

## Allison Schulnik's "Mound" at ZieherSmith Gallery: A Sneak Peek



Allison Schulnik, "Clown With Hands," 2011, oil on linen



We've been obsessed with **Allison Schulnik** ever since we saw her creepy and wonderful claymation music video for Grizzly Bear's "Ready Able." Now, the Los Angeles-based artist is presenting her first exhibit with New York Gallery, ZieherSmith, "Mound," a collection of recent paintings and sculptures (featuring her trademark drippy and trippy hobo clowns, possessed-looking cats over-ripe blossoms) as well as her sixth film, MOUND, an eerie, "macabre wandering with subjects choreographed in emotive gesture and movement" featuring over 100 hand-sculpted and sewn puppets, accompanied by Scott Walker's "It's Raining Today." Check out some preview images above, and head to the show's opening this Saturday.

Allison Schulnik, "Mound"  
 ZieherSmith Gallery  
 516 W. 20th St.  
 Opening on Saturday, 6-8 p.m.  
 Exhibit runs through Dec. 17.