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## Ola Vasiljeva

Feb. 1-Mar. 15

Art in General 145 Plymouth St. Brooklyn

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The young Latvian artist's auspicious New York début takes the form of a room-size installation. In one corner, a slide projector flashes black-and-white portraits interpolated with stick-figure drawings, which recur on a blackboard propped against the wall and on a messy desk nearby. A metal sculpture seems to render the drawings in three dimensions, or maybe it doesn't; a puffy jacket draped over a chair points to a fictional artist, or to the artist herself. Vasiljeva's achievement is that it all coheres somehow in a syntax outside of logic or language—the syntax of visions and dreams. Through March 15.

— The New Yorker