

BANG BANG

KATJA LOHER

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OPENING RECEPTION: MAY 8, 2014, 6-8 PM



New York, NY (March 20, 2014) - C24 Gallery is pleased to present BANG BANG, the first New York solo show of gallery artist **Katja Loher**.

BANG BANG will expand upon the artist's exploration into the delicate relationship we have with our ecological environment. By using physical objects, such as her signature hand-blown glass bubbles and hanging balloons, Loher creates idealized, artificial worlds that sit in harmony with our own, often unpleasant, reality. Loher's carefully choreographed videos are encased, mounted to the wall, or projected, allowing visitors to fully immerse themselves in her creations.

The exhibition will present a series based on the artist's idea of the future of food after the Earth's pollinators are extinct. These wall hanging videos are based on futuristic food supplies, which are set in the artist's world and completely manufactured. In addition, the exhibition will introduce new hand-blown glass bubbles, a central part of Loher's visionary way of displaying her videos. These videos have taken on multi-tiered meanings, as the glass orbs that encase the videos resemble ephemeral soap bubbles. Loher was inspired by the beautiful, delicate and fleeting nature of a bubble suspended in the air, only to dissipate and disappear forever within milliseconds of its creation.