7:30-9 p.m.

BLACK GOTHAM EXPERIENCE INTERACTIVE WALKING TOUR

Black Gotham Studio 192 Front St.

bit.ly/bgxdesigntour1

Through explorations of past and present architecture, participants will witness the impact of the African diaspora on the making of New York City. We'll explore what's missing from the urban landscape of Lower Manhattan to uncover stories of rebellion, freedom, empire building, and monuments. \$30

7:30-10 p.m.

PECHAKUCHA NIGHT NYC

Kinfolk 94 94 Wythe Ave., Brooklyn pknyc19.splashthat.com/d

For the past few months, we have scouted the city to curate a diverse and eclectic group of designers to present at the only official PechaKucha at NYCxDESIGN. Join us for an evening of architecture, tech. and more. \$18 admission and ages 21-plus only

Friday, May 18

9 a.m.-8 p.m.

A/D/O PRESENTS AN INSTALLATION BY UNITED VISUAL ARTISTS

A/D/O a-d-o.com

29 Norman Ave., Brooklyn

A/D/O, the creative space in Greenpoint by MINI focused on the future of design, presents a new installation by United Visual Artists: a modular system of revolving mirrored columns set in a grid configuration to create dynamic spatial compositions. Through May 23

10 a.m.-6 p.m.

DREAM, VISION, DESIRE, FANTASY **Property Furniture** 57 Walker St.

Property unveils new furniture and lighting collections.

12-7 p.m.

JONALDDUDD

jonalddudd.com

IONALDDUDD is an exhibition of objects, installations, and events by artists and designers challenging the conventions of contemporary design. The resulting works offer irreverent cultural commentaries, while obscuring the boundaries between art, design, and craft. Through May 20

1-2 p.m.

TIMESTALKS ART & DESIGN FESTIVAL: DAVID ADJAYE & THELMA GOLDEN

The TimesCenter 242 W. 41st St. timestalks.com

Architect Sir David Adjaye in conversation with Thelma Golden, director and chief curator of the Studio Museum of Harlem. Adjave is designing a new home for the museum in Harlem, which under Golden's leadership has become the world's leading institution devoted to visual works by artists of African descent. \$30

4-5 p.m.

TIMESTALKS ART & DESIGN FESTIVAL: DAVID ROCKWELL & ISABEL TOLEDO

The TimesCenter 242 W. 41st St. timestalks.com

Architect David Rockwell and Cuban-American fashion designer Isabel Toledo discuss their passion for design at this New York Times event moderated by Times fashion director Vanessa Friedman. \$30 6-9 p.m.

DDC DESIGN POST: RARE DEMONSTRATION OF PAOLA LENTI'S PROCESS

181 Madison Ave. 501 5th Ave., 14th Fl. ddcnvc.com

For the first NYCxDesign week event since the inauguration of her dramatically expanded display at ddc, Paola Lenti celebrates with a brief and very rare color blending process demonstration. Attendees get a never-before-seen glimpse into the mind-set and technique of a veritable color virtuoso.

6-9 p.m.

DDC CELEBRATES NYCXDESIGN

ddc

134 Madison Ave. ddcnyc.com

ddc hosts its annual NYCxDesign celebration, featuring a curated selection of the best from Salone and new custom offerings. This year's display includes the limited-edition Black Belt vase collaboration by Venini.

6-9 p.m.

MINOTTI CELEBRATES NYCXDESIGN

134 Madison Ave. ddcnyc.com

Italian design powerhouse and leading international furniture purveyor Minotti hosts its annual NYCxDesign celebration, marking the brand's 70th anniversary.

 $6-9 \, \text{p.m.}$

MODOI PRESENTS: A LIFE EXTRAORDINARY AT NOMAD DESIGN NIGHT

Moooi New York Showroom & Brand Store 36 E. 31st St. moooi.com

Join Moooi for an evening of cocktails to celebrate the 2nd Annual NoMad Design Night. Preview 2018 products and exciting collaborations, brand-new releases, and more.