

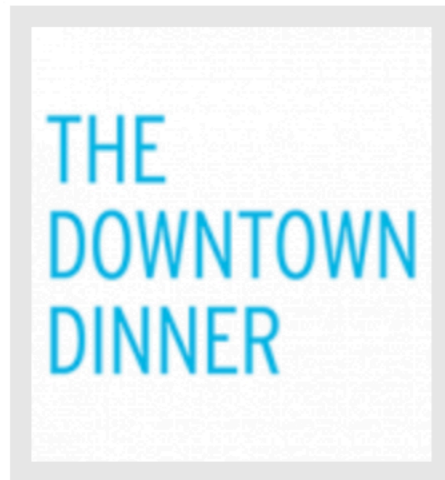
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The Downtown Dinner is Lower Manhattan Cultural Council (LMCC)'s annual benefit. Each year, over 600 leaders of downtown's business, civic, and cultural life come together to honor individuals who exemplify creativity, and a passionate commitment to our community. This year, in a room full of friends and colleagues, we will celebrate the changing face of Lower Manhattan and some of the most important "Downtowners" who inspire us all to strive to make a difference. We are proud to present the 2016 Liberty Award for Corporate Leadership to **Frank Sciame** and the 2016 Liberty Award for Artistic Leadership to **Laurie Anderson**.

