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9 Art Events to Attend in New York City: ‘Mapplethorpe Now,’ Jerron Herman, Danny Lyon, and More

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Exhibition: “Implicit Tensions: Mapplethorpe Now” at Guggenheim Museum

Earlier this year, the Guggenheim Museum opened a survey of Robert Mapplethorpe that included his portraits of celebrity figures, his images of S&M culture, and his pictures of black men (which have proven controversial). Mapplethorpe’s queer aesthetic has been influential for younger generations of artists, and this show—the second half of the earlier showing—will explore his influence on his followers. A number of Mapplethorpe’s images will be shown alongside works by Rotimi Fani-Kayode, Lyle Ashton Harris, Glenn Ligon, Zanele Muholi, Catherine Opie, and Paul Mpagi Sepuya.

Guggenheim Museum, 1071 Fifth Avenue, 10 a.m.–5:30 p.m.