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Studio Reference 183, AG-1
Artist Name: Harry Whitfield/ Charity Kase
Website: www.charitykase.com
Instagram: @Charitykase



London based Drag artist and designer. Known for appearing on Drag Race UK season 3, Charity's work focuses on the weird and the wonderful, from bringing monsters to life with makeup and costumes to figurative works in oil or on clothing.



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Studio Reference 183, BG-8
Artist Name: David Clapham
Website: davidclapham.squarespace.com
Instagram: @davidlaurenceclapham



Following a long career in Fine Art and broadcast media I now split my time between my studio in Portugal and Bow Rd studios. My work includes large canvases, installations and prints. I am concerned with inherited memory, I am not looking to represent what we see, it's looking through the lens of history and recollections that set in motion a series of memories, of a moment in time, that represents a true reality, and is intended to convey feelings of history and the present in a single juxtaposition.



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Studio Reference 183, A1-1
Artist Name: Joanna Penso
Website: www.joannapenso.com
Instagram: @joannapenso

Joanna Penso works with sound-led experiments in performance, film and installation to examine human connection and challenge the barriers to it. Her work spans across film, performance, installation and radio shows. She has shown at Aesthetica, York Art Gallery (2023), The Nunnery Gallery (2022&3), St Ives September Festival (2023) and has a residency with artist radio station RTM.fm.

Joanna has a solo show coming up with Garage Gallery in Walthamstow (London) July 25-28 this year.



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Studio Reference 183, A1-4

Artist Name: Graeme Balfour

Website: www.attentography.com

Instagram: @attentography



Representing flow of thoughts in the mind through ink, watercolours, video and mixed media installation. With a little history of Bow on the side.



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Studio Reference 183, A1-5
Artist Name: Teresa Witz
Website: www.teresawitz.com
Instagram: @teresawitz



Teresa Witz is an internationally renowned portrait painter of modern icons – celebrity, athlete, and sporting figures – as well as accepting individual commissions for portraits. A year after achieving her Doctorate in Fine Art, she was appointed one of the official Olympic artists for the London 2012 Games.



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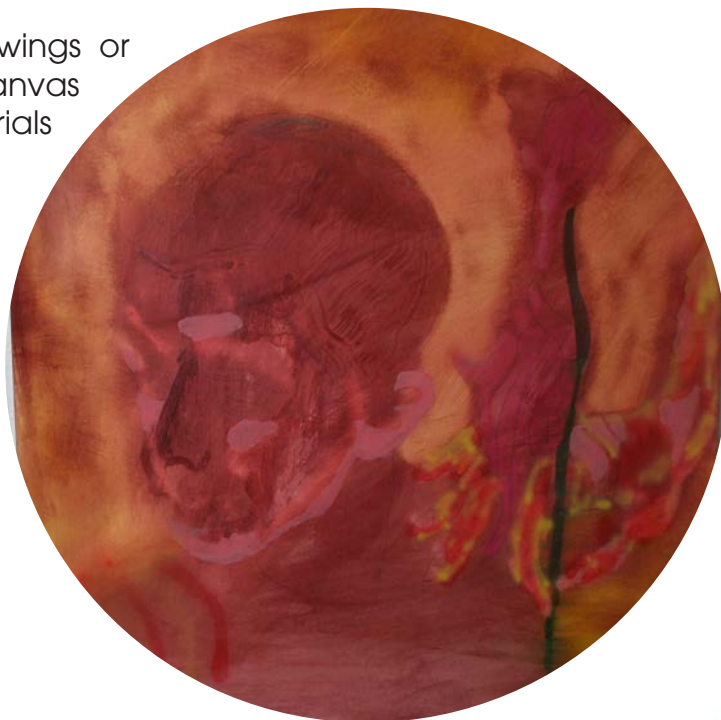


Studio Reference 183, B1-1
Artist Name: Nicky Amin
Website: www.nickyamin.com
Instagram: @nickyamin.artist

In my early days in seventies London I was a volunteer director of International Arts Centre, and studios in SE1 now building was demolished . I was also artists model for Craig Aitchison and Euan Uglow at the same time. I changed career to run public houses, in the mid nineties, attended Mount View Drama school ,worked in the film and TV industry for 13 years and been a carer to my parents. I always been painting and drawing since childhood and have got no formal training of art school .Attended Citi Lit fine Art Course and Cultural Practice Personal Projects. Currently I participating with Turps banana Art School's correspondence course for last four years. My studio for last 6 years is at Bow arts studio space at Bow.



My process is making drawings or starting drawing on the canvas and using variety of materials ,mediums, coloured tissue paper.



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Studio Reference 183, B1-5
Artist Name: Richard Burger
Website: Richardbartist.com
Instagram: @Richard_burger

People and their interaction with the world fascinate me, and as someone born in one country and living in another, I am drawn to the narrative of displacement and belonging. Painting for me has become fundamental to who I am as a person and an artist and, as a figurative painter my interests therefore revolves around portraiture and landscape and our interaction with it. Using models and photographs to paint portraits, interior scenes and altered landscapes, I'm able to bring my particular take on people and places.



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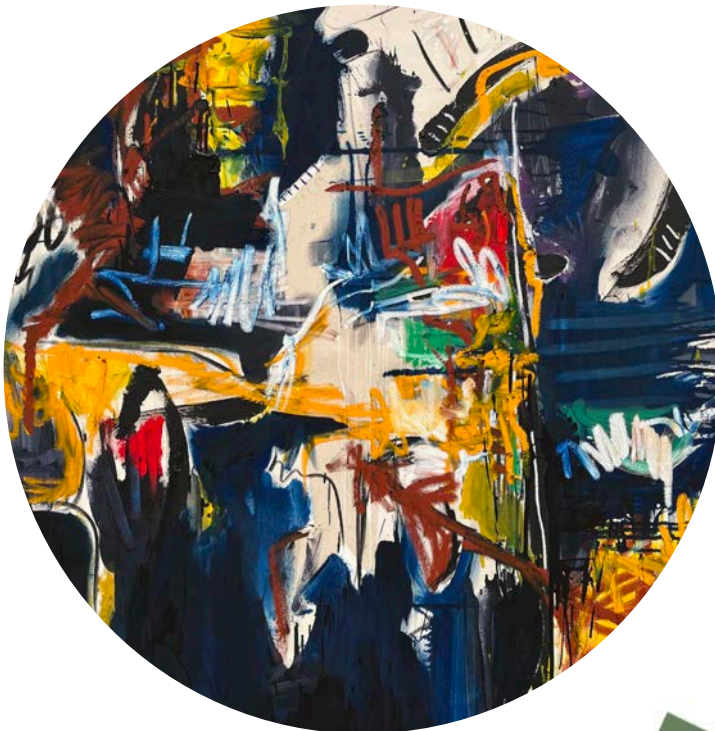
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Studio Reference 183, B1-7
Artist Name: Moisés Moreno
Website: www.moisesmoreno.net
Instagram: @moisesmorenomoreno

Moisés is an abstract painter whose work follows the tradition of the Art Informel practitioners of the 1950s and 1960s (Millares, Saura, Torner...).

