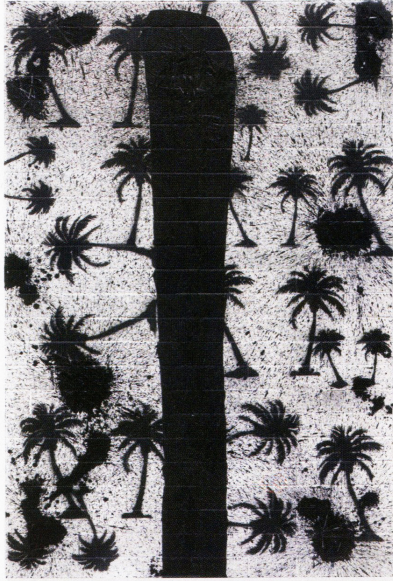


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Ride On by Rashid Johnson, 2012.



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Location, Location, La Brea!

GALLERY GOLIATH DAVID KORDANSKY IS TURNING SOUTH LA BREA INTO LA'S NEWEST ART DESTINATION. *By Jamie Wilde*

The David Kordansky Gallery is getting a pretty impressive 10th-birthday present this month—new digs at the intersection of South La Brea and Edgewood Place (5130 W. Edgewood Pl., LA, 323-935-3030; davidkordanskygallery.com). Designed by acclaimed architect Kulapat Yantrasast of wHY, the space will be triple the size of the former Culver City location with more than 20,000 square feet of offices, gardens, a library, and two spacious galleries—the better for showcasing Kordansky's roster of top-tier talent, which includes LA names such as Kathryn Andrews, Aaron Curry, and Elad Lassry. First up: a solo exhibition by New York-based artist Rashid Johnson, (September 13-October 29). The show, called *Islands*, will fill both galleries and is set to include an ambitious installation composed of a new series of photographs, items from Johnson's studio, and found objects from around LA.