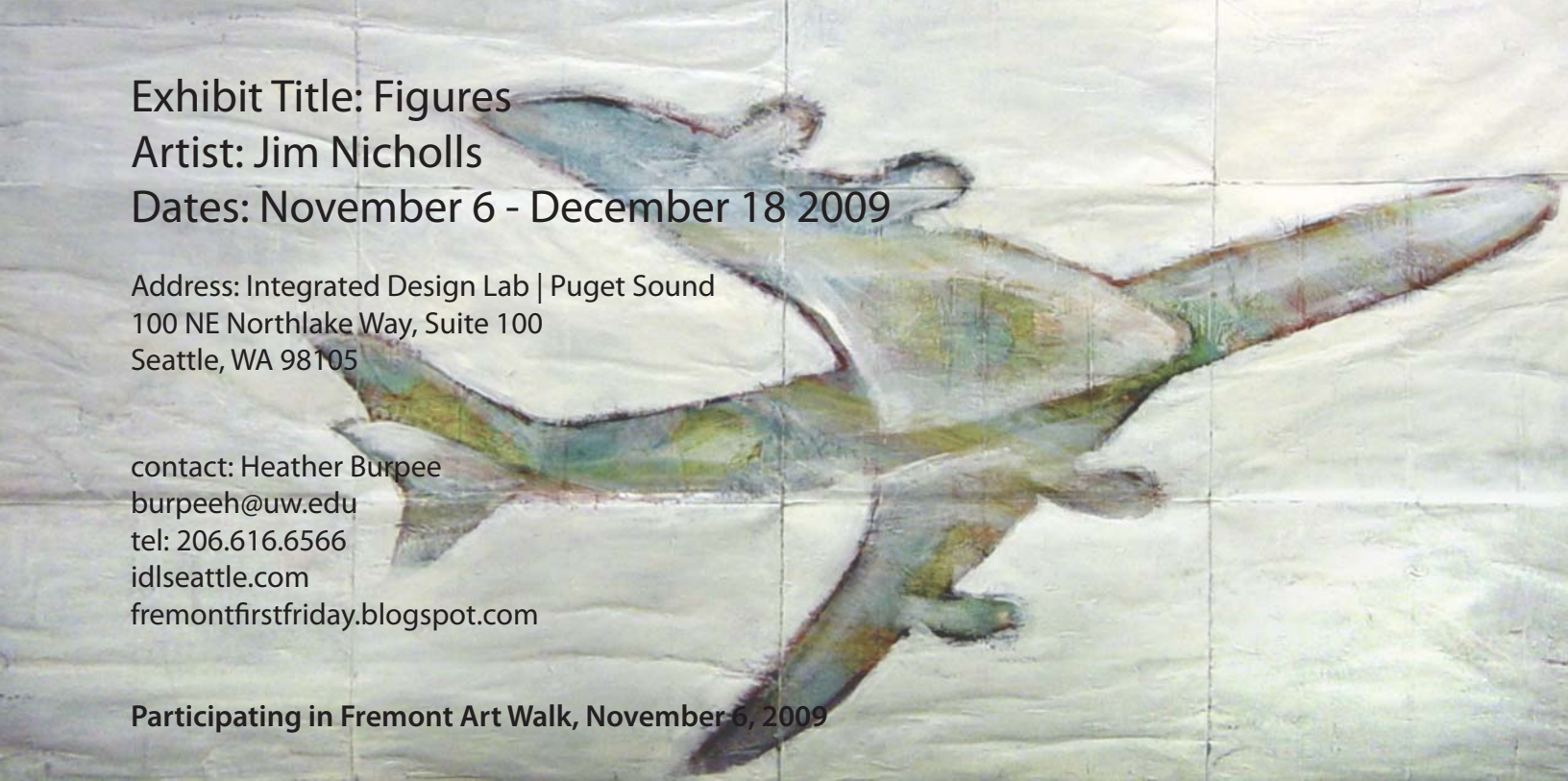


Exhibit Title: Figures
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Artist's Statement:

If a picture is worth a thousand words, then what is it talking about?

These paintings and constructions are recent work used to investigate issues of point of view, representation, scale, surface, and the physicality of painting and collage.

Figurative elements populate the landscape terrain as characters, the protagonists, while antagonists are sensed but not seen.

Ambiguity is used as a strategy to engage the viewer with multiple narratives.

Found elements and depth and chance.

Jim Nicholls
November 2009

The crisp soaring space of the Integrated Design Lab, designed by Miller/Hull Architects, sets off Nicholls' large-scale airplane paintings, and more intimate constructions. Johnston Architects will also be open for the Friday Fremont Artwalk in the same building.

Jim Nicholls is a Senior Lecturer in the UW Department of Architecture, He has taught there, and in the UW School of Art, for 14 years. Prior to that he taught and practiced in Vancouver BC. He has exhibited his artwork in Seattle and Vancouver.