Moisés studied draughtsmanship, something that is very present in his work, as his extensive knowledge of technical drawing is transferred to the paintings, presented in a seemingly random execution has behind it a very structured process in which each brushstroke and element is meticulously applied. His works examine current societies and the way we live in them, both individually and collectively. Confusing societies that are the result of the hedonistic way to which we have become accustomed.



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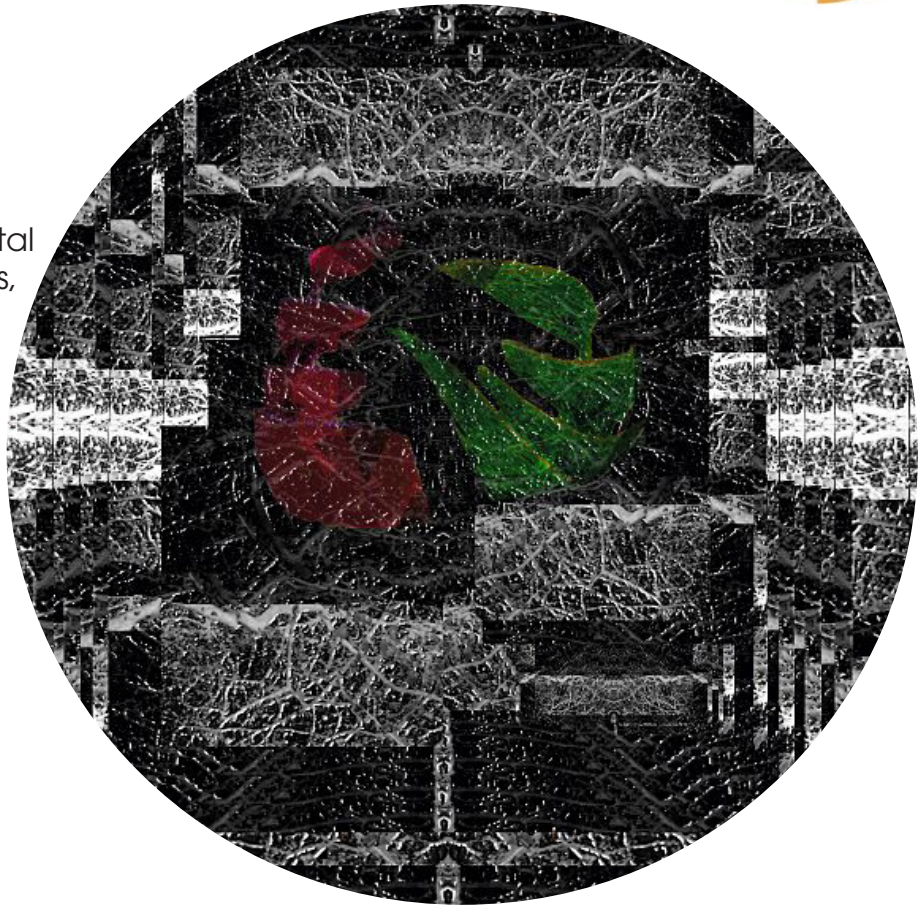
Artist Name: Geoff Titley

Website: www.geoffitley.com

Instagram: @geoffitley



I work with a variety of digital media including still images, moving image and 3D printing as I explore an assumptive view of other nature. This abstract view sees other nature not so much as what exists, but more as what it could become.



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Studio Reference 183, B1-8
Artist Name: Nye Thompson
Website: nyethompson.net
Instagram: @nye.thompson

Nye Thompson (she/her b. 1966) is an artist turned software designer turned artist. Her work spans image-making, video and sculptural installation, film-making, archiving, mapping, experimental software architectures and process-based performance.

UK and international exhibitions include Tate Modern, The Barbican, The Lowry, The V&A, ZKM Karlsruhe, Chronus Art Center, Ars Electronica and The Louvre. Her work has been featured on BBC, Radio 4, Channel 4 News, CNN, Flash Art, the Guardian and Wired. Nye Thompson (she/her b. 1966) is an artist turned software designer turned artist. Her work spans imagemaking, video installation, film-making, mapping, experimental software architectures and process-based performance.



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Studio Reference 183, C1-3
Artist Name: Gaëlle Denis
Website: www.gaelledenis.com
Instagram: @gaelledenis_films

Gaëlle is a BAFTA and Cannes award-winning British-French filmmaker and multimedia artist based in the UK since 2000. She has created numerous films, operas, dance pieces, hybrid animations, CGI, and multimedia projects. In her oil paintings, Gaëlle explores the nuanced interplay of color, employing unusual combinations that evoke both enchantment and a sense of unease. Her artwork often weaves together threads from her own experiences, cinematic influences, and literary references, resulting in richly layered compositions that vividly recall moments from her childhood.



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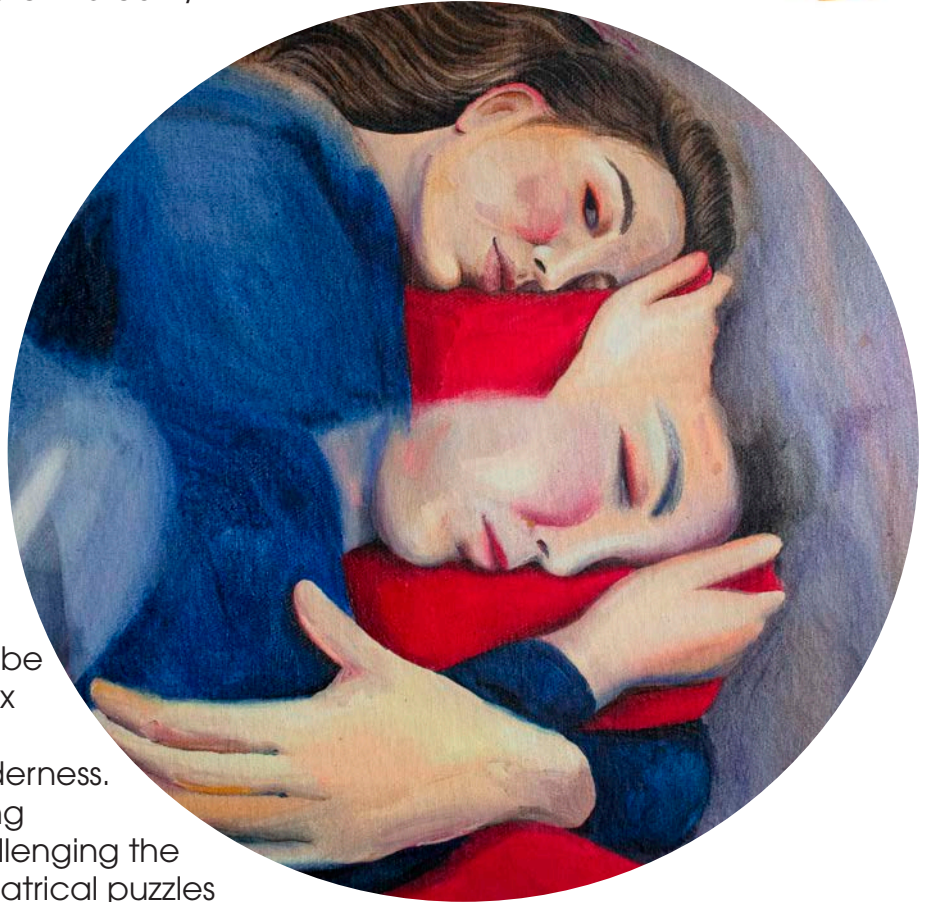
Studio Reference 183, C1-1

