

**GALERIE NATHALIE OBADIA**

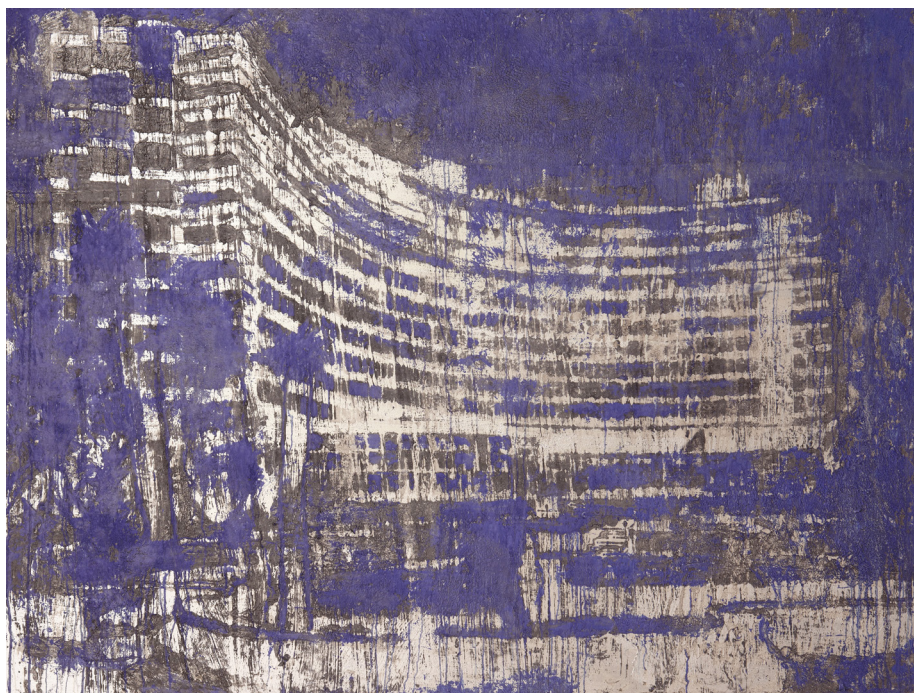
PARIS - BRUXELLES

## **Enoc Perez**

*Paris mon amour*

**16 mai - 27 juillet 2013**

**18, rue du Bourg-Tibourg - 75004 Paris**



The Galerie Nathalie Obadia is delighted to present recent works by Enoc Perez in the new gallery, rue du Bourg-Tibourg.

It is the third show by the artist with Galerie Nathalie Obadia, who has represented him since 2007. His first exhibition was held then, after his participation in *'Cher Peintre ... Peintures Figuratives depuis l'ultime Picabia'* at the Centre Pompidou in 2002. An exhibition of works on paper was also held at the gallery in Brussels in 2011.

Enoc Perez is back with an eagerly awaited exhibition; this will be the first time his sculptures are shown in Paris. With these sculptural works, Enoc Perez continues to explore the themes of modernist architecture, nostalgia and the culture of his native Puerto Rico, which has always been a source of inspiration in his pictorial work. The sculptures revisit the atmosphere of hotels in the Caribbean, a topic which is also present in the paintings from the years 2000.

The Galerie Nathalie Obadia will be presenting recent paintings by Enoc Perez: more abstract architectures which use a very subtle and more austere palette of colours to define constructions which are still modern, but already shaping up to become the relics of an America and its history.



ENOC PEREZ. MONTMARTRE. MAM/RBCCI, 2013 - BRONZE - 114,3 X 127 CM - 45,3 X 50 IN.



ENOC PEREZ. PARIS. FOTELSANJUAN, 2013 - BRONZE - 71,12 X 112,7 X 13,4 CM - 28,0 X 44,3 X 5,3 IN.

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*Enoc Perez was born in 1967 in San Juan, Puerto Rico, where he lived until the end of his teen years. In 1986, he moved to New York, where he has lived and worked ever since. Enoc Perez graduated from the Pratt Institute in New York in 1990, earning his MA at Hunter College in New York in 1992. Since the mid-1990s, he has shown in a number of institutions, with exhibitions including 'Skyscraper: Art and Architecture Against Gravity' in 2012 at MOCA (Museum of Contemporary Art) in Chicago, as well as at the prestigious Corcoran Gallery museum in Washington, with his solo show, 'Utopia', in 2012.*

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**Paris**

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16 May - 27 July 2013

**Jean Dewasne**

*Anti-sculptures*

12 September - 31 October 2013

**Galerie Nathalie Obadia**

**Paris**

Cloître Saint-Merri

**Martin Barré**

*1972-1977, the decisive years*

4 April - 30 June 2013

**Rosson Crow**

7 September - 31 October 2013

**Carole Benzaken**

November - December 2013

**Galerie Nathalie Obadia**

**Bruxelles**

**Pieter Schoolwerth**

*Shadows Past*

16 April - 1st June 2013

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