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Opening: "Invisible Man" at Martos Gallery

After 16 years in Chelsea, Martos Gallery has relocated to Chinatown, where it is now near hip downtown outfits like Foxy Production and Lomex Gallery. Its new space will be inaugurated with "Invisible Man," a four-person group show that takes its name from the 1952 Ralph Ellison novel. The artists included here—Torkwase Dyson, Kayode Ojo, Pope.L, and Jessica Vaughn—all deal with identity in their work, often through abstract means. For Vaughn, in particular, abstraction can be a way of exploring how identity is often hidden. In the past, she has taken real upholstered seats from Chicago public transit and arranged them in grids, so as to suggest a system in which its users go unseen.

Martos Gallery, 41 Elizabeth Street, 6–8 p.m.