

JIM THREAPLETON

LOREM IPSUM

7 October - 23 December

No 20

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Maecenas V (2022), Oil on wood panel, 30 x 30 cm

LOREM IPSUM. A solo exhibition of new works by Jim Threapleton offering his most expansive and personal collection to date. *LOREM IPSUM* continues to follow his pursuit of abstraction at the threshold of representation. It marks the development of a uniquely contemporary approach to traditional technique.

Threapleton's paintings are defiantly fluid. The plastic immediacy of oil paint drives a lyrical indeterminacy found between control and accident, depth and flatness, between the real and the indefinable. Gestural improvisation animates an unstable pictorial territory where the spectacle of image is superseded by a contemplative, expressive materiality that channels the spirit of painting's Romantic legacy.

This exhibition runs from 7th October - 23rd December 2022.

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About Jim Threapleton

Jim Threapleton is an artist working in London and Vancouver. He studied History of Art at Manchester University. In 2008 his BIFA nominated debut feature film, *Extraordinary Rendition* premiered in competition at the Edinburgh and Locarno International Film Festivals. He completed his Fine Art MA in 2010 and was awarded his doctorate from Chelsea College of Art, London in 2016. He has exhibited internationally, including shows at the Courtauld, London, the Institute of Contemporary Art, Singapore and Carles Taché Gallery, Barcelona. He was included in the 2021 *Anomie Review of Contemporary British Painting*.



Explicabo I (2022), Oil on linen, 90 x 90 cm



Dolorem VI (2022), Oil on wood panel, 15 x 15 cm

About No 20 Arts

Opened in January 2017, No 20 Arts is a centre for contemporary arts. A multi-functional space, the gallery hosts a programme of exhibitions, performances and events that support emerging and established artists working across all media.

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