### One Way or Another: Asian American Art Now

January 20 through March 31 at the Blaffer Gallery, the Art Museum of the University of Houston, Texas

Walking down the mall, standing over by the wall, these young artists are gonna getcha. Named for Blondie's hit song, this exhibition features 17 iconoclastic artists born around the 1970s popular culture explosion. It's being American in the contemporary world. Organized by Asia Society. Cocurated by Susette Min, Karin Higa and Melissa Chiu. A catalogue is available at www.AsiaStore.org

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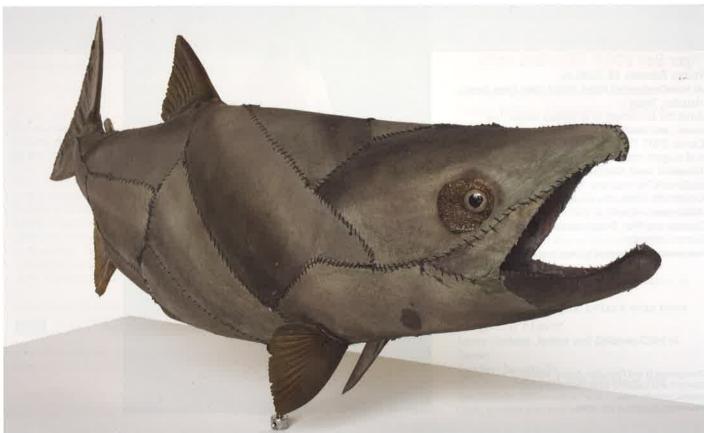
ABOVE: Five-lobed cup decorated with ducks and fish; Five Dynasties, 10th century, before 942 From the tomb of Yelü Yuzhi and Chonggun at Hansumu Township in Aluke'erqin; Banner; Gold; Height: 4.9 cm; diameter of mouth: 7.3 cm; diameter of base: 4 cm; Research Institute of Cultural Relics and Archaeology of Inner Mongolia. BELOW: Glenn Kaino; Graft (salmon); 2006; Shark skin, thread, salmon skin, plastic; 36 x 12 x 4 in.; Collection of the artist.

## Gilded Splendor: Treasures of China's Liao Empire (907–1125)

January 26 through April 22 at the Museum of Asian Art, Cologne, Germany Over 200 recently excavated objects from Inner Mongolia reveal the complex cultural and religious legacy of the Khitan and their reign over China during the Liao dynasty (907–1125). Organized by the Asia Society. Curated by Hsueh-man Shen, Lecturer, Chinese Art, University of Edinburgh; and Adriana Proser, John H. Foster Curator of Traditional Asian Art, Asia Society. A catalogue is available at www.AsiaStore.org

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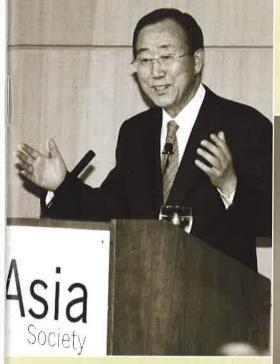
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## LEANING FORWARD, LOOKING BACK:

Eight Contemporary Artists from Korea

Ewer, early 1100s, stoneware with celadon glaze, H: 9 5/8 in. x Dia: 6 1/2 in., Avery Brundage Collection, Asian Art Museum of San Francisco, B60P123+. LEE, Junglin, Pagodas, 1998, photo emulsion on rice paper, H: 74 in: x W: 26 in , collection of artist

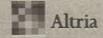
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