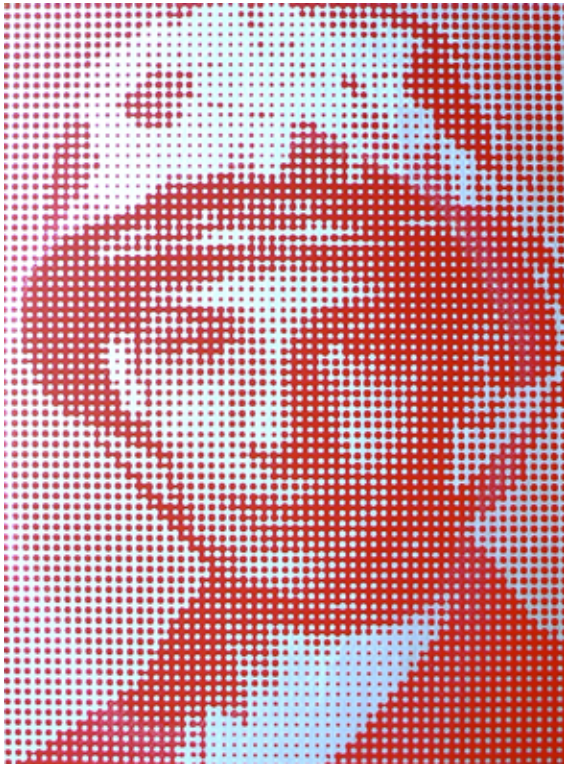


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Editions Fawbush is pleased to announce its third project with Wayne Gonzales, *Self Portrait as a Young Marine*, 2007-2008. The image, a rare example of self-portraiture for the artist, was constructed using digital collage, which was then made into a screen with which the final work was then printed. The artist's face has been superimposed over an existing photograph of Lee Harvey Oswald; however through the layering and screen printing process the two images have completely melded seamlessly into one. For years Gonzales has been exploring the idea of historical representation, patriotism, political power and responsibility, both of the viewer and the artist. In *Self Portrait as a Young Marine*, Gonzales presents himself both as patriot and dissident.



WAYNE GONZALES
Self Portrait as a Young Marine, 2007-2008
15 3/4 x 11 3/4 x 1 inches
2 color screenprint on birch ply
Edition of 10

Wayne Gonzales' recent solo exhibitions have included Judge-Vincent Katz & Wayne Gonzales, Paula Cooper Gallery, NY (publication), project 3-Wayne Gonzales, Mason Gross Galleries, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, Le Consortium, Dijon and Reali Arte Contemporanea, Brescia, Italy, among others. Group exhibitions have included the Maramotti Collection, Reggio Emilia, Italy, *A Roll of the Dice Will Never Abolish Chance*, the Marfa Ballroom, Marfa, TX, Remix-The Collection, Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY, Resistance Is, Whitney Museum of American Art, NY, The Gold Standard, P.S.1/ MoMA, NY, *Superstars: From Warhol to Madonna*, Kunstforum/Kunsthalle Wien, Vienna, Austria, *The Painted World*, P.S.1/MoMA, NY, *The Disasters of War: From Goya to Golub*, Ezra & Cecile Zilkha Gallery, Wesleyanne University, CT, *Post No Bills*, White Columns, NY, *La Lettre Volee*, FRAC Franche-Comte Musee des Beaux-Arts de Dole, France, *The Presidential Suite*, Nassau County Museum of Art, Roslyn Harbor, NY, *Glee: Painting Now*, Aldrich Museum of Contemporary Art, Ridgefield, CT, and *Face and Figure in Contemporary Art*, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA among many others. Wayne Gonzales is represented in New York by the Paula Cooper Gallery.

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