# THOMAS BERDING

Partial Resemblance, 2022 (detail) Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches

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Everyday Elsewhere

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The Painting Center is pleased to present *Everyday Elsewhere*, an exhibition of recent work by Thomas Berding in the Main Gallery and Project Room.

This solo exhibition of paintings by Thomas Berding continues the artist's mining of both the language of abstraction and digital and post-industrial refuse. Along with the inclusion of fragmented images culled from third class mailings, internet searches and other images often unmoored from their origins, his work draws from the history of abstract painting, DIY aesthetics, and observations on contemporary life. The resulting works project a haunting and speculative image of the world that exists somewhere between a salvage operation and an escapist's flight of fancy.

Thomas Berding was born in Cincinnati, Ohio and received an MFA from Rhode Island School of Design. His paintings have been widely exhibited and recognized with awards from the National Endowment for the Arts, Pollock-Krasner Foundation, and NEA/Mid America Arts Alliance. Berding currently lives and works in East Lansing where he is Professor of Studio Art at Michigan State University.

For more information on the artist, please visit www.thomasberding.com.

Anchor, 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Broken Read,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, collage, and inkjet on canvas 30 x 30 inches



*Love and Luxury,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 20 x 16 inches



*Seer,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Specter in the Corner,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 48 x 44 inches



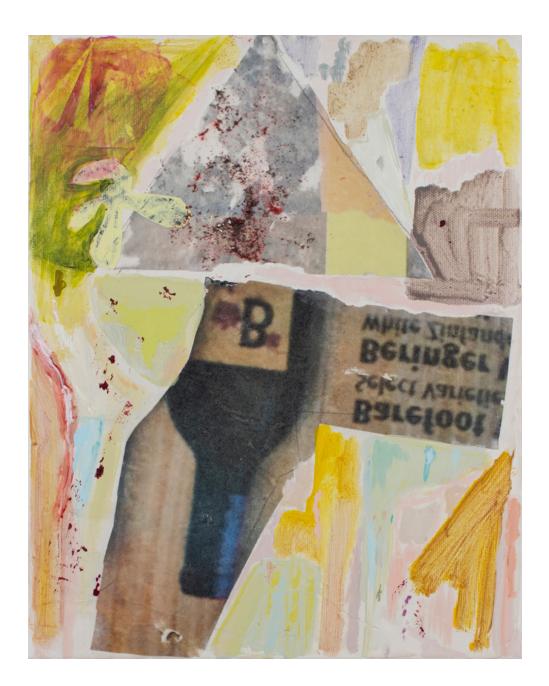


*Specter in the Corner,* 2022 (detail) Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 48 x 44 inches

*Phantoms in a Pocket,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 30 x 30 inches



*Pistol Assembly,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Projection Land*, 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Cascade,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 20 x 16 inches



*Last Holiday*, 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Escape,* 2022 Acrylic, and flashe on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*The Unmooring,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 48 x 44 inches





*The Unmooring,* 2022 (detail) Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 48 x 44 inches

*Slice and Dice*, 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Hangman,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 20 x 16 inches



*Partial Resemblance,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Tumbler,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 20 x 16 inches



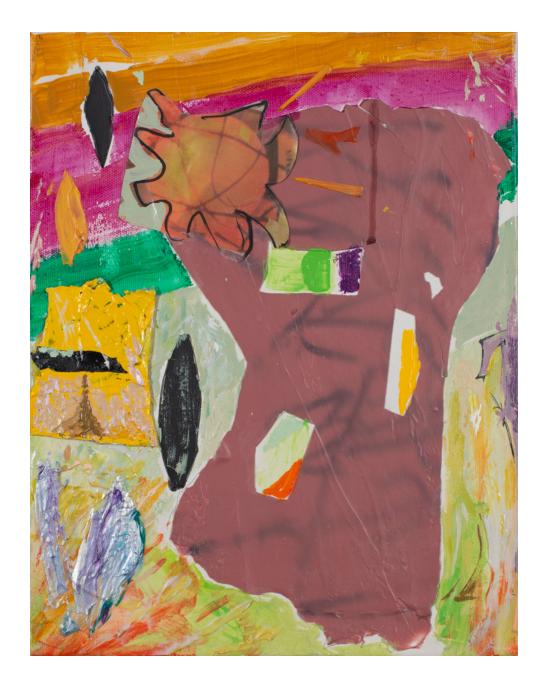
*Crafting Nature,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, collage, and inkjet on canvas 20 x 16 inches



*Breakout,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 20 x 16 inches



*Unsettled States,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and collage on canvas 14 x 11 inches



*Divine Touch,* 2022 Acrylic, flashe, and inkjet on canvas 20 x 16 inches



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