"Art: Tunga"

<u>The New Yorker.</u>

May 12, 2014. p. 13.



531 West 24th Street New York NY 10011 tel 212 206 9100 fax 212 206 9055 www.luhringaugustine.com



Tunga

The Brazilian sculptor, known for surreal theatrical installations with an ecological bite, takes a big step forward with this collection of smaller works. They take the form of tripods, some of which hold terra-cotta basins and hefty cyan crystals that evoke totems or ritual vessels; hanging from one of them is a sculpture of three interconnected fingers, which ripple in space like the tentacles of a sea anemone. Sinuous, symmetrical ink drawings alternately call to mind faces and reproductive systems; each is composed of one continuous line, a vivid instantiation of the artist's passionate syncretism. Through May 31. (Luhring Augustine, 531 W. 24th St. 212-206-9100.)