

YOUNG ARTIST SERIES at WSS

**Sunday, January 8
3pm**

The second speaker in our series of recent MFA grads is Sharon Servilio. Join us as Sharon discusses her work and process.

Sharon is a remarkable young artist living and working in NYC. She received her BA in Studio Art from Brandeis in 2005 and her MFA in Painting from American University in 2008. She has exhibited her paintings in the DC area as well as in Massachusetts. Awards include the Crisp Ellert Award, the Mellon Grant for Travel and Research, and the Leonard Bernstein Festival of the Creative Arts Grant. She has been a Visiting Artist at the College of Creative Studies in Detroit, Michigan.



ARTIST STATEMENT

Sharon Servilio's work explores our relationship to images; she is fascinated by the mysterious impulse that drove the earliest images, as well as the current availability, ubiquity, and manipulability of pre-existing images. In attempting to process both these concepts and others in between, her paintings combine prehistoric source material, post-modern thought experiments, and a porous notion of time.