Artist Name: Amelie Pace

Website: <https://ameliepeacearchive.com/>

Instagram: @amelie_peace

Amélie Peace is a French-born artist currently working in London. Her practice delves into the experience of touch and the human need for physical connection. The psychophysical dialogues curated in her paintings discuss the emotional, sexual and gendered experiences. She explores what it means to be human, unpicking the complex tensions between longing and rejection, aggression and tenderness. The characters in each painting always seek eye contact, challenging the viewer to engage with the theatrical puzzles that Peace has crafted in her pursuit to illuminate the complexities of human emotion



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Studio Reference 181, D1-9
Artist Name: Juanjo Barreda
Website: <https://juanjobarreda.com>
Instagram: @juanjobarreda.art

(Born in Castellón/Spain)

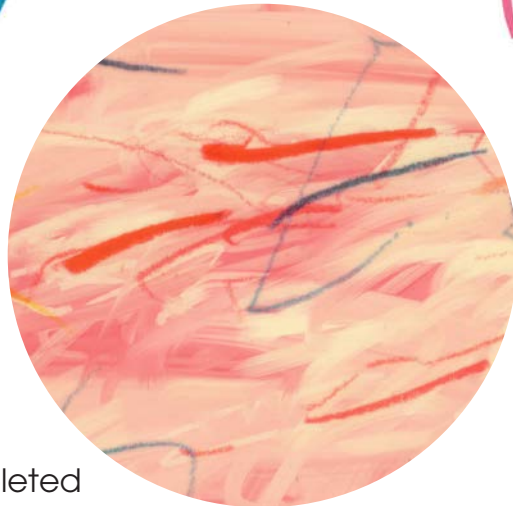
(1996) I moved to NYC to study at the SVA + ArtStudentsLeague. Main focus on abstract painting.

(1998) I moved back to Madrid and completed a Degree in Graphic Design.

(2000) I worked as a graphic designer while writing a fiction essay called 'Immigrant manual 2054' & completed a Degree in Illustration at ESDIP-Madrid.

(2005) I launched Nonoloa, a t-shirt brand based on collaborations with urban artists, and continued doing illustration works.

(2013-now) I moved to London. I continued painting abstraction works and started painting portraits; I also started performing at dance projects and creating textile artworks.



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Studio Reference 183, B2-8

Artist Name: Aviv Benn

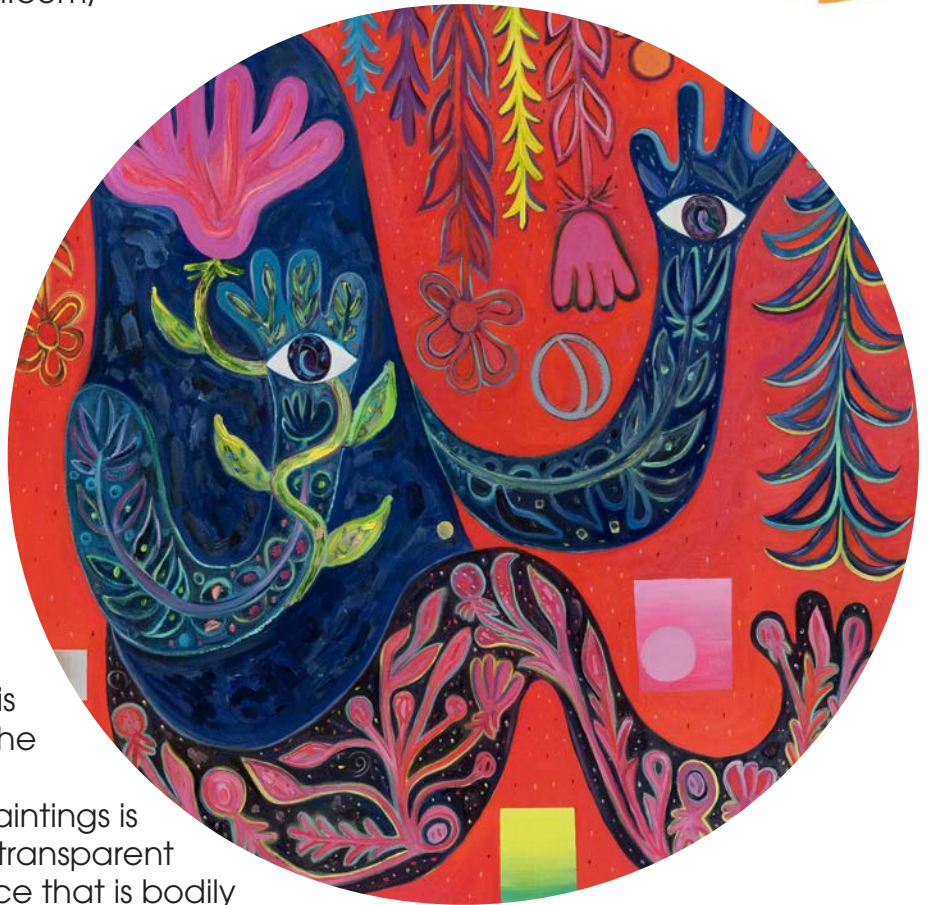
Website: <https://www.avivbenn.com/>

Instagram: @teeth_dream



My paintings are a visual universe starring symbolic archetypes formulating the dreamlike world they inhabit. I view painting as an act of ritualistic compulsion and repetition of images, motifs and ornaments. Each series explores another facet of the fictional world that acts as a distorted mirror of our existence, and each painting is an exploration of the limits of the medium itself.

The sense of push-pull in the paintings is created by complex layers of transparent and opaque gestures. A surface that is bodily and textured, reflecting the viewer's physicality, yet it remains flat, an elusive dimension beyond our reach.



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Studio Reference 183, B2-7

Artist Name: Robson Cezar

Website: <https://www.robsoncezar.co.uk>

Instagram: @robsoncezarpop



I find inspiration in the everyday objects around me. I collect bottle caps and incorporate them into my artwork. Growing up in Brazil, I was always surrounded by vibrant colors and a culture that appreciates color. Bottle caps, with their unique shapes and colors, caught my eye early on. They sparkle in the Brazilian sun. It's my way of capturing the essence of my origins and sharing it with the world through my art. Here in the U.K, I have been named 'The King of the Bottletops'...



