

# Ghosts Don't Walk in Straight Lines

**New York (November 6, 2018)** – On Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, **Saskia de Brauw** and **Vincent van de Wijngaard** will host the New York launch of their project, *Ghosts Don't Walk In Straight Lines*, with an exhibition, film screening and book signing at Red Hook Labs in Brooklyn, New York.

The multifaceted project is open to the public from Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup> to Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> and will consist of an exhibition, a short film edited by Will Town featuring music by Jim Beard and costume design by Haider Ackermann, as well as an accompanying book designed by Matt Watkins available for purchase exclusively at the opening through Red Hook Labs for \$75.00.

The slow walk along Manhattan's North to South axis – juxtaposing a city that is in many ways very fast moving – has been documented along with stories and encounters from 225<sup>th</sup> Street and Broadway all the way down to Battery Park. The route ignored the New York grid system (as much as possible) and was completed in one full day.

The book and the film capture New York in a very specific moment in time, where traces of the past are still visible but on the brink of disappearing.

Just as the walk took Saskia on a journey through Manhattan, crossing many different neighborhoods, so too will the film and the images for the viewer.

## **About Saskia de Brauw**

Known to the general public for her brilliant modeling career, artist Saskia de Brauw creates process-based performative works that explore how people inhabit domestic and urban spaces.

In 2016 she published her first book *The Accidental Fold*, containing a collection of discarded objects found in the streets.

## **About Vincent van de Wijngaard**

As a photographer and filmmaker Vincent has traveled the world, photographing the street and fostering an appreciation and familiarity with diverse cultures.

In 2017 Louis Vuitton released his book *Morocco' as part of the 'Fashion Eye' series.*

## **About The Exhibition**

### **Red Hook Labs**

133 Imlay Street  
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