

James Fuentes LLC



WILLIAM STONE WARES

March 3 – March 31, 2009
Opening March 3, 6 – 8pm

At Chelsea annex location*

James Fuentes LLC is pleased to announce William Stone's forthcoming exhibition **WARES**.

For his latest exhibition Stone explores issues of functionality, art, and use. Stone distends, manipulates, rebuilds and builds furniture, objects and paintings, recycling both material and use, collapsing their mechanical qualities in vastly subtle, playful ways.

The show enters unfamiliar territory as the objects invite use but the setting deplores it. Each piece's source material, whether raw wood, metal wire or formed plastic, affects the viewer's choice as to its use as furnishing or its reverence as art. An unusual triangulation between these two uses and the perception of current nuances of recycling.

William Stone has presented solo exhibitions at The Clock Tower/P.S. 1 Center for Contemporary Art, Tom Cugliani Gallery, Emily Harvey Gallery and has participated in group exhibitions at The New Museum, Deste Foundation for the Arts, The Aldrich Museum. **WARES** is curated by Kevin McLeod / *mstrmnd*.

** This exhibition will be held at an annex exhibition location, the ground level space at 138 10th Avenue between 18th & 19th Street.*

Gallery Hours: Tuesday – Saturday, Noon – 6pm

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