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Miami art walk guide: Braving the swamp

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My scouring for this month's [Second Saturdays Art Walk](#) guide turned up precious little in the way of exhibition openings. Snitzer, Diet, Dina Mitrani, and Dorsch are all sticking with the exhibitions that placed them on [our June guide](#), so pay them a visit if you didn't get a chance to stop in last month. As for this Saturday, here's what dilated my pupils so far.

1. DCG Open @ David Castillo Gallery

An annual survey, the 2011 *DCG Open* features 28 South Florida artists working in various media and standing at various points in their respective careers. In the group are [Borscht Film Festival](#) director Lucas Leyva and Misael Soto, who has compiled our Art Walk guides for the last umpteen months and will be "sitting on the gallery's floor looking at a laptop or walking around the space while texting on a smart phone" when you walk into David Castillo Saturday night, [according to a recent Sun Sentinel article](#). Antonia Wright is also among the artists showing in the *DCG Open*. Wright first caught my eye with her video piece "Are You OK?", in which she stands on a New York street corner conning sympathetic strangers with alligator tears. It's a cruelly deceptive and quasi-megalomaniacal piece, but my indignation is tempered by the fact those famously streetwise New Yorkers had it coming. Learn more about *DCG Open* on [the gallery's website](#).

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