

## **Events and Parties**

Editors' Picks: 11 Things to See in New York This Week

What to see this week.

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Nicole Awai, Vista 2-Where is Joe?, 2013. Photo courtesy Lesley Heller Workspace.

## "Nicole Awai: Vistas" at Lesley Heller Workspace

<u>Nicole Awai</u>'s first show at Lesley Heller features work from her *Vistas* series, which she has been working on since the mid-2000s. Influenced by La Brea Pitch Lake in her home country of Trinidad, the largest natural deposit of asphalt in the world, and using unusual materials like melted vinyl, nail polish, nylon mesh, and found doll parts, Awai creates black oozing sculptures that become a fluid ground from which to explore cultural dialogues.

Location: Lesley Heller Workspace, 54 Orchard Street

**Price:** Free

Time: Opening reception, 6 p.m.–8 p.m.; Wednesday–Saturday, 11 a.m.–6 p.m.,

Sunday 12 p.m.-6 p.m.

—Sarbani Ghosh

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