

Faculty Spotlight: Michelle Ohm

Michelle Ohm

MFA - Otis College of Art and Design

2010 Armory Fellow

Michelle finds that teaching is an opportunity to inspire and empower. It is no surprise that she is one of our most popular Teaching Artists.

As a person born and raised in LA, the façade and actual location of Hollywood has resonated within her work. She is fascinated by cinematography, cinematic scale, and the narrative quality of moving images. In previous work, she has used film stills, specifically representations of women, to ask the question of what defines femininity. She found that the fabrication of character and narrative plot is just as constructed as gender itself.

Her art practice visually poses questions about what it means to be a woman. Drawing is the visual outcome of her thought process.

She has exhibited in Samuel Freeman Gallery, LA Municipal Art Gallery, Forest Lawn Museum, and Davidson Galleries. She was Artist-in-Residence at Sandberg Institute (Amsterdam).

Visit www.michellewiener.com to view her work and learn more about her.



Want to take an Art Class with Michelle?

Michelle teaches several classes for **Children & Adults** including Ceramics and Drawing.

“As a teacher, it is my goal to challenge, engage and give students confidence in their ability to make work. Ideally, I want students to feel a sense of accomplishment with their portfolios and an urge to continue making art.”

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