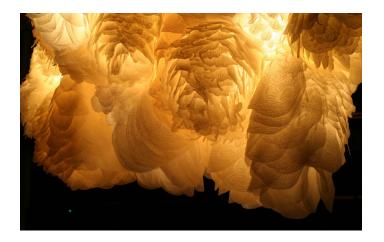
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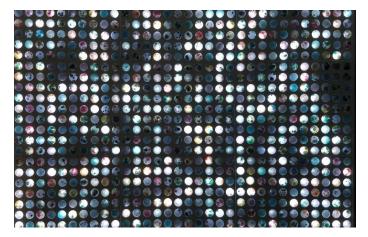


SPECIAL CURATED PROJECTS BY:

Maximo Gonzales Free Egunfemi VCU Dance Department

The juror for InLight 2017 is Nat Trotman, Curator of Performance and Media at the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, where he oversees the museum's collection and presentation of time-based artworks, including performance, video, film, sound, and other media. He holds his Masters of Philosophy from the Graduate Center of the City University of New York and is a graduate of the Whitney Museum's Independent Study Program.





For more details and to stay up to date on event details, visit www.1708gallery.org/inlight

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Images (Top to bottom, Left to right): Andy Hope Diaz and Jon Bernson, god(s)(dess)(es), InLight 2016 Scott's Addition, Image courtesy of Terry Brown. Travis Austin, *The Bondage of Utility*, 2017, Vinyl LP's, single-burner hotplates, Image courtesy of the artist. Victoria Farr, coccolithophore (detail), 2016, Acrylic screen prints on paper with LED lights, Image courtesy of the artist. Elizabeth Graehling, *Periphery*, 2017, 891 back-lit drawings on Plexiglas and panel, Image courtesy of the artist.

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