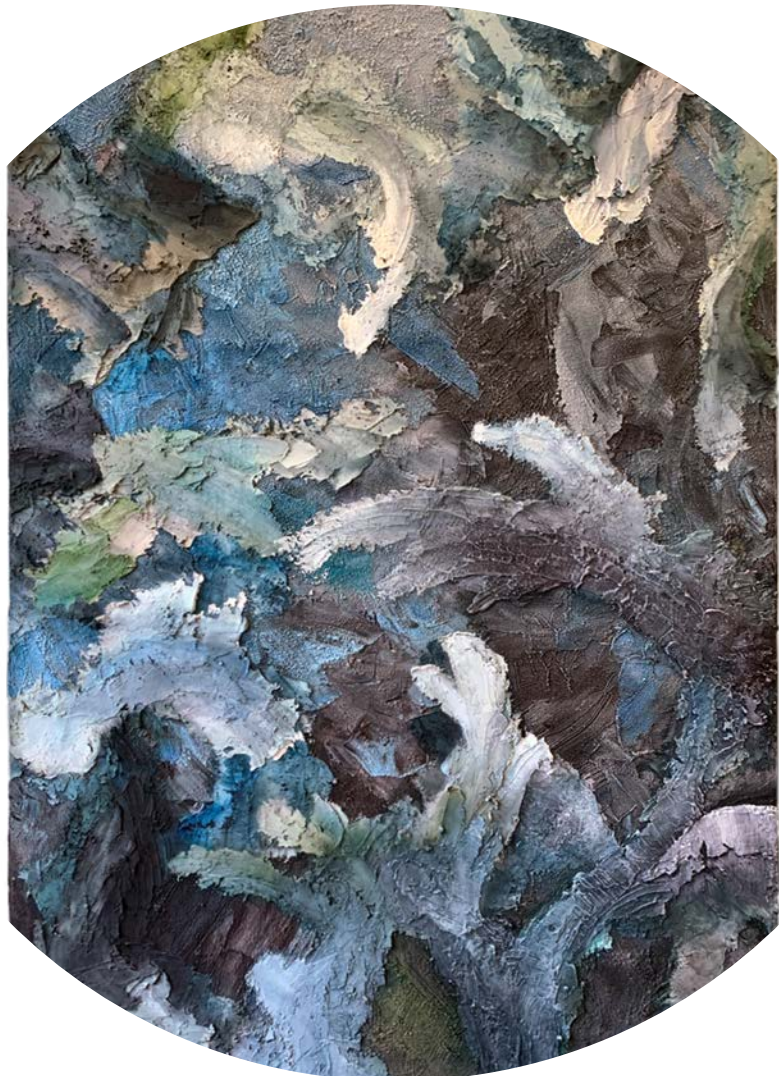
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Studio Reference 183, C2-2
Artist Name: Sam Parsons
Website: www.samparsons.com
Instagram: @samuel.parsons



Sam Parsons is a landscape painter and sculptor. His works are imagined environments that act as a form of escaping into nature.



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Studio Reference 183, C2-4
Artist Name: Hun Kyu Kim
Instagram: @hunkyu.kim



Contemporary painting based on traditional oriental silk painting.



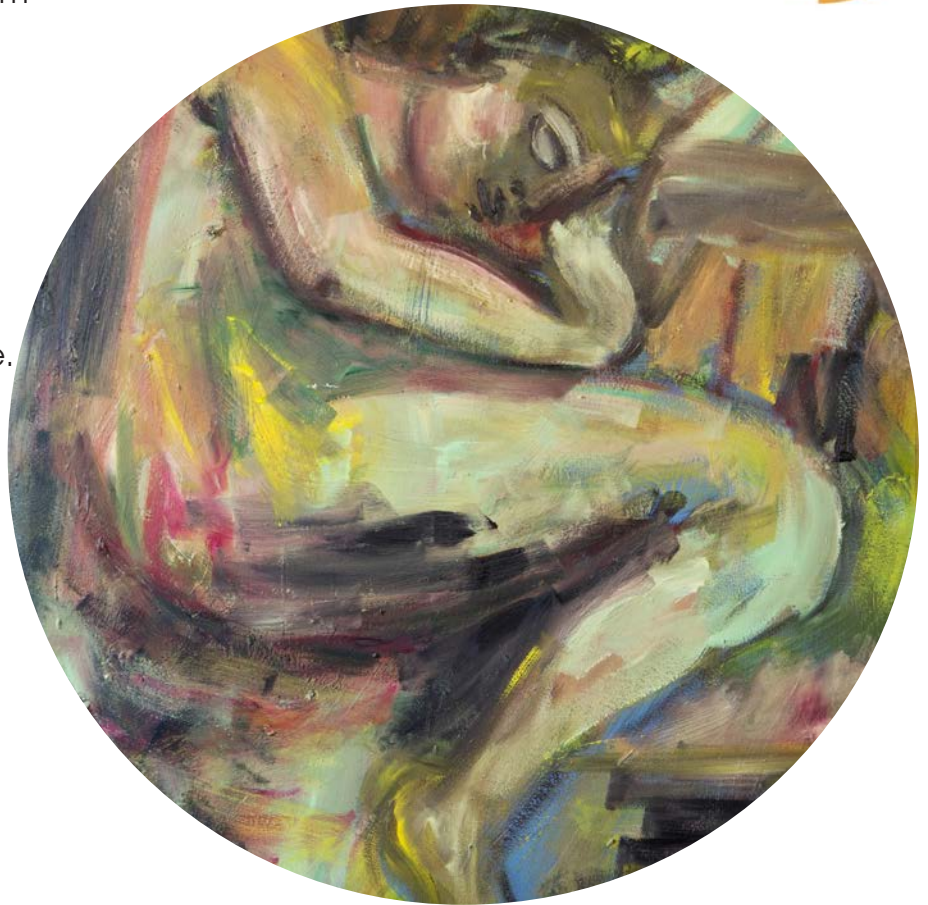
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Studio Reference 183, C2-5
Artist Name: Maddie Yuille
Website: www.maddieyuille.com
Instagram: @maddieyuille



Maddie Yuille is a painter who explores the relationship between the body and nature.



