

# ARTWORK

WWW.ARTWORKINTERNATIONAL.COM

PRESS RELEASE: for immediate release, 28 January 2010

## German-born artist Nadja Marcín Wins Artist Business Career Development Grant

WHAT: ARTWORKinternational, Inc.'s Artist Business Career Development Grant has been announced  
[www.artworkinternational.com](http://www.artworkinternational.com)

WHERE: Global

WHEN: Grant cycle begins January 2010, and ends January 2011



Santa Fe, New Mexico USA - In 2009 ARTWORKinternational, Inc. announced its inaugural Artist Business Career Development Grant (ABCD Grant). The call for artists was open to individuals across the globe, and the response was outstanding, resulting in over 230 applicants. The ABCD Grant was established to assist artists in the advancement of their careers, with an award amount of \$12,000. After copiously reviewing

countless, tremendous applications, ARTWORKinternational, Inc. is thrilled to announce our 2010 grant winner: Nadja Marcin!

Nadja Marcin is a German-born, performance artist, who currently resides in New York City. Marcin's work supremely focuses on human behaviors, elemental emotions, and psychological responses. Marcin explores her artistic practice through video, photography, and performance vignettes. Marcin is currently studying at Columbia University in New York. As well, in 2008 she was awarded a Fulbright scholarship. More information about Marcin can be found at [www.nadjamarcin.de](http://www.nadjamarcin.de). ARTWORKinternational, Inc. is both inspired and intrigued by the work of this young artist, and will work tirelessly to support her vision!

Having worked professionally with artists of every ilk, ARTWORKinternational, Inc. showed no preference for specific genres, as is evidenced by this year's finalists. The selection committee placed emphasis on quality of work, originality of subject matter, and innovative use of material, among other qualifications. The 2010 finalists include: Arina Gordienko [www.arinagordienko.com](http://www.arinagordienko.com); Alejandro Cartagena Gonzalez [www.alejandrocartagena.com](http://www.alejandrocartagena.com); Mehraneh Atashi [www.mehranehatashi.com](http://www.mehranehatashi.com); Joanne Grune-Yanoff [www.joannegruneyanoff.com](http://www.joannegruneyanoff.com); Karrie Hovey [www.karriehovey.com](http://www.karriehovey.com); Erik Boker [www.erikboker.com](http://www.erikboker.com); Eric Tillinghast [www.ericillinghast.info](http://www.ericillinghast.info); Daniel Bilodeau [www.danielbilodeau.com](http://www.danielbilodeau.com); James Marshall [www.jamesmarshallart.com](http://www.jamesmarshallart.com); George Handy [www.georgehandy.com](http://www.georgehandy.com). This year's finalists are listed at [www.artworkinternational.com](http://www.artworkinternational.com).

ARTWORKinternational Inc.'s mission is to create a global presence for visual artists. They foster excellence in the realization of each artist's ultimate potential. Facilitating the career development of contemporary visual artists, they utilize three decades of cumulative experience amassed by their team of art professionals.

For more information about ARTWORKinternational, Inc., the ABCD Grant, or this year's grantee please visit [www.artworkinternational.com](http://www.artworkinternational.com).

Creating a global presence for visual artists,  
[www.artworkinternational.com](http://www.artworkinternational.com).

Submission guidelines and additional information can be found at <http://www.artworkinternational.com/grant.html>.

For additional information, please contact:  
ARTWORKinternational, Inc.  
505 / 982 7447  
[grant@artworkinternational.com](mailto:grant@artworkinternational.com)