January 21-April 22, 20 January 21-April 22, 20

Guest Curator: Joshua Decte Exhibition Design: servo

Opening Reception: Friday, January 20

6:00-7:00 pm

7:00-9:00 pm

Members' Preview: Walk-through with Joshua Decter Public Opening

Tuesday, January 24, 7:00 pm Illuminating Dark Places: Participating artists discuss a new model for a group exhibition Including: Mark Bradford, Jordan Crandall, Julia Scher, James Welling, Måns Wrange, David Erdman, servo, UCLA, and moderator Joshua Decter

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24 inches x 24 inches x 14 feet

Dark Places display prototype designed by servo 2005 Vacuum formed plastic, projector

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Wednesday, February 15, 7:00 pm The Architecture of Display: New Approaches to Exhibition Design Participants include: Greg Lynn, Greg Lynn FORM, Angewandte Wien & UCLA; Lev Manovich, Professor of Visual Arts, UCSD; Joseph Rosa, John H. Bryan Curator of Architecture and Design, The Art Institute of Chicago; David Erdman, servo, UCLA; and moderator Joshua Decter Dark Places explores the interconnections between memory and social space. Conceived and organized by guest curator Joshua Decter, this experimental approach to the group exhibition features 75 artists and architects from around the world, with exhibition design by the architectural collaborative servo. With Dark Places, the Santa Monica Museum of Art continues to redefine the ways that art enhances and transforms our perceptions and our lives.

➤ Tuesday, April 4, 7:00 pm

The Real Los Angeles Noir

Jim Heimann, historian and

Executive Editor of Taschen

America, will tour the dark side of

L.A.'s past

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