

# KATE WERBLE GALLERY

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If you are visiting New York in the summer months, you may have already been told that the art world goes to sleep, hibernating during the long, humid days of July and August. While it's generally true that there are fewer gallery shows to see on a given day, the art world is still very much awake. If anything, airconditioned exhibitions can be the best places to spend hot summer days. And the art isn't bad either. Here are my picks for gallery and museum shows to visit in the muggy, New York summer:

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5. Ernesto Burgos, "The Tone Was a Synthesis of All the Voices They Had Ever Heard" at Kate Werble Gallery.

In his first solo show at Kate Werble's West Soho space, Burgos destroys a series of reclaimed sofas. Turned lengthwise on their sides, ripped open, painted over, and grouped densely together, the group appears like an erect, apocalyptic forest. It's a strange show, at once cerebral and hotblooded. The show runs through August 10, 2012. For more information, visit [katewerblegallery.com](http://katewerblegallery.com)

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