Nina Katchadourian is an artist and associate professor at the NYU Gallatin School of Individualized Study. Her March 16 lecture will explore the last 20 years of her artistic practice in diverse media including video, performance, sound, sculpture, and photography. Her video installation Accent Elimination, on view at the Institute for the Humanities gallery, focuses on a collaboration with her Armenian father and her Finlandswedish mother in which they worked with an accent coach to try to learn to speak in each other’s accents. Accent Elimination was included at the 2015 Venice Biennale as part of the Armenian exhibition, which won the Golden Lion for Best National Participation.

ARTIST LECTURE
“Talking Popcorn and Accent Elimination: The Work of Nina Katchadourian”
Wednesday, March 16, 2016
6:00 – 7:30 pm
Helmut Stern Auditorium
U-M Museum of Art, 525 S. State Street

EXHIBITION
Accent Elimination
March 16 – April 29, 2016
Gallery Hours M–F 9:00 am–5:00 pm
Institute for the Humanities Gallery, 202 S. Thayer

OPENING RECEPTION
Wednesday, March 16, 2016
7:30 – 9:00 pm, immediately following UMMA lecture
Institute for the Humanities, 202 S. Thayer