

JOE ZUCKER – The Good, the Bad and the Ugly

Exhibition: 19 January - 8 March 2008

Location: ScheiblerMitte, Charlottenstrasse 2, 10969 Berlin

Artist Talk with Mark Gisbourne, 19 January, 6 pm
followed by the private view from 7 – 9 pm

"The Good, the Bad and the Ugly" is a selection of monumental paintings by the American artist Joe Zucker (*1941 Chicago) from the years 1973 until 2007. His first solo show in Berlin offers a subjective view onto the myriad of styles he has explored. This highly diverse and experimental output is unified by a keen formal and historical sensibility and devastating wit.

"Joe Zucker has consistently for over four decades been one of America's most innovative artists. His paintings are personal, quirky, idiosyncratic, and often puzzling. His style is rooted in processes, some simple, others remarkably complex."*

*Betsy Sussler, from "Joe Zucker by Chuck Close," BOMB Magazine, issue #100, Summer 2007

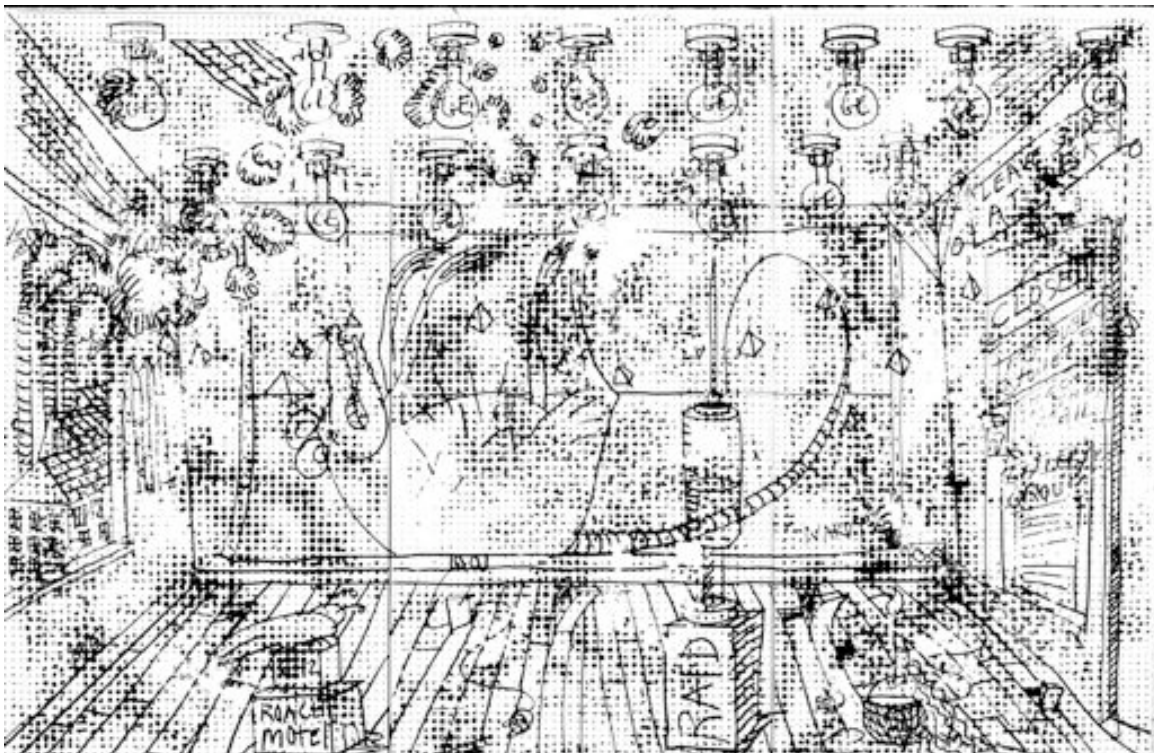


Image: Joe Zucker, Sleazeasy 8A, 1991, acrylic on plywood pegboard, 244 x 366 cm / 96 x 144 in., © Joe Zucker