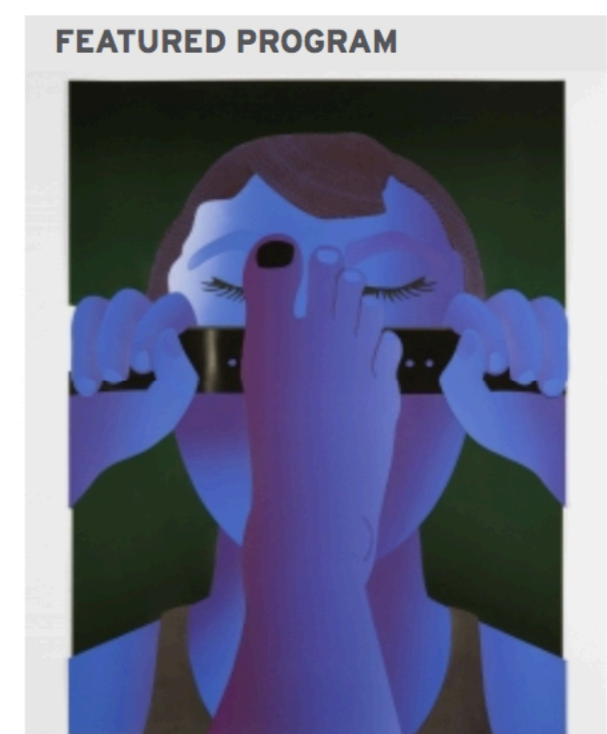
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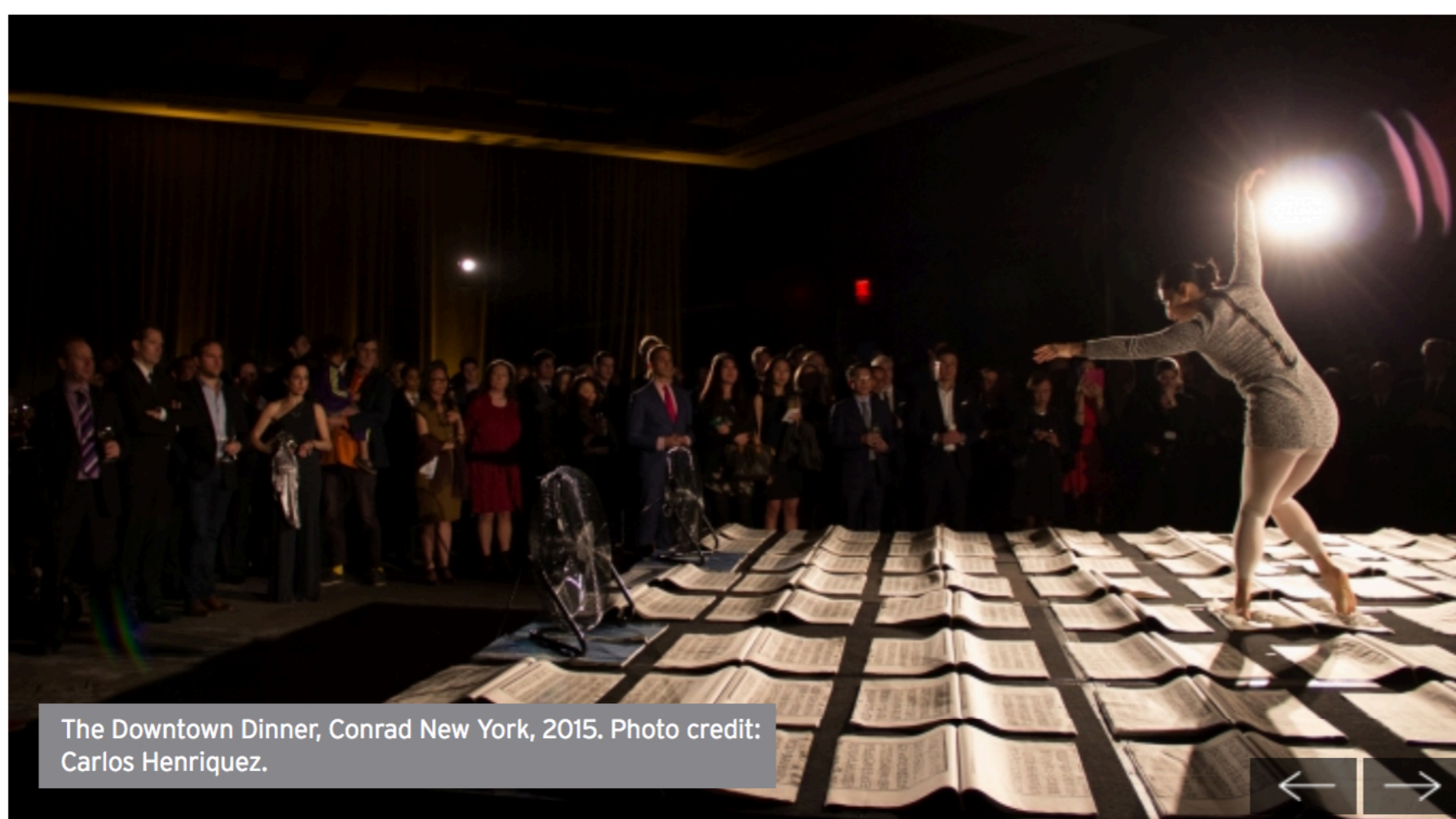
Thursday, May 5
 6:00-10:30pm
 Conrad New York
 102 North End Avenue

All table/ticket sales and donations raised as part of the event provide essential funds for LMCC to provide artists from across New York City with much needed networks, resources, and support.

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6:00pm - Cocktails & Awards punctuated by performances and installations

Presenting the Liberty Award for Corporate Leadership to FRANK SCIAME

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Presenting the award to Frank will be Jessica Lappin, President of the Alliance for Downtown New York.

Presenting the Liberty Award for Artistic Leadership to LAURIE ANDERSON

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Presenting the award to Laurie will be Randy Cohen.

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Performances & Installations by
 JENNIFER WEN MA
 ALICIA HALL MORAN
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 THE DANCE CARTEL

7:30pm - Seated Dinner by Union Square Events

LMCC President's Awards
 JULIA JARCHO, Writing
 LAURA NOVA, Visual Arts
 OKWUI OKPOKWASILI, Performing Arts

9:00pm - Dessert & Artist After Party

DJ GABRIEL "DREDEL" FURMAN