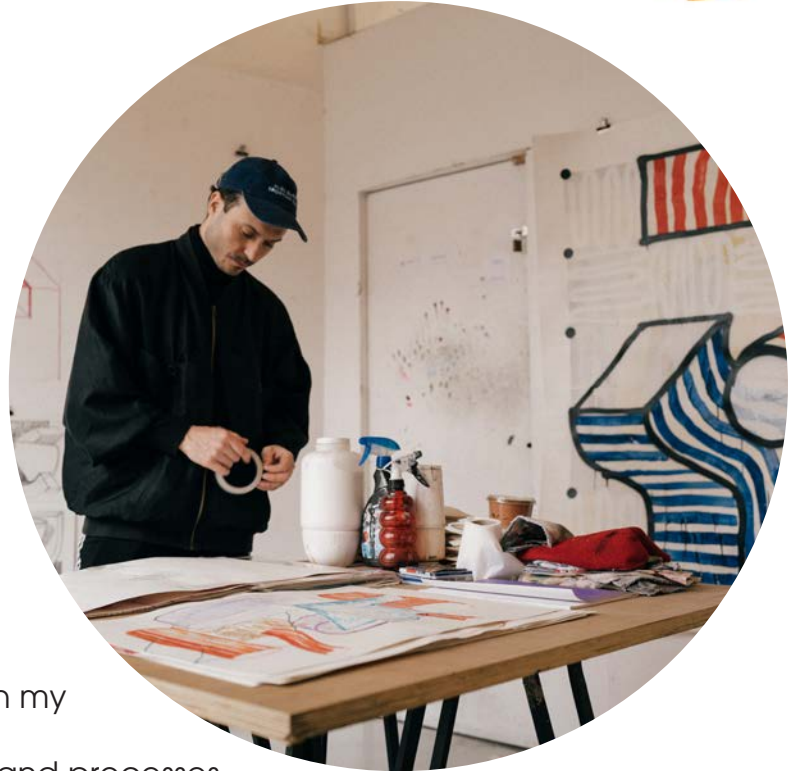
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Studio Reference 183, C2-7
Artist Name: Javi Cazenave
Instagram: @havthehavster



My work explores the relationship between spatial experiences in architecture and their graphic representation. There is this constant dilemma in my practice between architectural structures and a painterly language I am developing. I enjoy the tension between the two languages.



I did my masters in architecture. That, in my opinion, gave me a different perspective and a specific set of tools and processes.

In my practice I constantly fluctuate between these, developing new strategies to combine the two aspects.



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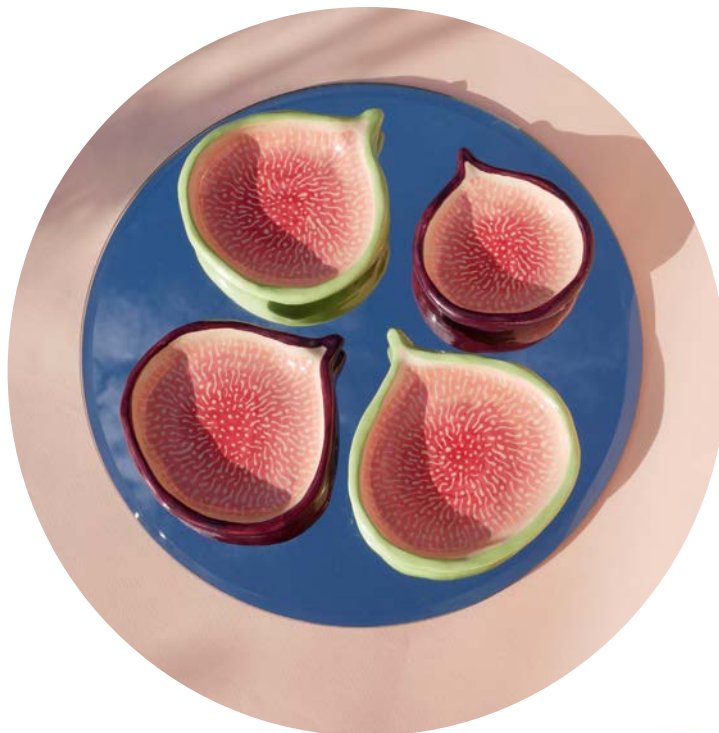


Studio Reference 181, D1-1
Artist Name: Yasmin Falahat
Website: www.yasminfalahat.com
Instagram: @yasminfalahat

Yasmin is a multi-disciplinary artist and ceramicist based in London. After graduating from studying Textile Design BA at Chelsea College of Art in 2014 and doing various creative jobs, Yasmin did a short ceramics course in 2018 and started selling her ceramics later that year.

Her pomegranate and fig ceramics, inspired by her mixed heritage, have been featured in Vanity Fair, House Beautiful, Real Homes Magazine, Living Etc, Homes & Antiques, The Observer Food Monthly, Mollie Makes and Olive Magazine.

Each ceramic piece is individually made and glazed by hand.



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Studio Reference 181, D1-3C

Artist Name: Deborah White

Website: <https://www.deborahwhite.co.uk/portfolio/>

Instagram: @deborahwhite.co.uk

Hello!

My name is Deborah. I'm a London based Freelance Motion Designer with over 10 years professional experience.

I love to create eye-popping visuals to help Studios, Agencies and Brands clearly communicate their story, idea or message.

Working mainly with After Effects and Cinema 4d, I have contributed to projects with some recognisable brands such as Adidas, Nespresso, Cartier, The Discovery Channel & National Geographic.

My work ranges from Adverts, Broadcast TV to Live Events (Concert Visuals, Trade Shows), DOOH and corporate promos.



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Studio Reference 181, D1-3-A
Artist Name: Yuyang Chen
Website: chenart.cargo.site
Instagram: @1113marguerite

Yuyang Chen received her BA in Fine Art from the Chelsea College of Arts where she developed a interdisciplinary practice spanning deeply poetic installations and objects as well as enigmatic paintings, films and photographs exploring themes of self-identity and discovery. Drawing upon her own interests in literature, philosophy and psychology, Chen's work encompasses candid and insightful meditations of the self, with her aim being to challenge the relationship between the viewer and the artist by inviting viewers to physically engage with her art in psychological, affective and discursive ways.



