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10 Artists to Watch This December

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With the Miami art fairs beckoning the art world to warmer climes, and with galleries and museums rounding out this insane year with a last salvo of art before trundling into the uncertainty of 2017, here are the artists to keep an eye out for this month.

DIANE SIMPSON

JTT, November 13 - January 6

Too-long-overlooked Pop-era dynamo Diane Simpson is making a comeback—her landmark Samurai series were first exhibited in 1983 at Phyllis Kind's Chicago gallery, and have now resurfaced in the inaugural exhibition at JTT Gallery's new (and much larger) space in the Lower East Side. The eight body-scaled, minimalist sculptures inspired by samurai armor and Japanese fireman capes comprise the artist's first New York solo show in 33 years.