

Vito Schnabel unveils father's new portrait of Bob Colacello

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Vito Schnabel (Left main) unveiled portrait of Bob Colacello (right main) painted by his father Julian Schnabel (inset).

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Vito Schnabel unveiled a new work by his dad, [Julian Schnabel](#), at a new \$9 million residence at 37 E. 12th St. on Monday.

The portrait of erudite writer [Bob Colacello](#) was made of broken ceramic plates — and the [Vanity Fair](#) contributor and former editor of [Andy Warhol's](#) Interview magazine was seeing the image for the first time, himself.

Schnabel had called Colacello out of the blue to say he wanted to create the piece to complement previous portraits of Warhol and Interview publisher Fred Hughes.

Work by other artists was also on display for the likes of [Gene Pressman](#), Howard Marks and [Douglas Elliman's](#) [Howard Lorber](#) and Dennis Mangone.

Developer and art collector Edward J. Minskoff hosted the evening.