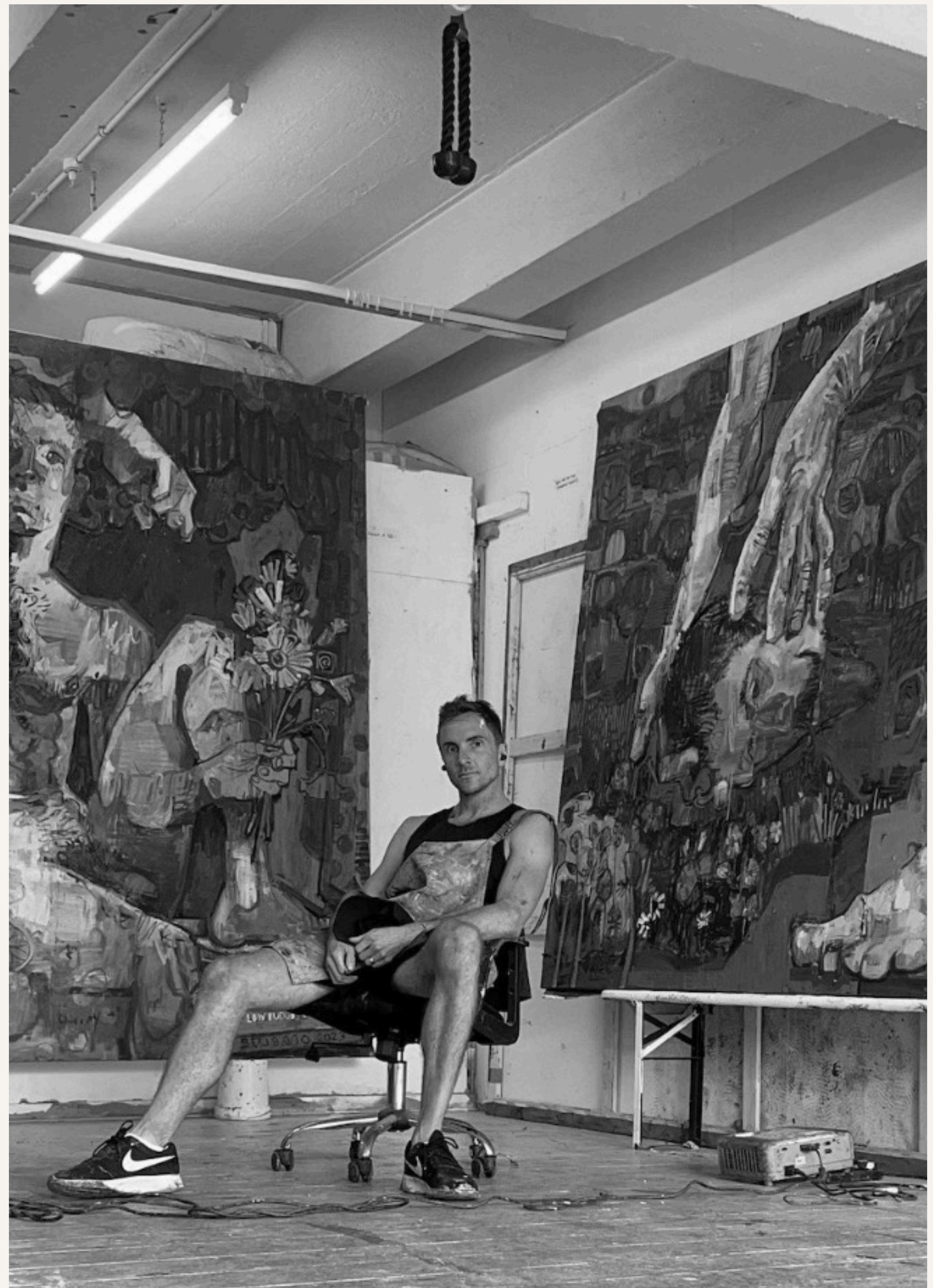
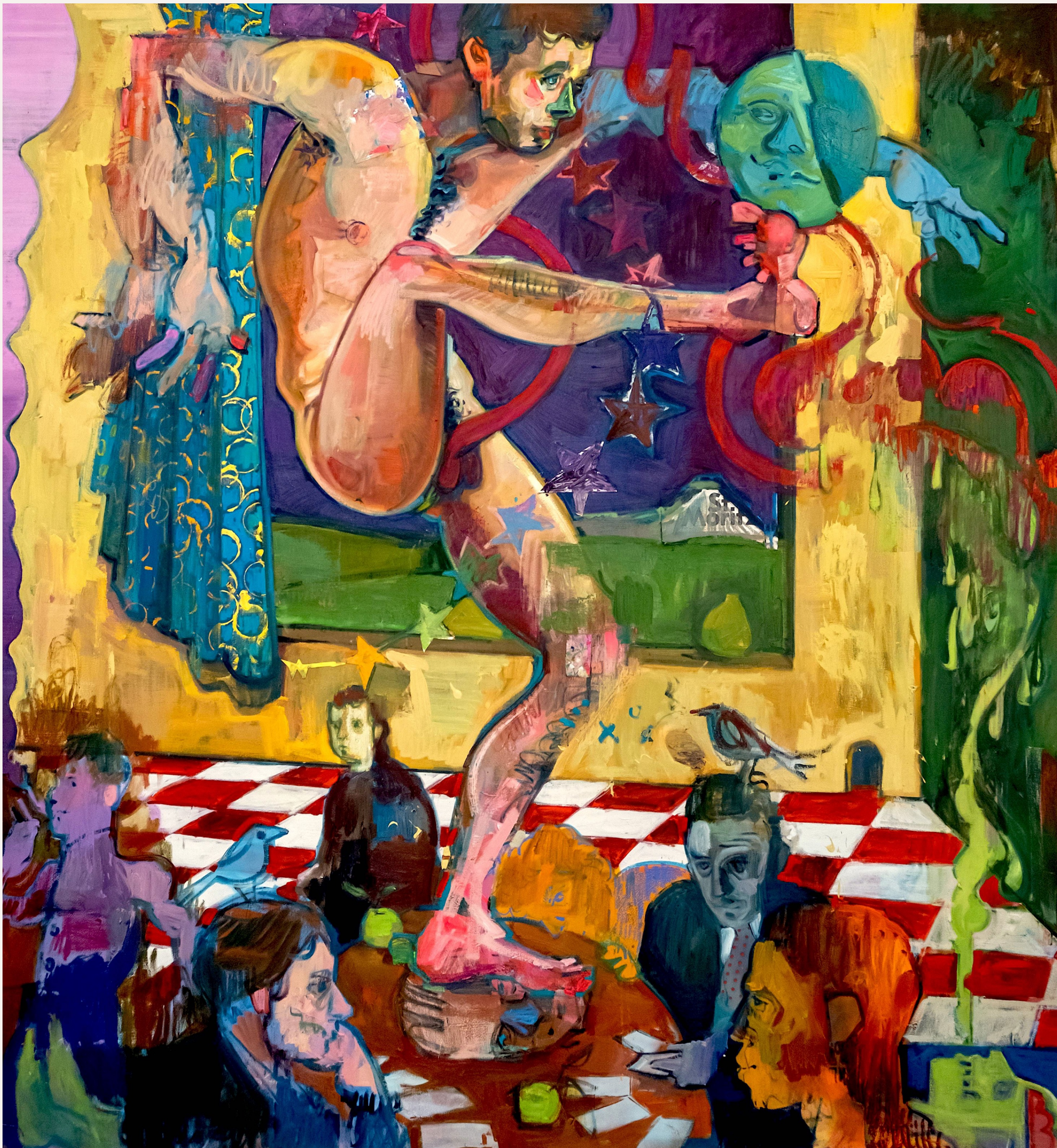




