

TOUGH GUYS and COOL GIRLS
True Selves or Codes of Conduct?

Paintings, Prints and Drawings by Halcy Bohen December 5th 2011 to January 5, 2012

Artists Reception Sunday, December 4th 4-6 pm

Landow Gallery at the Landon School 6101 Wilson Lane Bethesda, Maryland 20817

Exhibit open weekdays 8:30 to 3:30 and weekends by appointment only

"This provocative exhibit by Halcy Bohen propels you inward. As a psychologist and artist, Bohen is interested in the interior and relational lives of her subjects. Her compelling men and women appear both alone, and together, in a myriad of styles and circumstances. Every expression and pose is reflective--about something.

The pictures explore how posture and dress telegraph information. Looking at the poses and faces, profiles or backs, you'll wonder: who is thinking of what? And connected to whom? And why? You'll ponder whether the gazes are internal or external, responses or initiatives. You're challenged to muse on your own life story-- reviewing how you got to look and relate the way you do. What do your postures, expressions and "costumes," say about you?

The pictures are large and small, portraits and figures, real and imagined-- in oil, acrylic, ink, charcoal, watercolor and mono-print. Come stimulate your own inward journey as you observe this creative series, showcasing Bohen's wide ranging styles with a colorful cast of contemporary personas."