

PRESS RELEASE

On Tuesday, February the 4th 1997, from 6.00 to 8.00 p.m. at The Winchester Gallery (U.K.) will be held the private view of a new exhibition by five young Italian contemporary sculptors:

FORMA

E.Apruzzese, L.Attolini, P.Canevari, G.Caravaggio, G.Pulvirenti.

Five different expressions to provide an *oblique* view of plastic research in Italy today. The exhibition, curated and organized by Vittorio Urbani, the Director of "Nuova Icona (Associazione Culturale per le Arti)" of Venice, is not aimed at artificially defining new trends, nor to cage the selected artists into a predetermined critical approach.

This selection is submitted to the visitor as working material from a *real* situation and is exclusively focussed on the works: by comparing different works and developing their own impressions, visitors will be able to understand the original spirit of the works exhibited, and sense the actual interesting moment of the plastic research, in Italy as internationally.

Sculpture as sculpture: in a time of general return to the artwork, both by artists and the wider public, the show explores the artform that, of all the 'Fine Arts' is still the most endowed with *physicality*.

The exhibition will be later transferred to Dublin (The Gallagher Gallery).

Catalogue available in the gallery.

Thanks for the friendly help to PACA (Public Art Commissions Agency)

"FORMA" at The Winchester Gallery, Park Avenue, Winchester, U.K.
 Director: John Gillett. Tel. 0044 - (0) 1962 - 852500 fax - 842496
 from 5 to 28 February 1997, from 10.00 a.m. / 16.30 p.m., Thursday / Friday.

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FORMA

NEW ITALIAN SCULPTURE

L.ATTOLINI • P.CANEVARI • G.PULVIRENTI
E.APRUZZESE • G.CARAVAGGIO

curated by Vittorio Urbani, NUOVA ICONA Art Gallery, Venice
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