CHRISTOPHER MOLLER
GALLERY

ANDREW SALGADO





LAUGHTER IN THE DARK
Oil and oil pastel on linen
210 X 225 cm
GBP 25, 000 excl. 15% SA VAT

BACKGROUND

The gallery's relationship with Andrew Salgado began when Christopher and Jaco first met him during their visit to London in 2013, where he currently resides. The gallery was actively looking to bring a figurative artist on board and later in 2014, he had his first official solo in South Africa with Christopher Moller Gallery.

Salgado created this piece, *Laughter in the Dark*, specifically for the gallery and the subject matter is a homage to his fascination for the complex and convoluted storyline of the book of the same name written by Vladimir Nabokov (most famous for his later novel *Lolita*). His ability to narrate through complex artistic exploration and symbolism is extraordinary and this is truly a standout piece we are thrilled to be showcasing – this is a piece that takes time to unpack: much like the novel it emulates, there are plot twists and turns to ponder and reflect on.

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BIOGRAPHY

ANDREW SALGADO (b. 1982, Canada) holds an MA in Fine Art from Chelsea College of Art (2009), and is widely regarded as one of the leading figurative painters of his generation. He has exhibited worldwide, with solo exhibitions including London, New York, Tokyo, Miami, Toronto, Cape Town, Sydney, and throughout Europe.

In 2017, Salgado was the youngest artist ever to receive a survey exhibition at The Canadian High Commission in London. He has received extensive press both online and in print, and he frequently donates to charities and is a frequent advocate for LGBT causes. His works have successfully entered the secondary market with prices frequently doubling their estimates, including a piece at Phillips New York selling for five times its estimate in June 2021.

His works have been collected extensively, including The Oketa Collection, The Royal Bank of Canada Collection, The Masahiro Maki Collection, Government of Canada, The Jordanian Royal Family, Simmons & Simmons, the Esquinazi Collection, Edwin Oostmeier Collection, and more.

He lives and works in London, England.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2023

Tomorrow I'll Be Perfect, SAATCHI Gallery, London (November)
Good Things, PIERMARQ* Gallery, Sydney (April)

2022

The Lotus Eaters. MAKI Gallery, Tokyo, Japan (Oct.-Nov)
A Never-Setting Sun. BEERS London, (April)

2020

Strange Weather. Beers London (October)

2018

Blue Rainbow. Angell Gallery, Toronto, Canada (October)
Dirty Linen/The Nihilist's Alphabet. Christopher Moller Gallery, Cape Town, SA (February)

2017

A Room with A View of the Ocean. Lauba, Zagreb, Croatia (April)

2016

TEN. Canadian High Commission. Trafalgar Sq, London (December).

The Snake. Beers London (November)

The Fool Makes a Joke at Midnight. Thierry Goldberg, New York (May)

2015

A Quiet Man. Beers London at PULSE Miami Beach. Miami, FL (December)

This is Not the Way to Disneyland. VOLTA Basel. Basel, Switzerland (June)

2014

Storytelling. Beers London (October)

Variations on a Theme. One Art Space. New York, NY (May)

Enjoy the Silence. Christopher Møller. Cape Town, South Africa (January)



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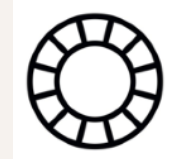
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