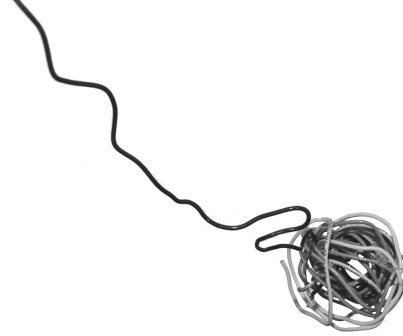


MIT Visual Arts Program  
Additional Monday Nights@VAP  
Lecture Series



# Ana Maria Tavares

## Lost Landscapes

Mon 11/24/09  
7–9pm

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Massachusetts  
Institute of Technology  
MIT Visual Arts Program

Joan Jonas Performance Hall  
265 Massachusetts Avenue  
Building N51, Room 337  
(Third Floor)  
Cambridge, MA 02139  
Adjacent to the MIT Museum

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In a presentation of past and recent works the artist will focus on how modernist Brazilian architecture has inspired her to question its idea of future and the construction of new realities. Issues such as the relation of art, design and architecture as well as the construction of fictional spaces will be addressed.

Born in Belo Horizonte, Brazil in 1958, Tavares currently works and lives in Sao Paulo, Brazil. She attained an MFA degree from The School of the Art Institute of Chicago (1986) and a PhD from the University of São Paulo (2000). In 2001 she was awarded a John Simon Guggenheim Foundation Grant. She was the 2007 Ida Ely Rubin Artist-in-Residence at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), visiting the campus November 12-17, 2007 and March 2-15, 2008.

#### Directions

The MIT Visual Arts Program is located adjacent to the MIT Museum. Enter through the grey door on Front Street and take the elevator to the third floor. Exit to your left and go down the ramp. The Joan Jonas Performance Hall is located on the right.

#### By Public Transportation

Take the Red Line to Central Square. Walk four blocks along Massachusetts Avenue towards Boston and the Charles River, or take the #1 bus to the Front Street stop.

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