
From: John Brockman <[REDACTED]
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To: Epstein Jeffrey
Subject: plans for December 8th

JE,

The event is in Palo Alto, Monday December 8th, beginning 10:30-11am at =ither someone's home, a "presidential suite" at a Palo Alto hotel (Four =asons most likely), or a Stanford academic setting, like CASBS =Kosslyn's former place). Once we settle on a venue I will tell you what =otel in Palo Alto we're all going to stay at.

Lucy Page had offered her second house to me 6 mos ago but she's on a =acht in the Marshall Islands and I can't reach her. Salar wants to do =t the home of Google billionaire Omid Kordestani and his wife. I don't =now them. Omid was hire #12, and worked at Google until 5 years ago as =ead of business. He's Larry close friend and just rejoined the company. = Hans Ulrich Obrist is adding two people to the invite list: Taryn Simon, = hot young artist = <http://bit.ly/1uwNRS1>, and John Baldessari, or, =nother famous established artist. He has already invited Taryn. He =nvited Rem Koolhaas, who, unfortunately, is in Moscow December 7th, =eeting with Putin. We can't figure out how to make that one work.

I had a fascinating meeting with Marina Abramovic and HUO last week. I =ent down to the Sean Kelly Gallery to see her piece which is amazing. =heck it out:

http://www.skny.com/exhibitions/2014-10-24_marina-abramovi/
http://www.skny.com/exhibitions/2014-10-24_marina-abramovi/press/
NYTimes: http://prod-images.exhibit-e.com/www_skny_com/MA_2014_11_The_New_York_Times_email0.pdf

It turns out that in addition to being the premiere performance artist, =he is, according to HUO, an accomplished, and high value lecturer on =he art circuit. So the plan now is includes her giving a lecture, but =eing who she is, and depending on her sense of the group, it will morph =nto something more interesting, probably much more interesting. She's =sked me to write a profile on each of the attendees so she can be =repared. I can send her articles about Tony; you, however, are far more =ysterious and intriguing. Is there any press on you I can forward?

In terms of the "master classes" element about the broad subject of art, =e have the following sessions planned:

Hans Ulrich Obrist - general talk on art Maja Hoffmann - a talk on (a) her art center in Arles (Luma Foundation), =b) her collection, (c) her activities as the Queen of "Art Basel", etc.

Taryn Simon - to come

Marina Abramovic: 1. Master Class on art; 2. Seguing into something a =spontaneously orchestrated Abramovic piece
Ginevra Elkann - a talk about what she is doing at her museum - =inacoteca Giovanni e Marella Agnelli - in Torino and about the family =ollection John Baldessari (or, another great artist) Miuccia Prada (she has not yet committed but probably will come) - About =er art collection and her plans for her Milan Museum that she is =uilding with Rem Koolhas

Guests: Since my last email I invited Andrei Linde, father of Eternal =nflation, who, in addition to having the prevailing theory on the birth =f the universe, is also a serious photographer. Dani Lambert, Tony =adell, Ev Williams, Sara Williams, Salar Kamangar, Larry Page, Lucy =age, Anne Wojcicki, Elon Musk, Jeffrey Epstein, Dave Morin, Brit Morin, =inevra Elkann, Maja Hoffman, Marina Abramovic, Hans Ulrich Obrist, =atinka Matson, JB.

Cheers,

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