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WARHOL FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES FALL 2011 GRANTS

The Andy Warhol Foundation is very pleased to announce its Fall 2011 grantees. In mid-December the Foundation's Board approved 21 grants to organizations around the country that support artists through exhibition programs, residencies, commissions, conferences and other professional development opportunities; 13 grants to museums to help produce solo and group exhibitions; 6 curatorial research fellowships to foster new scholarship in the field of contemporary art and one Wynn Kramarsky Freedom of Expression grant.

To read further about a selection of organizations and projects receiving funding look for the **Learn More** feature on the Awarded Grants page.

http://www.warholfoundation.org/foundation/47_detail.html

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Armory Center for the Arts: \$40,000

Pasadena, CA

"Tales of Tomorrow" Connie Samaras exhibition

Spaceport America, a privately funded base for commercial space travel, is under construction in the middle of the New Mexico desert, while in Dubai, the Burj Khalifa, the world's tallest structure, towers above a man-made white sand island shaped like a spreading palm. Los Angeles-based photographer Connie Samaras calls projects like these "speculative landscapes," and has been creating work about them for the past two decades. The Armory Center for the Arts is planning a solo exhibition of her work entitled *Tales of Tomorrow*. Curated by Irene Tsatsos, the Center's director of gallery programs, the show and its accompanying catalogue will consider both the utopian and the apocalyptic implications of such radical environmental interventions.