

## S<u>PACE</u>: Artist Talk by Teresita Fernández 11AM, September 6, 2014

(SAN ANTONIO, TX – August 5, 2014) - The Trustees of The Linda Pace Foundation announce an artist talk by Teresita Fernández, a renowned contemporary artist whose work has been exhibited both nationally and internationally, at 11AM, Saturday, September 6, 2014 at SPACE. The talk is free and open to the public.

During her talk, Fernández, a 2005 MacArthur Foundation Fellow and recipient of many prestigious works, will reflect on her new works, including her recent show at Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art, "As Above So Below," a large-scale exhibition in which Fernandez combined graphite and gold to make a series of immersive, interconnected installations. *Twin*, a work created by Fernández in 2002 and owned by the Linda Pace Foundation, is part of the PACE GEMS exhibition currently on display in SPACE.

Though Fernández was born in Miami, Florida and lives in New York, her ties to the contemporary art culture in San Antonio are significant. In the winter of 1998, Fernández was an Artpace resident. Her installation, *Borrowed Landscape*, (Citron, Cerulean, Violet, Blue) was a series of stunning multicolored enclosures that challenged perceptions about looking. While a resident at Artpace, Fernández became a friend of Linda Pace, founder of Artpace and The Linda Pace Foundation. In 2005, Pace commissioned Fernández to design and create art installations for the CHRISpark, which Fernández completed in October 2005. Fernández currently serves on the board of Artpace.

Guests at her talk will walk through CHRISpark, located at 111 Camp Street, and view the Wednesday's Child discs created by Fernández in honor of Pace's son, Chris, who was born on a Wednesday. SPACE, formerly Pace's artist studio, is now The Linda Pace Foundation's public gallery, and is located in the northeast corner of CHRISpark.

## ARTIST TALK

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## ABOUT THE LINDA PACE FOUNDATION

The Foundation is the owner and steward of its founder's contemporary art collection, which contains over 600 works and continues to expand. Recent acquisitions include works by Andrea Bowers, Cornelia Parker, Dario Robleto and Shahzia Sikander. Since 2007, the Foundation has loaned over 200 works from its collection, including loans to the Tate Museum and Royal Academy of Arts in London, MASS MoCA in North Adams, Mass., the Louisiana Museum of Modern Art in Copenhagen, Denmark, the Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Monterrey - MARCO in Mexico, and the Gwangju Biennale Foundation, Republic of Korea.

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