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Studio Reference 181, D1-3B

Artist Name: Tara

Website: taraversey.co.uk

Instagram: @tarajversey

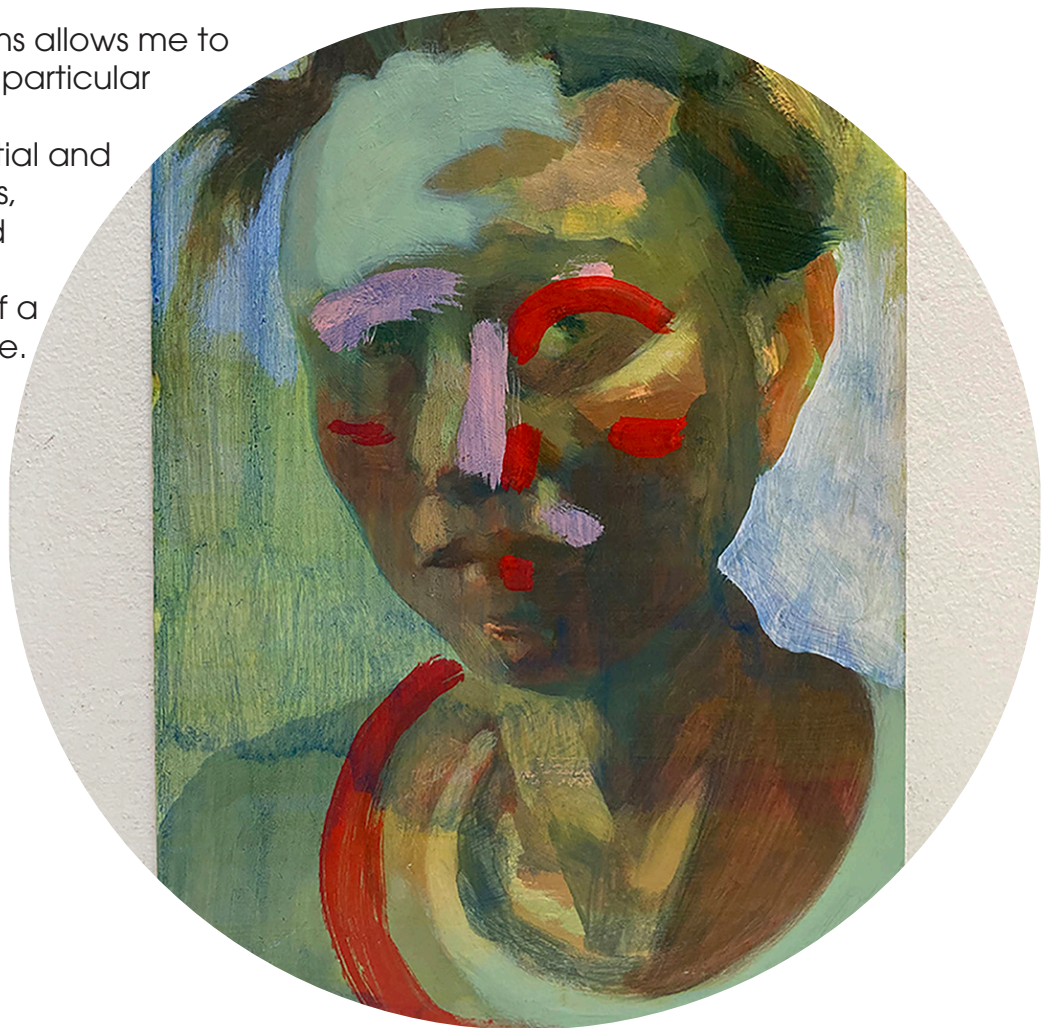


I work with drawing, painting, print and model structures. My interest lies in the direct emotional and physical experience of living.

Moving across mediums allows me to develop and inform a particular feeling, space or idea.

Through exploring spatial and emotional relationships, these interactions lead me to form alternate worlds, often devoid of a particular time or place.

The work exists in the moment as a space of contemplation or a resonance of sensations.



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Studio Reference 181, D1-4

Artist Name: Naira Mushtaq

Website: <https://nairamushtaq.squarespace.com/>

Instagram: @nairamushtaq

I am a multidisciplinary artist from Pakistan residing in London. Working primarily in painting, I engage in the stories, memories, spaces and objects that relate to my family history and the histories of the immigrant settlers. This practice-led research aims to merge personal and political- and resituate the works in the decolonial canon by situating the idea of the archive to the emotional. My research sits on the precipice of decolonial scholarship in academia and the impact of personal histories in contemporary arts. I examine these questions by looking at the socio-political and cultural context.



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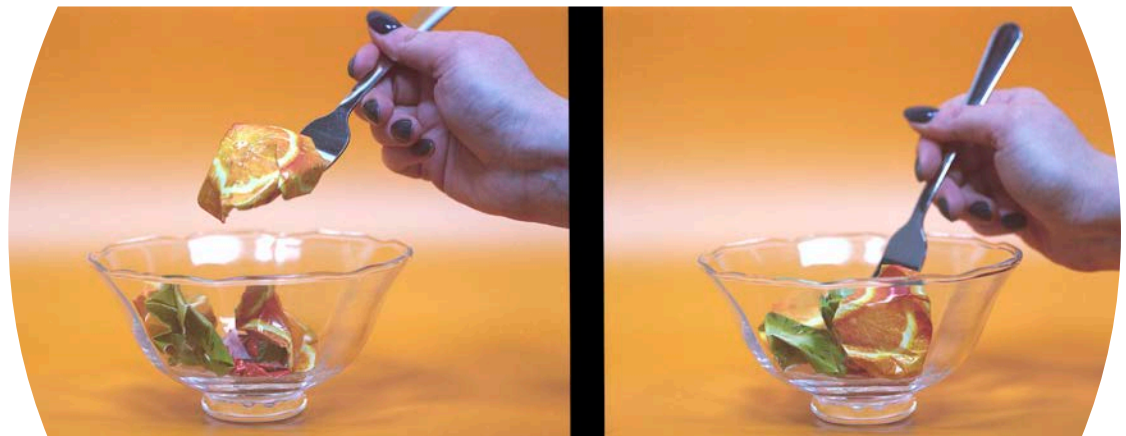
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Studio Reference 181, D1-5
Artist Name: Gabrielle Brooks
Website: gabrielle.brooks.com
Instagram: @gabrielle.emb

Gabrielle Brooks is a multidisciplinary artist whose work spans photography, video, and sculpture. She graduated with an MA in Contemporary Photography; Practices and Philosophies from Central Saint Martins in 2019 and a BA (Hons) in Photography from Nottingham Trent University in 2011.

Her practice explores themes such as food and the domestic environment through a duality of humour and uncertainty provoked by unexpected interactions.



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Studio Reference 181, D1-7
Artist Name: Scallywag Fox
Website: www.scallywagfox.com
Instagram: @scallywagfox

I am an artist known for my work photographing London's Queer scene and characters within it. My recent work with Drag Syndrome shines a light on the ground breaking group of drag performers who all have Down syndrome (the first of its kind in the world).



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Studio Reference 181, D1-7

Artist Name: Ryan Hodge

Website: www.ryanhodgeillustration.com

Instagram: @Ryanhodgeillustration



I am a freelance illustrator and artist. I create fun images celebrating queer culture and history. My work is influenced by Pop Art and camp aesthetics.



