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Philagrafika 2010: PRINTABLE at the Seraphin Gallery.

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<u>Seraphin Gallery</u>, a long standing, successful member of Philadelphia's family of commercial galleries recently announced the opening of their <u>Philagraphika 2010</u> <u>Independent Project exhibition</u>, a group show of prints and print related work from their strong stable of gallery artists. The is a lively show, with a broad range of approaches to contemporary print. If you get a chance the show is worth the trip and the gallery staff are helpful and friendly. In their own words:

Seraphin Gallery's new exhibition, "Printable", will focus on the various ways artists can push the medium, usage, and form of printing. Samples include patterned stamping, a racking system which transfers movement on to paper, and relief printing on recycling materials. "Printable†will exhibit from January 29th − March 9th 2010.



These installation shots are followed by close-up images of the work in the exhibit.





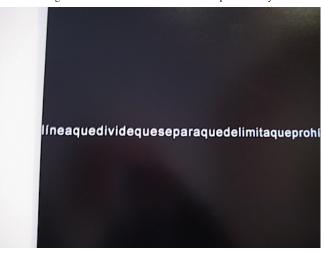
Rob Swainston created, Petabyte Transformation above and the giant print below, A Stately Pleasure-Dome Decree.





Line that Separates by Victor Vazquez is a thoughtful piece. Details shots below.





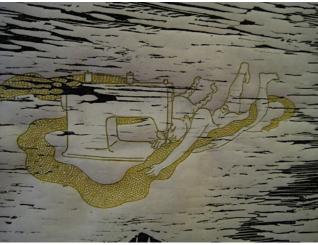
Below are a series of Monoprints by Brian Dickerson, from his Ogham series.





Below is the large, lovely woodcut *Through the Periscope* by Serena Perrone, followed by detailed shots.







 $We\ Would\ Surely\ Have\ A\ Chance\ If\ Only\ We\ Could\ Mobilize\ Every\ Person\ We\ Ever\ Knew\ {\it by\ John\ Karpinski}.$



Here is a detail of this screen print on water color wash.





A great mixed-media piece titled, In Search of Mermaids by Anne Canfield.



Above is Eric McDade's humorous, *The birdies are singing what I want to sing*.









Above are Kelly Wallace's Reparations no. 1 & 2. with a detail of no. 2.



This photograph does not give an accurate depiction of scale, this T-shirt would fit on a giant. It's titled, Bear Fishing and is by the clever and funny, Hiro Sakaguchi.

D.S. Nicholas, Pagoda Corona, how do you change the weather again?, below.





Nancy Sophy's My Invisible Friend, seen above and below is John Wadleigh Curran's lovely etching, Endurance.



The show also incorporated some historic work, like this Harry Bertoia piece from the 1970's.



And this Ken Mabrey Lithograph, Disco Located 78, from 1978. I can almost hear the music.



Here is an installation shot from their back gallery space.



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