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Adelson Galleries presents our second Pop-up exhibition, *Smoke and Bullets*, at the Old City Jewish Art Center (OCJAC). The group exhibition juxtaposes two very different artists: Steven Spazuk and Federico Uribe, who have each found their artistic voice through separate and unconventional media.

Steven Spazuk uses a candle as his paintbrush, directing the flame's black smoke to produce silhouettes of his figures. He then carefully brushes the soot away to reveal each composition. Federico Uribe abandons art-making utensils in favor of assembling ordinary objects to create his life-like sculptures. For this exhibition, we have selected pieces from Uribe's Bullet Shell series. The artist skillfully assembles each work so that the viewer reacts to them as if they are alive, often even before realizing they are gazing at bullets. The title of the exhibition, like "smoke and mirrors" — a classic illusionary technique — references the mysterious and magic quality of these artists' processes. We hope that you enjoy the collaboration, and the works inspire you to look beyond the surface of everyday life.

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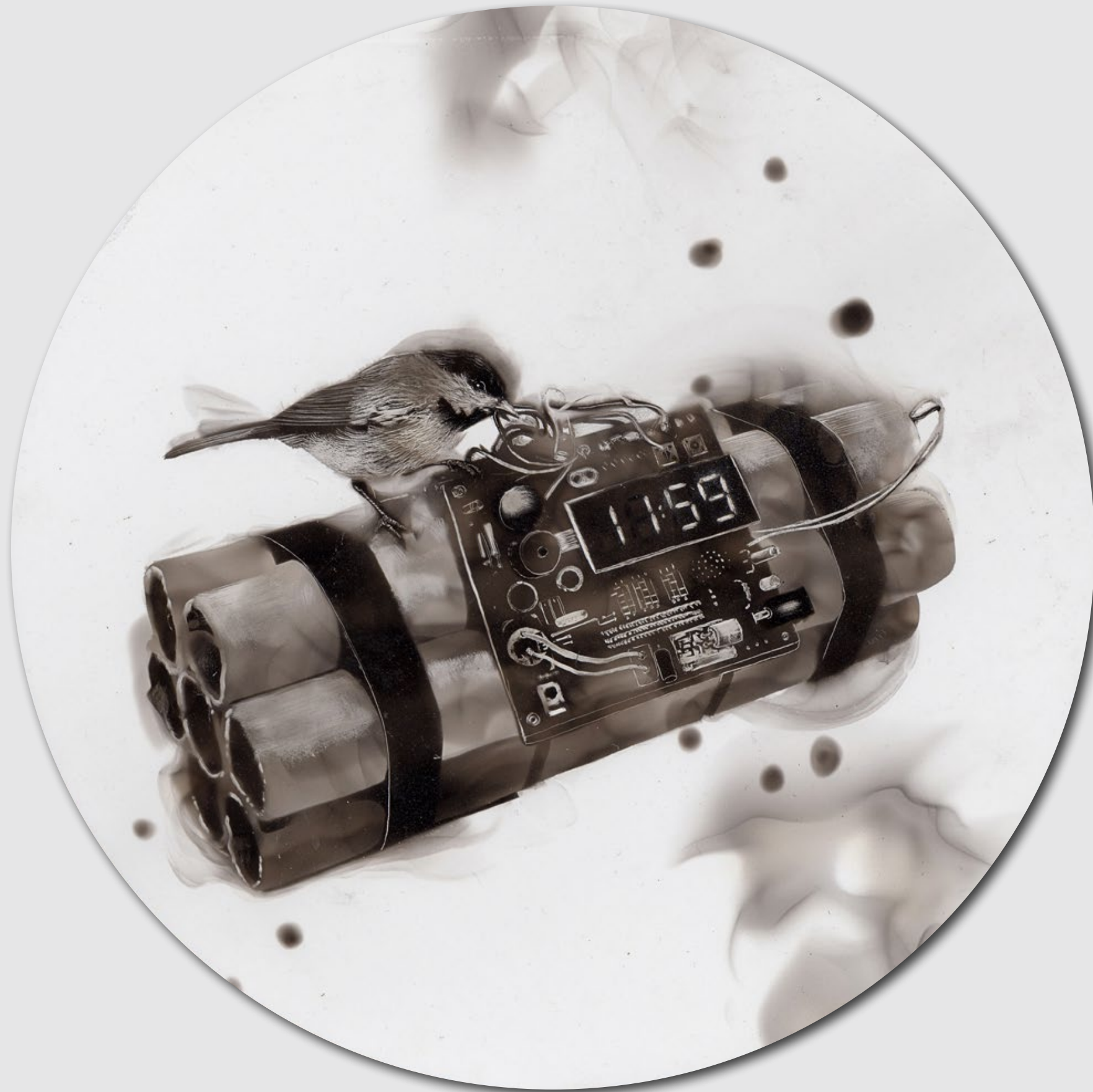
**Details**

