ABRI MARS ONE OF ONE
Press Release Group Exhibition

EXHIBITION →

One of One 05 Sept-25 Oct 2025

OPENING RECEPTION \rightarrow

05 Sept 2025, 6pm-8pm

FEATURED ARTISTS \rightarrow

Daniel Arnold
Juan Brenner
Mike Brodie
Mark Borthwick
Rebekka Deubner
Philip-Lorca diCorcia
Barbara Ess
Jerry Hsu
Shaniqwa Jarvis
Irina Rozovsky
Gray Sorrenti
Mario Sorrenti

LOCATION →

ABRI MARS 53a Stanton Street New York, New York ABRI MARS is thrilled to present *One of One*, a group exhibition curated by Aaron Stern featuring photographic works by Daniel Arnold, Juan Brenner, Mike Brodie, Mark Borthwick, Rebekka Deubner, Philip-Lorca diCorcia, Barbara Ess, Jerry Hsu, Shaniqwa Jarvis, Irina Rozovsky, Gray Sorrenti, and Mario Sorrenti. Marking the gallery's one-year anniversary on the eve of New York Fashion Week, this exhibition confronts the ceaseless proliferation of image-making at a time when online syntheticity holds sway, alternatively offering to engage with photography as a material object.

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In One of One, curator Aaron Stern asks us to reconsider the photograph as more than an image—a physical object that demands to be experienced in person. In an era where most pictures exist digitally, viewed fleetingly on screen before disappearing into an endless scroll, this exhibition calls for a return to presence and materiality.

Photographs today often live as detritus, stored on our phones and in the heap of the internet, stripped of their physicality. This collection of works pushes against that trend, celebrating the photograph as an object that carries weight, texture, and story that cannot be fully conveyed through a screen.

The works in *One of One* include Polaroids, prints, collage, and photograms, demonstrating the richness of engaging with photography in its tangible form. Polaroids, with their instant and singular nature, offer intimacy and immediacy; prints, demanding closer inspection, evoke a sense of quiet discovery; collage, with peripheral elements such as handwritten notes, creased paper, or torn edges; and photograms, expressing the delicately powerful nature of light as a physical medium, reminding us that photographs are as much about the context of their creation as the image itself.

This exhibition is an invitation to experience photographs as they were meant to be seen: in person, where their material presence and physical nuances resonate. It is a call to value photography as more than a fleeting digital record, to re-engage with its potential to preserve, provoke, and endure. In doing so, *One of One* underscores photography's role not only as art, but as an artifact of human connection and memory.

Works by Philip-Lorca diCorcia courtesy of David Zwirner. Works by Barbara Ess courtesy of Magenta Plains and the Barbara Ess Estate.

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The exhibition will be accompanied by events to be announced online. For further information, please contact info@abrimars.com

ABOUT ABRI MARS \Rightarrow Founded in September 2024, ABRI MARS is a contemporary art gallery focused on the practice of an observational pace, discovering intimate and emotional resonance in emerging art. Located in the culturally diverse neighborhood of the Lower East Side in Manhattan, ABRI MARS fosters a program of influential international artists who communicate deeply personal stories and experiences with unique style and vision, most of whom have seldom or not yet been exhibited in the United States.