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MORNING LINKS: AXE-WIELDING DOUGLAS GORDON EDITION

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Critics didn't really like Douglas Gordon's new play, so the Turner Prize-winning artist axed the walls of the theater where it's having its run. [[Manchester Evening News](#)]

A Lego artist has recreated Justin Bieber's nude Instagram photo using the artist's preferred plastic medium. [[The AV Club](#)]

Filmmaker Joe Gibbons, who robbed a bank as performance art, has been sentenced to one year in prison. [[Artforum](#)]

The Smithsonian has posted a disclaimer about its much-publicized show "Conversations," which features work from the Cosbys' collection. The museum writes that the show is "fundamentally about the artworks and the artists who created them, not Mr. Cosby." [[NPR](#)]

An "eco-art" project, intended to efficiently filter water, grows in South Florida. [[Reuters](#)]

The Getty will show replicas of Buddhist caves for its 2016 show "Cave Temples of Dunhuang: Buddhist Art on China's Silk Road." [[Los Angeles Times](#)]

The British Museum may be loaning £1 billion-worth of work to Abu Dhabi in the coming three years. [[The Art Newspaper](#)]

An exhibition at Chicago's Gallery Guichard, featuring a replica of Michael Brown's dead body, has been controversial. [[Hyperallergic](#)]

Josephine Pryde at Wattis. [[Contemporary Art Daily](#)]



Douglas Gordon, who attacked the theater showing his new play with an axe.
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