**Left:** Steven Spazuk, *Strings Attached*, 2017

**Right:** Federico Uribe, *Squirrel*, 2018



# STEVEN SPAZUK



Steven Spazuk

*Ticking Bomb*, 2018

Soot on paper mounted on panel

14 inches round

Steven Spazuk

*Chickadee on a Grenade*, 2017

Soot and acrylic on panel

16 x 12 inches







Steven Spazuk

*Strings Attached*, 2017

Soot and acrylic on panel

20 x 16 inches



Steven Spazuk

*Stopping Time*, 2018

Soot on paper mounted on panel

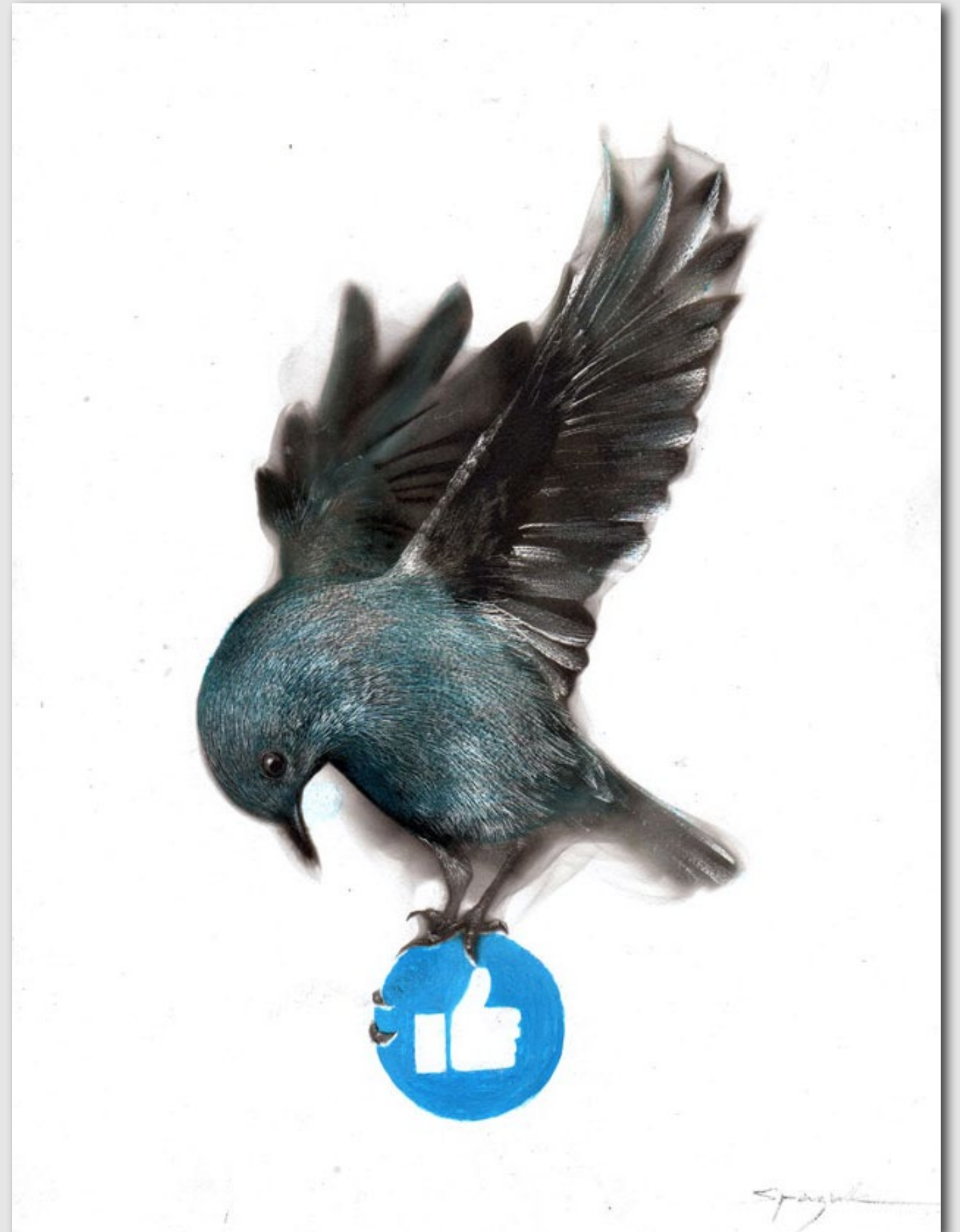
10 inches round

Steven Spazuk

*Liking Likes*, 2017

Fumage and acrylic on panel

12 x 9 inches







Steven Spazuk

*Ring around the Rosie*, 2017

Soot, acrylic and collage on paper mounted on panel

24 inches round



Steven Spazuk

*Biting into Love*, 2017

Fumage and acrylic on panel

12 x 9 inches





Steven Spazuk

*Perched*, 2017

Soot and acrylic on paper mounted on panel

18 inches round



Steven Spazuk

*Love*, 2017

Fumage and acrylic on panel

12 x 16 inches





Steven Spazuk

*Land Mine*, 2017

Soot and acrylic on panel

16 x 12 inches



**Steven Spazuk**

*Making a Nest, 2017*

Fumage (Soot from fire)  
and gold acrylic on wood panel  
10 inches round





Steven Spazuk

*Feeding Likes*, 2017

Fumage and acrylic on panel

12 x 16 inches



Steven Spazuk

*The Defuser*, 2017

Fumage on panel

14 inches round





Steven Spazuk

*Like*, 2017

Fumage and acrylic on panel

10 x 8 inches



Steven Spazuk

*Smoky Owl*, 2017

Soot and acrylic on panel

36 x 36 inches





# FEDERICO URIBE



Federico Uribe

