

## HANNAH KEEFFE | JEWELRY 2018



We are excited to announce our upcoming show with jewelry artist Hannah Keefe on Saturday, April 21st 2018. This will be the first time Hannah Keefe has a solo show at Lulo. Hannah's jewelry was introduced to us eight years ago by a fellow artist and she has been showing work with us ever since. Hannah's jewelry has the effect of catching your eye immediately, because, simply put, there is nothing out there like it.

Hannah constructs her designs, inspired by modernist weaving and tribal forms, by using silver or gold solder on brass chain. Her technique allows for shapes traditionally seen in textile design, and rarely in jewelry. Her necklaces, earrings and bracelets can be hung as sculptural pieces of art or worn with ease, due to the softens and lightness of the materials. The experimental nature of the process yields results that are impossible to anticipate and guarantees that each piece is one of a kind.

We are excited to showcase a new group of both larger statement pieces and smaller new works by Hannah Keefe Saturday, April 21st.

Hannah Keefe received her BFA in Jewelry and Metalwork at the Massachusetts College of Art. She went on to study jewelry design in Mexico and the Netherlands before making her way to Los Angeles where she now lives and works.









Hannah flies to Providence, Rhode Island once a year to buy her vintage deadstock brass chain from Japan and South Korea. Her process "breaks the rules observed in proper gold smithing. She is at once practicing "bad" technique and perfecting a new one".







An example of Hannah's fabulous ability to create structure to her unique designs, using silver solder and

brass chain.

"The pieces express a dynamic of control and release, of freezing and thawing, of hard and soft".

