CURATOR BIO

Katia Zavistovski Assistant Curator, Modern Art

Katia Zavistovski is the assistant curator of Modern Art at LACMA. Since arriving at the museum in 2016, she has curated the exhibitions *Rauschenberg: The 1/4 Mile* (on view through June 9, 2019), *Rauschenberg: In and About L.A.* (2018–19), *Hidden Narratives: Recent Acquisitions of Postwar Art* (2018), and *On the Move: A Century of Crossing Borders* (2017–18). She also worked on LACMA's presentations of *Chagall: Fantasies for the Stage* (2017–18) and *Los Angeles to New York: Dwan Gallery, 1959–1971* (2017). Prior to LACMA, Zavistovski held curatorial fellowship positions at the Museum of Fine Arts, Houston; The Menil Collection; and the Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art. Zavistovski is also currently a PhD candidate in art history at Rice University. Her forthcoming dissertation, titled "The Milk Bottle, The Blackboard, and The Smoking Gun: Figuring Objecthood in 1960s LA," examines the changing material conditions for objecthood, representation, and embodied viewing in postwar Southern California. She holds an MA from Williams College and a BA from Washington University in St. Louis, both in art history.

