

The best art shows and exhibits in NYC

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Karl Wirsum, “Unmixedly at Ease: 50 Years of Drawing”

Art, Contemporary art [@Derek Eller Gallery](#), Lower East Side [📅](#) Until Sunday November 10 2019



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Karl Wirsum first gained notoriety in Chicago during the 1960s as a key player in the Hairy Who?, a group of Second City artists whose outré figuration played off of comic books and outsider art. Wirsum's own style, with its colorful mechanomorphic mash-ups of monsters, robots and totemic forms is exemplary of their aesthetic. This survey presents his equally eccentric drawings created over the course of his half-century career.

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