*Running Cheetah*, 2018

Bullet Shells

14 x 58 x 7 inches



**Federico Uribe**

*Running Rabbit (Black / Gold paws), 2018*

Bullet Shells

9 x 19 1/2 x 6 inches





Federico Uribe

*Meerkat: The Lookout*, 2018

Bullet Shells

17 1/2 x 10 1/2 x 4 1/2 inches



Federico Uribe

*Warthog*, 2017

Bullet Shells

22 x 37 x 15 inches







Federico Uribe

*The General*, 2018

Bullet Shells

23 1/4 x 20 1/4 x 12 inches





Federico Uribe

*Gold Fox*, 2017

Bullet Shells

13 x 40 x 9 inches



Federico Uribe

Squirrel, 2018

Bullet Shells

10 1/2 x 11 1/4 x 4 inches





Federico Uribe  
*Nightfall*, 2015  
Bullet Shells  
18 x 25 inches





# STEVEN SPAZUK

10	<i>Biting into Love</i> , 2017	1,500
5	<i>Chickadee on a Grenade</i> , 2017	2,000
15	<i>Feeding Likes</i> , 2017	2,000
13	<i>Land Mine</i> , 2017	2,000
17	<i>Like</i> , 2017	5,000
8	<i>Liking Likes</i> , 2017	1,500
12	<i>Love</i> , 2017	2,000
14	<i>Making a Nest</i> , 2017	1,400
11	<i>Perched</i> , 2017	1,800
9	<i>Ring around the Rosie</i> , 2017	4,000
18	<i>Smoky Owl</i> , 2017	9,100
6	<i>Strings Attached</i> , 2017	2,500
7	<i>Stopping Time</i> , 2018	1,400
16	<i>The Defuser</i> , 2017	2,000
4	<i>Ticking Bomb</i> , 2018	2,000

# FEDERICO URIBE

24	<i>Gold Fox</i> , 2017	15,00
21	<i>Meerkat: The Lookout</i> , 2018	8,500
26	<i>Nightfall</i> , 2015	8,000
19	<i>Running Cheetah</i> , 2018	17,500
20	<i>Running Rabbit (Black / Gold paws)</i> , 2018	8,500
25	<i>Squirrel</i> , 2018	7,500
23	<i>The General</i> , 2018	17,500
22	<i>Warthog</i> , 2017	20,000