

# Below Grand

## Below Grand is expanding.

Below Grand is a peer-reviewed artists run gallery. In our sixth year, we are expanding into our newly renovated space at 52 Allen St. while continuing to maintain our two spaces at 53 Orchard St. To operate both spaces, we have expanded our team to 24 artists and curators.

Our current members are:

Zakariya Abdul-Qadir, Davis Arney, Jacob Patrick Brooks, Alex Droesch, Eric, Jesse Firestone, Nakai Falcon, Marissa Graziano, Ray Hwang, Debbi Kenote, Peter Kelly, Mo Kong, Devon Ma, Bradley Milligan, Arthur Pena, Aparna Sakar, Sarah Tortora, Marco Tulio Venegas, Frank Yefeng Wang, wei, Max Werner, Til Will, Hannah Winkler, Andrew Woolbright

Our first show across all three of our spaces will be this Thursday,  
October 10 from 6-9PM.

*We hope that you can join us for our inaugural exhibition:*

## *Meridian*

*Featuring the work of:*

Tess Bilhartz, Thomas Bohm, Antoine Catala, Kiernen Costello, Stephen Deffet, Kerry Downey, Peter Fend, Sasha Fishman, Cameron Granger, Bendix Harms, Hong Hong, Fox Hysen, Catherine Telford Keogh, Kang Seung Lee, Jahi Kijo Lendor, James Luna, Bradley Marshall, RJ Messineo, Adam Milner, Alison Nguyen, Antonis Pittas, Bat-Ami Rivlin, Bobby Smith, Scott Vanderveen, Siebren Versteeg, Michael Wang

### Curator Statement

The Meridian is a passage between us, one we cannot see. We only have our sense of it. Who we were and who we will be on each side of it is something we cannot know. But on the Meridian we are hyper-sensitive, empathetic and attuned to the material and bodies near us- adopting each others' traits and reflecting each other's desires, without language, without certainty. Only doubt is left, as a posture that realigns us to each other. And in this sensitivity, is admiration, an artists' artist show, of desire and who we all can vouch for as those willing to keep the meridian vibrant, alive, and who we believe will protect it from being known.

Email us at [belowgrand@gmail.com](mailto:belowgrand@gmail.com) for a preview of the exhibition and more information.