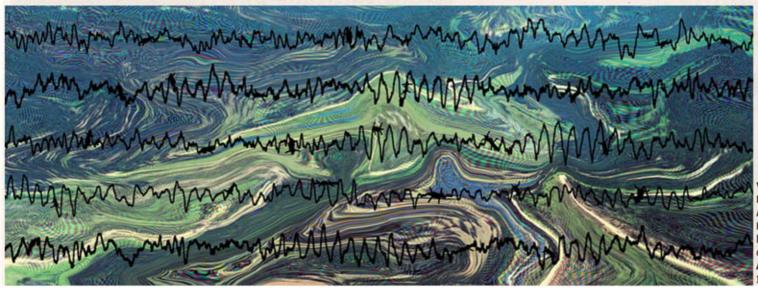
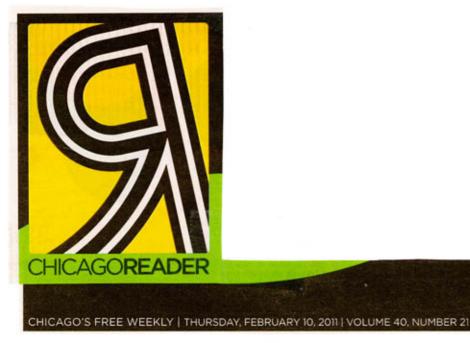
## **GALLERIES & MUSEUMS**



Vermeer Valley
Peacefulness, by
Andrius Plioplys, part of
Mindscapes, a show of
his work opening Fri 2/11,
6-9 PM, at the Beverly
Arts Center, 2407 W.
111th, 773-445-3838.



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## **Special Events**

Curator's Tours Karen Irvine leads tours of two exhibits currently on display: Avenue Patrice Lumumba (noon) and The Apollo Prophecies and Mars Adrift on the Hourglass Sea (12:30 PM). Thu 2/10 at the Museum of Contemporary Photography, Columbia College, 600 S. Michigan, 312-663-5554, mocp.org. . . . Lectures in Photography Galesburg native Chris Varene, whose work focuses on his economically depressed hometown, kicks off this season of Columbia's photo lecture series. Thu 2/10, 6 PM, at Columbia College's Stage Two, 618 S. Michigan, 312-663-1600, colum.edu. . . . Gala A fund-raiser for local arts group Prak-sis features Korean cuisine, art auctions, a presentation on Korean tea by Arthur Park, and more. Admission also includes a ceramic teacup and membership to Prak-sis. Thu 2/10, 6:30 PM, at Jin Ju, 5203 N. Clark, 773-

573-7096, prak-sis.org, \$77.... Say It Loud: Black Men Speak Without Words WBEZ reporter Natalie Moore moderates a discussion with artists featured in the exhibit Fear Into Fire: Reclaiming Black Male Identity Through the Art of Tattooing, on display at Columbia's Arcade Gallery through 3/2. Wed 2/16, 6-7:30 PM, at Columbia College's Stage Two, 618 S. Michigan, 312-663-1600, colum.edu.

## GALLERIES

ACRE Projects 1913 W. 17th: Present Photos by Jennifer Ray. Sun 2/13, 4-8 PM (reception); Mon 2/14, noon-4 PM. > info@acreresidency.org, acreresidency.org.

Beverly Arts Center 2407 W. 111th: Mindscapes Work by Andrius Plioplys. Reception Fri 2/11, 6·9 PM. 2/11-3/20. ► Mon-Fri 9-9, Sat 10-6, Sun noon-5, 773-445-3838, beverlyartcenter.org.

The Center for Contemporary African Art & Culture 6200 S. Drexel: Double Expresso, Double Expression Installation by Thulani Earnshaw. Reception Thu 2/10, 6-8 PM. 2/10-3/10. ➤ Mon-Sat noon-6, 773-955-2787, alhusa.org.

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