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Opening: Paul Mpagi Sepuya at Team Gallery

Ahead of an appearance in the Whitney Biennial and a solo show at Contemporary Art Museum, St. Louis this May, Paul Mpagi Sepuya will debut new photography that considers the medium of portraiture through the lenses of blackness and queerness. The Los Angeles-based artist's pictures are often set within his studio and sometimes incorporate mirrors. Through collaged and rephotographed pictures of nude forms, camera lens, and photoshoot backdrops, his photographs deal with voyeurism and the power dynamics between the image-maker and the subject.

Team Gallery, 83 Grand Street, 6 p.m.–8 p.m.



Paul Mpagi Sepuya, *Drop Scene* (0X5A8165), 2018, archival pigment print.

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