

Weekend Edition: 10 Things to Do in New York's Art World Before May 2

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Barbara Takenaga, *Night Painting (JFM)*, 2016. Photo: Courtesy the artist and DC Moore Gallery, New York

Talk: “Sea of Stars: The Astral and the Oceanic in Contemporary Painting” at DC Moore Gallery

In conjunction with the gallery’s current exhibition “Barbara Takenaga: Waiting in the Sky,” Artcritical editor David Cohen conducts a conversation between Ms. Takenaga and artist Katherine Bradford, who recently mounted a solo show at the Lower East Side gallery Canada. Ms. Takenaga’s intricate paintings take the skies and seas as the point

of departure for an exploration of spiritual abstraction, while Ms. Bradford's figurative canvases delve into the recreational realm of swimming as a playful way to deal with the medium of paint. Mr. Cohen will investigate the artists' parallel interests in the universe and how they each manifest those shared points of view in individual ways.

DC Moore Gallery, 535 West 22 Street, New York, 6:30 p.m.

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