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# 25<sup>th</sup> International Open

**March 2 – March 30, 2024 | Reception: Saturday, March 2, 2024 | 4–7 PM CST**

**Artists Walkthrough: Saturday, March 30, 2024 | 2–5 PM CST**

**Juried by Priscilla Otani**



**Rachel Feinstein: *As I Wait* (2020)**

CHICAGO—Woman Made Gallery (WMA) is proud to present the 25th International Open, a group exhibition with work by 40 artists. Curated by Priscilla Otani, this open theme encourages entries that explore or challenge conceptual and material boundaries. The opening reception will be held on Saturday, March 2, from 4 to 7 p.m. at WMA's new location: 1332 S. Halsted St., Chicago, IL 60607.

**About the Juror:** Priscilla Otani is Board President of the Northern California Women's Caucus for Art (NCWCA), founding partner of Arc Studios & Gallery in San Francisco, art curator and interdisciplinary artist. Founded in 1973, NCWCA has an activist mission in support of women in the arts and its membership includes artists, art historians, curators, gallerists, art educators and students.

Since 2010, Arc has exhibited more than 500 mostly local artists, provides studio spaces for 14 local artists, and houses two micro-businesses. As curator, Otani has produced local, national and international exhibitions through Arc Gallery, NCWCA, National Women's Caucus for Art, and the Pacific Center for the Book Arts. As an interdisciplinary artist, she has participated in many activist-themed exhibitions, ranging in subject matter from immigration, reproductive rights, women's rights, to politics.

Otani received her BA in Psychology and Asian Studies from Mills College in 1974 and MA in Japanese Literature from Columbia University in 1976. Born in Tokyo, Otani is a bi-cultural, naturalized United States citizen. For more information visit her website:

<http://www.mrpotani.com/>

**Exhibiting Artists & Designers:** Kiley Ames, Brittanie Bondie, Tian Bu, Melissa English Campbell, Donna R. Charging, Fabiana Comas Risquez, Bria Corrande, Katie Croft, Zarina N. Docken, AJ Duncan, Elaine Emmons, Ana Maria Farina, Rachel Feinstein, Brianna Freitag, Chen Gao, Karen M. Gutfreund, Chloe Harthan, Ellen Holtzblatt, Peggy Blei Hrach, Janet Jaffke, Olivia Jobbe, Shannon Knowlton, Natasha Kravchenko, Maddy Lee, Anna Lentz, Angela A. McElwain, Dee Mostofi, Nelson, Colleen O'Rourke, Mimm Patterson, Schetauna Powell, Maya Rau-Murthy (in collaboration with Meena Chen & Mrinaalika Sivakumar), Sawyer Rose, Anna Sahkul, Tanya Scott, Rose Sellery, Annmarie Suglio, Julianne Wallace Sterling, Karina Walter, Cat Washington



Fabiana Comas Risquez: *La Tacona*

25<sup>th</sup> International Open: <https://womanmade.org/25th-international-open/>

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