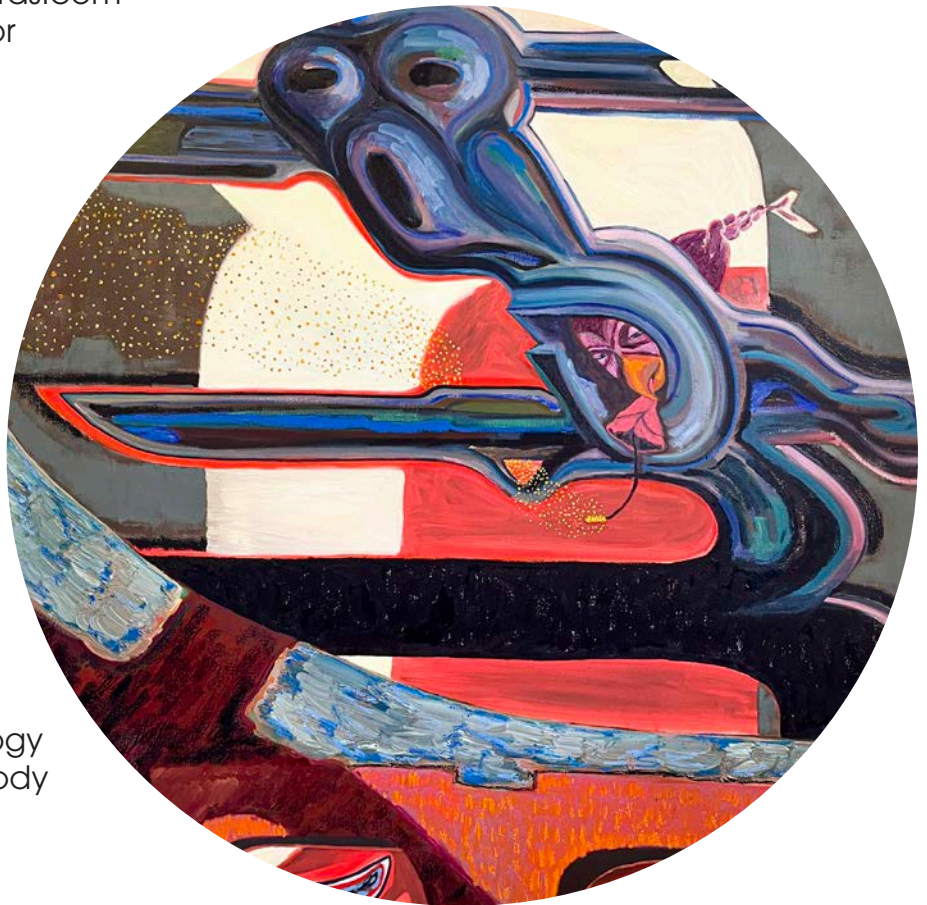
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Studio Reference 181, D1-9
Artist Name: Andras Nagy-Sandor
Website: www.nagysandorandras.com
Instagram: @andrasnagysandor

András Nagy-Sándor (b.1993) is a Hungarian artist based in London, UK. In 2022, he graduated from an MFA in Fine Art Painting at the Slade School of Fine Art. Before that, he received his BA in Fine Art from Newcastle University in 2018. Nagy-Sándor's practice is predominantly an attempt at unpicking the aspirations and ambivalences within the relationship between technology (mechanic matter) and the body (organic matter).



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Studio Reference 181, D1-12
Artist Name: Geoff Bartholomew
Website: geoffbartholomew.co.uk



My work as a visual artist spans drawing, intervention and installation, but is grounded in photography. I recast archaic technologies and the mundane materials of everyday life, to reframe given spaces with new temporal possibilities.

By reflecting on chance encounters and harnessing apparatuses beyond my control, surprising works appear as enigmatic souvenirs. Physical documents which complicate found things with invented ones.



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Studio Reference 181, E1-2
Artist Name: Ali Darke
Website: www.alidarke.com
Instagram: @ali_darke



Through drawing and sculpture, I create a scenography of the inner world, responding to memory and myth, and the evocative language of psychoanalysis. Ideas of 'haunting', echoes of loss and psychic fragmentation are viscerally expressed in materiality and form.

Scavenging for discarded material, I transform their dynamic potential. Cutting, stitching, and stuffing, then hanging, pinning, or collapsing the forms, I play with their presence in space. Hybrid beings emerge, testing unsettling tipping points of beauty, absurdity and abjection. Suggesting a hinterland between the mind and the body where the unconscious leaves a trace, I discover the unexpected and uncannily familiar.



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Studio Reference 181, E1-2
Artist Name: Paul Burgess
Website: www.paul-burgess.co.uk
Instagram: @pauldburgess

I'm primarily a scenographer, designing sets, costumes and projections for performance. This has taken me around the UK and to India, Pakistan, Vietnam and the US. I also make visual art, mainly installations, sometimes with an interactive digital element. Recent projects include work for a Dulwich health centre. I'm currently making a piece for the Barbican Centre. I coordinate a nationwide sustainability working group for theatre designers and am a co-director of Ecostage. I also run the queer-led Daedalus Theatre Company, for which I am currently developing a cross-disciplinary project around queer ecology.



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Studio Reference 181, F1-1
Artist Name: Felicity McCabe
Website: www.Felicitymccabe.com
Instagram: @felicitymccabe



I'm a photographic artist working mainly with portraiture across still and moving image projects.



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Studio Reference 181, F1-2
Artist Name: Martina Lang
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Instagram: @martina.lang_

