

**Ilona Granet to be
Visiting Artist
at USI**



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Ilona Granet, a New York-based artist whose work is both activist and accessible, will be the Visiting Artist October 14-18 at the University of Southern Indiana.

She will present a slide lecture on her work at 7:30 p.m. Monday, October 14, in Mitchell Auditorium in the Health Professions Center and will work with students in the Art Department daily. All events are free and open to the public. Her visit is co-sponsored by the USI Department of Art and Music, USI Art Club, and the USI Society for the Arts and Humanities. Contact Kathryn M. Waters, associate professor of art, 812/464-1933, for further information.

Ms. Granet received her B.F.A. at the Tyler School of Art in Chicago and has since lived and worked in New York while supporting herself as a sign painter. This employment, as well as the influence of deconstruction and semiotics, is evident in her work, addressing issues of sexual harassment, child and domestic abuse, women's choice, nuclear power, and the environment. Her most recent paintings appropriate the visual style of Wedgwood pottery, depicting humorous narratives concerning issues of class, power, and wealth in contemporary American culture. Her work is represented by P.P.O.W. Gallery in New York, and appears in numerous corporate, private, and museum collections.