

# GLADSTONE GALLERY

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## *The Power 100*

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## RICHARD PRINCE

Category: Artist

Nationality: American

Last Year: 26

From his impossible-to-miss installation at last year's Frieze Art Fair, to this summer's exhibition at the Serpentine, to his highly covetable bags for Marc Jacobs at Louis Vuitton, it seems Richard Prince's star can climb no higher. His cool cachet (friends include Jacobs and Sophia Coppola), twinned with serious selling power (one of his prints sold for \$3.4 million at Sotheby's New York in January, smashing previous records for a photograph at auction), make him one of the most celebrated artists around, pushing him into the category of celebrity. In the catalogue accompanying Prince's Guggenheim retrospective in 2007, curator Nancy Spector included an essay pointing to him as Warhol's natural successor. Not a bad inheritance.

