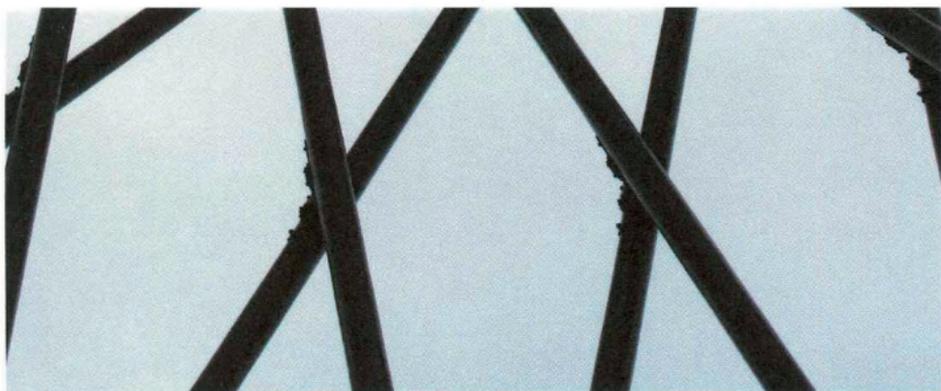

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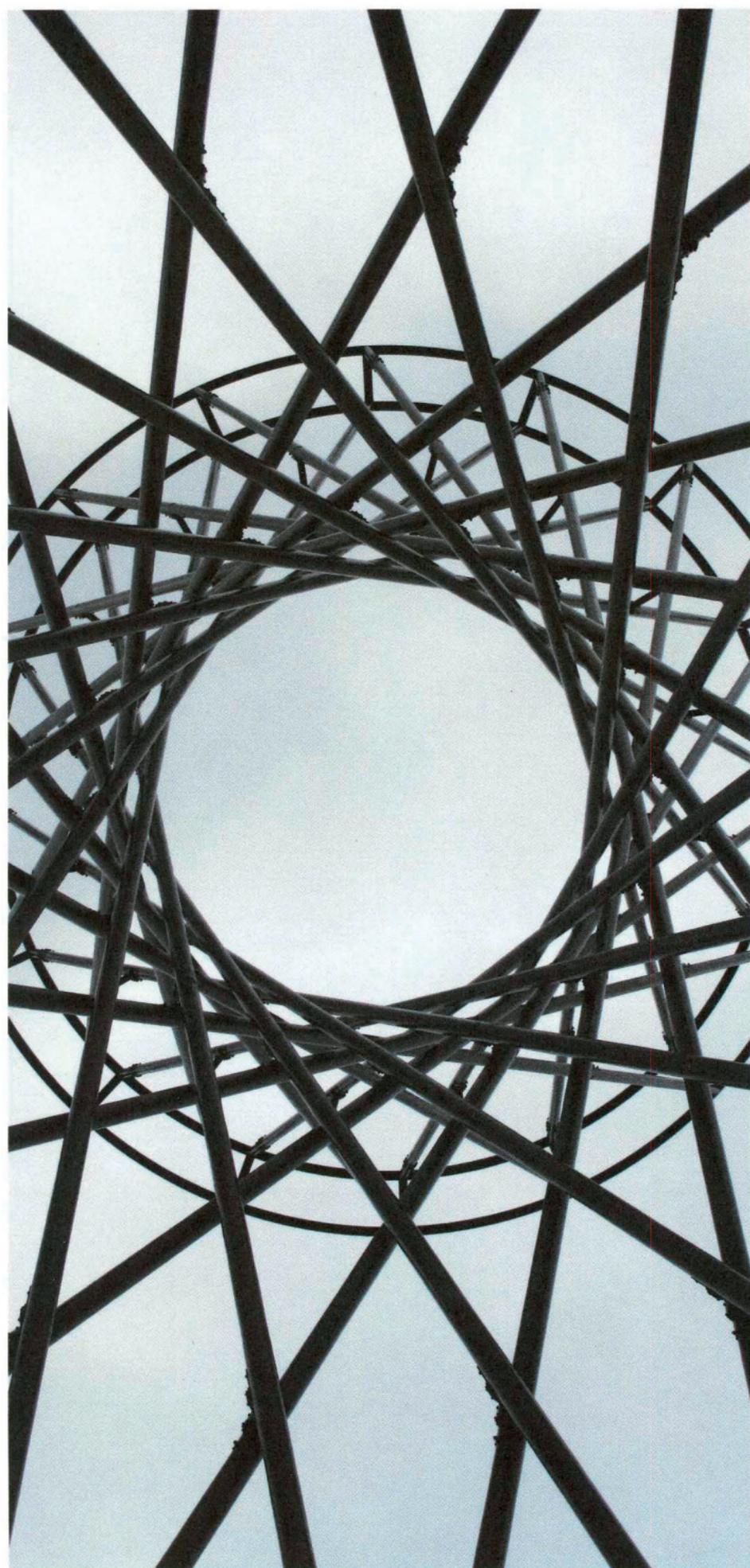
Rita McBride is an artist working with the language of sculpture. Her work over the last 25 years has yielded a plethora of projects and objects that are as surprising as they are provocative. *Oferta pública / Public Tender* will present highlights of her sculptures that have been chosen for their specific ability to elicit questions that address public production and perception of culture. While some of the works directly re-introduce found forms from our built world with unexpected materials and dimensions, others are more directly derivative of design and architecture.



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Friday 18 May 2012,
at 7.30 pm



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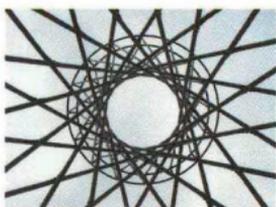
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Opening times

Weekdays, 11 am to 7.30 pm
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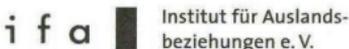


Rita McBride, *Mae West* (detail), 2011.
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Activities

Friday 18 May, at 6 pm

**Conversation between Rita McBride
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Free admission

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**Presentation of the book *Rita McBride.*
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Blind Dates

MACBA invites artists into the Arena

20 June: Tamara Kuselman

18 July: Laia Estruch

August: Jordi Ferreiro

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26 September: Miguel Noguera
Museum galleries. Admission with
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Day After Day, by Alexander Hick,
produced by Rita McBride

Daily in the Museum galleries. Admission
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Sónar 2012

**Game of Life - Wave Field Synthesis
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14, 15, 16 June

Compositions by Milo McBride,
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Museum galleries. Admission limited
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essay by Anne Pöhlmann and texts by
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Bartomeu Marí. Single edition in Catalan,
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