



The 19 Best Art Shows of 2014

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7. Park McArthur, "Ramps," at Essex Street Gallery

Portable sculptures of ramps, many with hinges or collapsing parts for easy storage or deployment, many ready-made for wheelchairs to reach interiors that are above street level, and all built or purchased by this disabled artist — an amazing experience of activism and jerry-built ingenuity. Homely objects double as invisible lifelines and conduits between worlds. One of the sharpest artists to emerge in the past few years.