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Images :: *Fibonacci I, Gracious, Mischievous*, by Lucy Kalian

**WITNESSES**

**LUCY KALIAN**

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The Copley Society of Art is proud to present *Witnesses*, a solo show of graphite drawings by Lucy Kalian in the Upper Gallery. This exhibition opens with a reception on Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 to 7:30pm at the Copley Society, located at 158 Newbury Street, Boston, MA 02116, and continues through June 17<sup>th</sup>.

“Witnesses” began with an invitation from D&R Greenway Land Trust in Princeton, NJ. It took a year of wandering the preserves with thoughtful observation to create a body of work for another exhibit. The show’s title refers not only to the thoughtful observer, but also to the fields and woodlands that have witnessed history longer than most of us who walk the preserved land today. In Lucy’s words: “Before an artist visually celebrated them, who looked twice at hay bales? I hope my work makes others stop, look, and think. [The woodlands] are witnesses of a changing ecosystem and changing ‘humansystem’. I suppose, unintentionally or not, I’ve become an activist.”

The Copley Society of Art (ColSo), America’s oldest non-profit arts organization, is committed to the advancement, enjoyment, and promotion of its member artists and the visual arts. The organization, founded in 1879, comprises juried artists who are selected by a credentialed art committee. ColSo provides artists with a gallery for exhibiting and selling their work and a platform for engaging and educating the community.

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