

#### Solo show by Vivian East May 2 to May 29, 2024



Reception Saturday May 4, 2-5 pm Viewings Wednesday, May 8, 4-7:30 pm, Friday, May 10, 4-8 pm and Saturday, May 11, 4-8 pm. View online anytime or in person by appointment, email rentals@heliconianclub.org.

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## MYSTIC LAND

Solo show by Vivian East

These paintings represent my travels across Canada over a period of four years. My husband and I drove thousands of kilometers from Ontario to B.C. and up to Arctic Ocean, camping in national, provincial and territorial parks in our truck camper. We explored almost every part of Northern Ontario that we could by road and across the prairies to B. C., Yukon and Northwest Territories.

I have chosen to paint these parts of the country to highlight some regions that many southern Canadians have never seen. Moreover, I wish to communicate the powerful effect that the natural landscapes have on me.

This collection illustrates the power of nature to transform consciousness. The mystical places in these paintings exist in a time and space that are far beyond our current human existence. But they also speak to us of our deep connection to the land. I am compelled to paint images that show our existence in nature. Even though the only human in the landscape is the viewer, the connection is palpable.

~Vivian East

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ANTIQUITY 2024



#### ASCENSION



#### AUDIENCE

2022 Oil on Canvas Panel 16 x 20 in



#### AWAKENING

2018 Oil on Canvas 36 x 24 in



## ENFOLDING



#### FORCE OF WATER



# FORGIVENESS 2019



#### GESTATION



#### HATTIE COVE 2023 Oil on Canvas 12 x 16 in



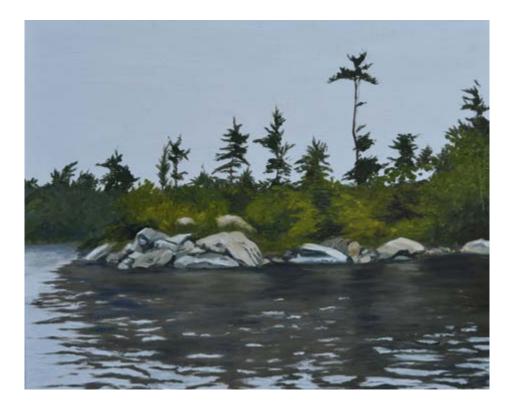
#### HER GARDEN



#### HIBERNATION



## Incursion



#### PARADE

2022 Oil on Canvas 16 x 20 in



#### **RECLINING FORMS**



#### REFLECTION

2022 Oil on Canvas 36 x 25 in







### SPECTRE



#### SPIRIT



#### STILL WATERS



#### THE MEANING OF WATER 2019, Oil on Canvas 24 x 24 in



## TOGETHERNESS

Oil on Canvas 16 x 20 in



#### TOP OF THE WORLD



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