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Keith Duncan @ CUE Art Foundation



Kings of Nostalgia, 2010

The Big Apple loves the Big Easy. I see nods to New Orleans everywhere. Recently, I stumbled upon a pretty great one at [CUE Art Foundation](#) on W. 25th Street.

The gallery is currently showing the work of New Orleans artist Keith Duncan. Duncan's monumental paintings are odes to the south, referencing most frequently the social, cultural, and political fabric of his hometown.

Duncan's paintings layer contemporary themes with historical imagery. This technique mirrors the indelible connection, and sometimes struggle, between New Orleans' own past and present.

He has captured significant events in the city's recent history, including Katrina and the Gulf Oil Spill, as well as continuing themes such as race, poverty, and spirituality.



Upon Return in Empire, 2010.



Rise of the South, 2010



Requiem for a "Nigga", 2010

Keith Duncan's work will be on display through January 15, 2011. This is his first solo show in New York in over 10 years. I hope to see much more from him in the future.