

Press Release

Hotel Motel



Friday, April 28, 2000, from 5 to 7 p.m.
At the Presidential Suite of the Delta Hotel
475 President Kennedy Ave.

Cocktails will be served.

Montreal, March 22, 2000 - The Liane and Danny Taran Gallery of the Saidye Bronfman Centre for the Arts is pleased to present *Hotel Motel*, a collaborative performance by Trevor Gould (Montreal) and Jerry Allen (Vancouver).

This work was first presented in the Penthouse Suite of the Century Plaza Hotel in Vancouver as part of the festival of performance art, *Live at the end of the century,* held in October 1999.

In Montreal, this evening performance will bring together the work of Trevor Gould and Jerry Allen to focus discussion on the public reception of a work of art. Galas, vernissages, the rituals of reception, and the role of spectators are the models for this work. Cocktails will be served in the Presidential Suite of the Delta Hotel at 475 President Kennedy Ave. in downtown Montreal, from 5 to 7 p.m. on April 28.

Trevor Gould is an artist working from the insight that sculpture is an intervention of social material. His exhibitions involve the production of artwork to be seen as cultural research.

Jerry Allen has for the past decade dealt with questions related to the making of exhibitions. The practice of installation art from his perspective can be seen as an attempt to picture an illusion of irrational space.

The Gallery would like to thank the Delta Hotel and acknowledge support from the ministère de la Culture et des Communications du Québec, the Canada Council for the Arts and the Conseil des arts de la Communauté urbaine de Montréal.

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