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# Offal

**August 15 - September 29**

Offal is a group exhibition inspired by the subject of offal, or the culture of eating innards. From a taco clock to a sculpture of a stomach ache, these artworks draw on our shared culinary experiences and demonstrate the similarities between cultures across the globe.

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## **Natalia García Clark**

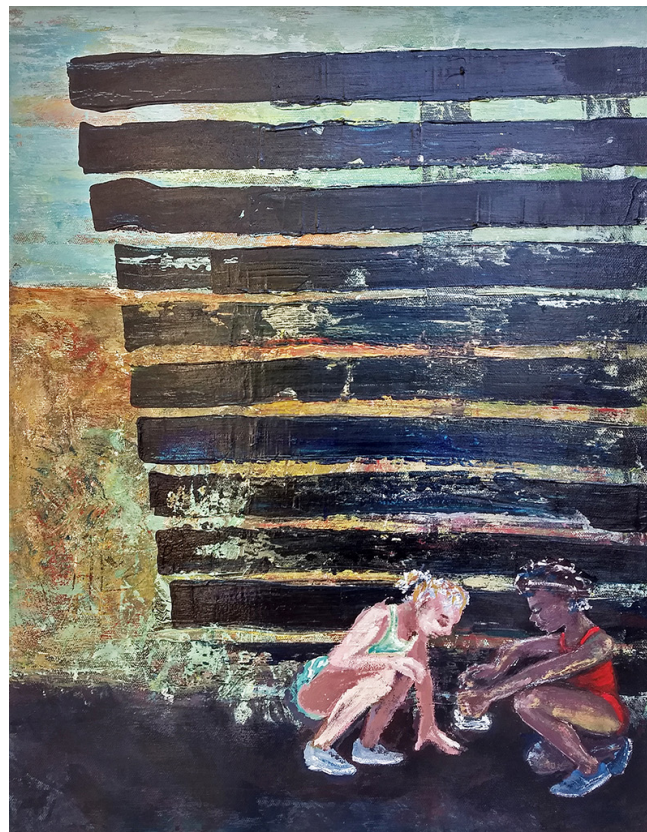
(b. 1996)

### **El mal de puerco (The Bad of the Pork) #1**

Sculpture/Mixed media, 2016

For *El mal de puerco (The Bad of the Pork) #1*, Natalia García Clark pasted labels with the names of politicians running for office on top of ham packages in supermarkets. Her action is both comical and critical, comparing the differences between candidates to different brands of deli meat. Which package (or candidate) would you choose?

*Have you ever put a sticker on something? Why did you add the sticker? What other types of products could she have chosen in the supermarket? Why do you think she chose packages of ham for her labels?*



## **Andrea Bogdan**

(b. 1961)

### **Chitlins for Pigfeet Trade**

Acrylic on canvas, 2018

Andrea Bogdan applies a "freestyle" painting technique by using the side of her hand to paint and embracing the unexpected. In this painting, two girls squat behind a fence trading different items from their lunches. Bogdan shared the story behind this painting and explained that she wanted to try chitlins, a southern dish prepared from the small intestines of pig. Curious and excited about this new delicacy, she made a deal with a friend from her track team: Bogdan would bring her mother's jellied pigs feet if her teammate brought her mother's chitlins. The painting captures the exchange and marks a special memory for the artist. She remarked, "I went to four high schools, so it was hard for me to make, and keep, friends, and to have a feeling of belonging. But in the shadows of those old track & field bleachers, here were two kids connected by "secret food".

*What kind of foods have you always wanted to try? Have you ever traded food with someone? What did you trade? Are there any foods that you secretly love?*