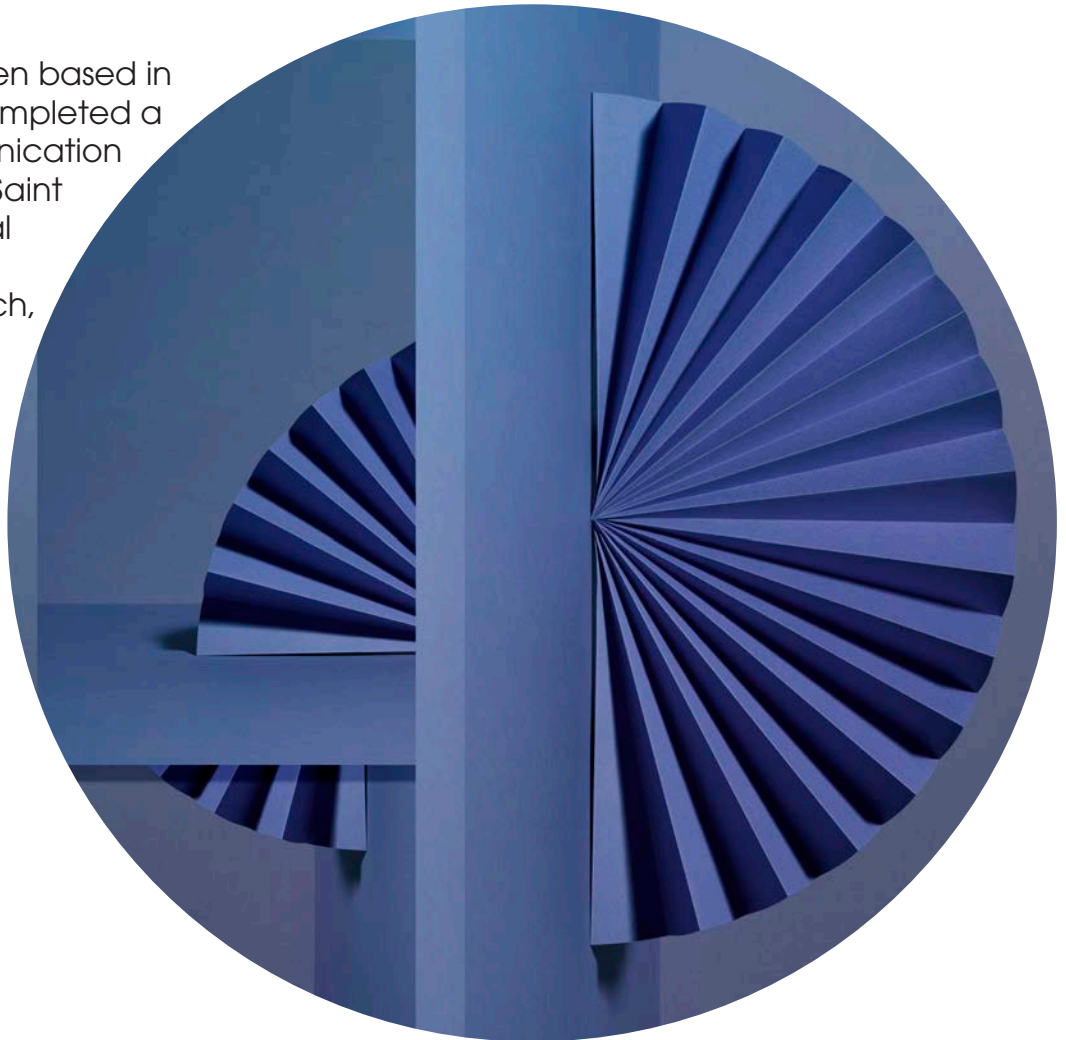


As a kid I wanted to become a football star.

It wasn't the game, nor the money or fame that interested me. I simply wanted to have four shadows. Like football players in a stadium at night.

Plans have changed since, but this fascination with light has stayed with me.

Since 2008 I've been based in London where I completed a Masters in Communication Design at Central Saint Martins. I love visual storytelling with a humorous approach, and try to capture this within photography.



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Studio Reference 181, E2-1
Artist Name: LUAP
Website: www.luapstudios.co.uk
Instagram: @luap

Paul Robinson, also known as 'LUAP,' is a British multidisciplinary artist born in 1982. Originally from Grimsby, LUAP is now based in London and has showcased his work on a global scale.

Central to LUAP's artistic practice is "The Pink Bear". A cherished remnant of childhood memory. Resurrected through sessions of cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT). It is a figure which encapsulates the spectrum of human encounters. "The Pink Bear" metamorphoses into a vessel for voyages of revelation and investigation. He embodies aspirations and anxieties. An enigmatic personality. He navigates between the surreal, the envisioned, and the corporeal.



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Studio Reference 181, E2-3

Artist Name: Good Wives and Warriors

Website: www.goodwivesandwarriors.co.uk

Instagram: @goodwivesandwarriors



We are the creative partnership of Louise Chappell and Becky Bolton. We make illustrations for non-fiction books, packaging and advertising and we paint large-scale wall murals.



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Studio Reference 181, F2-3

Artist Name: Roland Biermann

Website: www.grolandbiermann.com

Instagram: @grolandbiermann



Roland Biermann is a conceptual artist working with photography, film, sculpture and installation, often in hybrid form. With his practice, he explores change and transformation in time, space and society with a specific focus on spiritual, ecological and political issues.



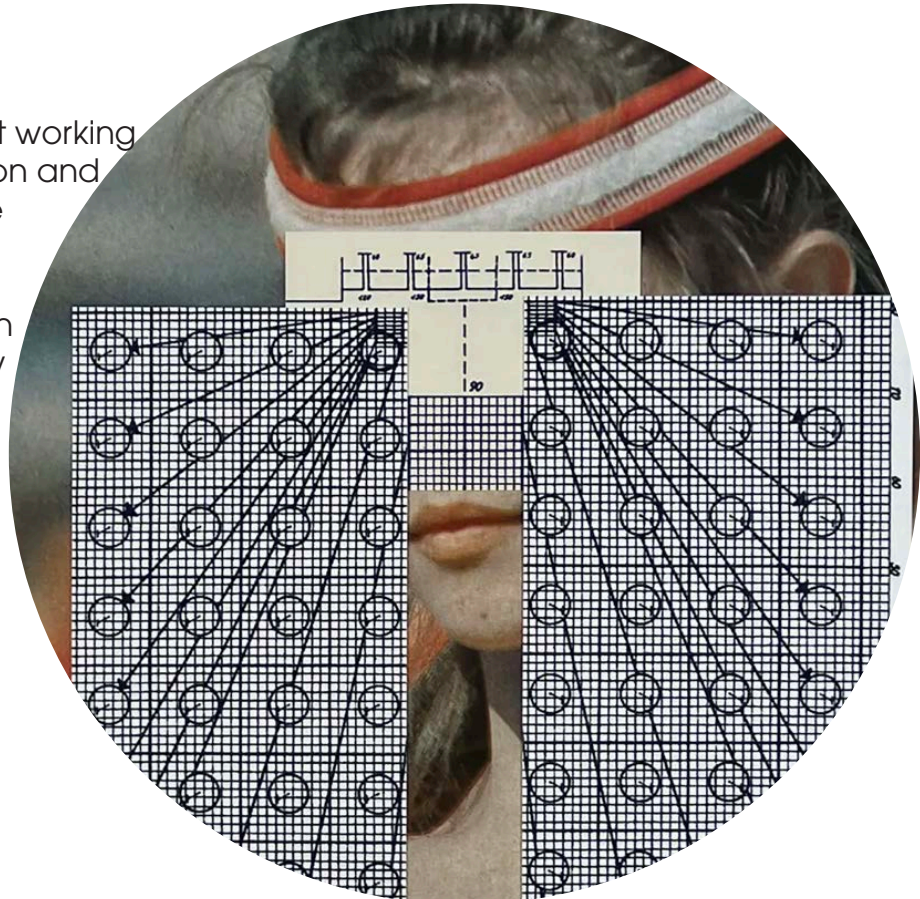
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Studio Reference 181, F3-2
Artist Name: Hana Vojackova
Website: www.hanavojackova.com
Instagram: @hana.vojackova



Hana Vojáčková is an artist working across film, video-installation and photography. Her practice consists of diverse projects that share a focus on themes surrounding human physicality, examining how the body is constructed through visualisation. Vojáčková's work explores new sets of hypothetical connections and suggests their own special orders.



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Studio Reference 181, F3-3
Artist Name: Rômulo Avi
Website: www.romuloavi.com
Instagram: @avi.art



My paintings germinate from a sense of in-betweenness. This in-betweenness is spatial and stylistic, drawing from my personal experience with immigration as much as it draws from a play between academic precision and abstract experimentation. Informed by a blend of classical and contemporary influences, along with mythopoetic elements, my work unfolds. Through a meditative process of layering and sanding, subjects organically reveal and conceal themselves, often impulsively: Flutes whisper, turtles ponder; flowers flourish, worlds breathe. As I add, obliterate, and reassemble imagery, my paintings become artifacts of a deeply personal journey, reflecting the continuous interplay of identity and history.

