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**Golden Belt Is Proud to Welcome  
New Artist-in-Residence**

Accomplished photographer Peter Eversoll takes the honor

*Durham, NC-* Through a rigorous selection process, photographer Mr. Eversoll was selected as Golden Belt's artist-in-residence. The artist-in-residence program at Golden Belt affords the selected artist free studio and exhibition space to further develop their artistic pursuits and opportunities for educational outreach. The sky-lit, rent-free studio space includes utilities, parking, and wireless internet and is valued at \$2,550.00. Mr. Eversoll has been awarded residency from November 2008 through April 2009. As part of the terms of his residency, Peter will create and exhibit four projects: (1) *El Novio de Ninel Conde* (Ninel Conde's Boyfriend), manipulated digital photography and mixed media/found object installation on exploitation and consumer culture; (2) *Los Cucarachas* (The Cockroaches), a collaborative *infestation* of images from Mexico City; (3) *Marcha Forzada* (Forced March), photography installation; (4) *Land(es)cape*, mixed media installation on nostalgia through landscape. During his six month residency, he will also create a youth-oriented, community-based workshop designed around developing the tools and skills needed to harness community advocacy roles.

**About Peter Eversoll**

Peter Eversoll graduated from the University of California, San Diego in 1994 and earned a M.F.A. from the National Autonomous University of Mexico (The Academy of San Carlos, National School of Art) in 2007. His current photographic work has been largely influenced by his time studying, working, and teaching in Mexico City, Mexico. Recently, Peter has been working a lot with manipulated digital photography. Peter's work can be viewed in his studio in Building 3 of Golden Belt. The studio building is open 10am – 7pm Tuesday – Saturday, 12pm – 6pm on Sundays and for all public art functions held on campus including Third Friday Durham events. He currently lives in Durham, North Carolina.

**About Golden Belt**

Former home to the Golden Belt Manufacturing Company, the 155,000 square foot, seven-acre LEED-registered campus in downtown Durham is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and includes 6 architecturally-significant buildings that will house 37 live/work residential lofts, 35 artist studios, a central gallery, a live music venue, outdoor festival space, boutique retail stores, cafes, restaurants, and office space. Golden Belt's opening signals a growing arts-related critical mass in Durham's downtown that will preserve and enhance the local arts scene.  
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