## Where Wild Flowers Grow

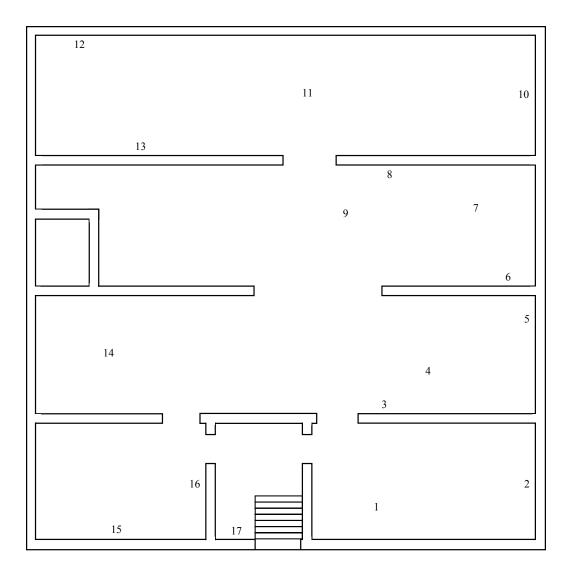
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*Where Wild Flowers Grow* carries a message within its name that has proven to be essential in the process of bringing this show into being. By finding ways to prosper, however the surrounding environment may present itself, the seed takes control of its own growth.

The works of twelve artists - who among others hold the reins of Armada - settle themselves in the cellar of the usual exhibition space. They share values but have divergent priorities and intensity. Although their closeness allows them to be influenced by one another, their own individual frequencies move in different directions and cross at irregular times.

It is a mistake to believe that unity is formed through a complete synchronization of ideals. It may be a struggle to maintain a stable balance of such energies, but diversity in a group is sometimes what strengthens its spirit.

The geometric pattern imprinted in the dust on the floor expands throughout the territory and creates a nucleus around which the works orbit. It also serves as a silent agreement emphasizing the collective involvement that was brought forward in time.



1. Alessandro Conti (Grosseto, 1991) *Ciccia equestre*, 2016 Caramel, wood 146 x 40,5 x 51 cm

2. Massimo Vaschetto (Torino, 1980) Barehunter, 2015 Oil on canvas 196 x 144 cm

3. Isabella Costabile (New York, 1991) *High Priestess*, 2016
Natural fibers, papier maché, wood, resin, metal
83 x 60 cm

4. Ilaria Vinci (Cisternino, 1991) The center of the world is everywhere for who appreciates Cheese, 2016 Acrylic on fabric bandages, mixed media structure 136 x 80 Ø cm

5. Marco Pio Mucci (Benevento, 1990) *Funny Stregone*, 2015 Ink, stucco, acrylic, crayons, wall finish, oil, graphite on satin and cotton 110 x 87 cm

6. Marco Conoci (Grosseto, 1991) Untitled, 2015 Oil on canvas 90 x 65 cm 7. Ilaria Vinci (Cisternino, 1991) The center of the world is everywhere for who appreciates Cheese, 2016 Acrylic on fabric bandages, mixed media structure 165 x 70 Ø cm

8. Emiliano Furia (Romano di Lombardia, 1991) *Le rime di Abraamo*, 2016 Oil on canvas 85 x 67 cm

9. Margherita Raso (Lecco, 1991) Untitled, 2016 Silk 285 x 110 cm

10. Daniele Bonini (La Spezia, 1991) *Obihiro*, 2016 Oil on canvas 165 x 125 cm

11. Lorenza Longhi (Lecco, 1991)Zzz., 2016Copper, iron, fabric, one earring, plexiglass146 x 20 x 25 cm

12. Gianluca Belloni (Milano, 1991) For my mother, for my father, for my brother, for no other, 2016 Mixed media on board 131 x 128 cm 13. Matteo Pomati (Milano, 1989) Untitled, 2016 Linocut, enamel, synthetic canvas 110 x 82 cm

14. Margherita Raso (Lecco, 1991) Untitled, 2016 Silk 365 x 110 cm

15. Marco Conoci (Grosseto, 1991) Untitled, 2015 Oil on canvas 145 x 115 cm

16. Emiliano Furia (Romano di Lombardia, 1991) *Ritorno al cuore*, 2015
Oil on canvas
83 x 93 cm

17. Marco Pio Mucci (Benevento, 1990) White Dish, 2016 Ink, acrylic, graphite, paper mounted on wood 28 x 25 cm