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In Chelyabinsk, in the art gallery OkNo exhibition "The shell of freedom. Broken / Made "

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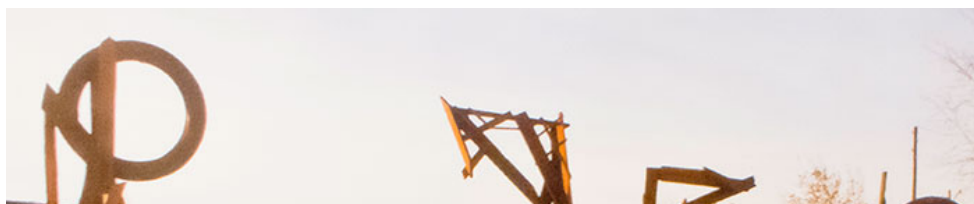
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From 3 to 18 December in the art gallery OkNo exhibition "The shell of freedom. Broken / Made. " This is the fourth exhibition in the framework of the project BRURAL, initiated and supervised the American artist Irina Danilova (New York).



This project was created in order to expand professional contacts of artists and curators from the United States and Russia. The exhibition "The shell of freedom. Broken / Made "consists of art objects, installations, photographs and videos. Visitors learn about the history of copper, which in the last century, made the trip from Tagil mines belonging to industrialists Demidov, to America, to become the outer shell of the statue of Liberty in New York. According to one version, it was copper plates from Nizhny Tagil attracted the attention of French sculptor F. Bartholdi, who purchased the material to create one of his most famous creations. Also, the exposition shows how Tagil and American artists, representing the very different strategies of contemporary art, the creative use method in their aesthetic experiments with visual images of contemporary reality. - Project participants take as a basis for industrial and post-industrial culture, new media space or modern social contexts - said **the exhibition curator, art gallery director Svetlana OkNo Shlyapnikova**. - In the secondary processing of art is all: urban space and architecture, garbage, newspapers and magazines, the ruins of things and ideas. Artists and their will often "partisan" methods of changing the essence of phenomena and objects, changing their structure, thereby showing new meanings. The exhibition can be visited until 18 December at the following address: ul. Sony Curve 79a (entrance through the studio-theater "Mannequin"). Hours: Monday - Friday, 15:00 - 19:00 Saturday 14:00 - 18:00. Free admission.







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