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## Best Art Gallery New York 2014 - Postmasters Gallery



So you've just left the Whitney's Jeff Koons survey and can't say for sure whether you just visited a museum or FAO Schwarz. Quick, before your frontal lobe gilds over, hie to Postmasters Gallery, Gotham's premier venue for art with brains. Located in the shadow of Chinatown and Federal Plaza, Postmasters remains tops among NYC gallery-goers who like their art front-loaded with timely ideas. Helmed by Magda Sawon and Tamas Banovich, the art space regularly plays host to events that mix art, theory, and social activism. Not only does Postmasters eschew fashionable bling, it consistently champions the kind of smart, critically minded conceptualism that asks artists to help decipher the world we live in. Among the more challenging talents to have exhibited here are incendiary Web artists Eva and Franco Mattes, social-realist photographer Chris Verene, and all-around shit-stirrer William Powhida.

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