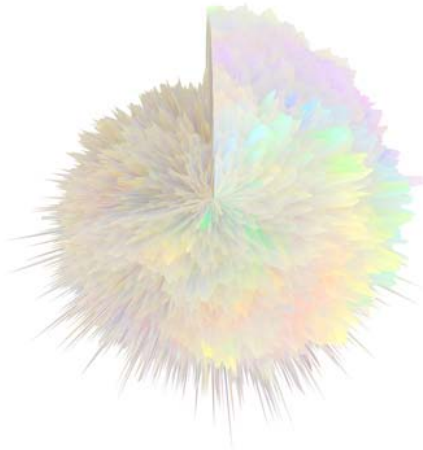


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AUGUST 7 TO SEPTEMBER 12, 2015

**ARTIST RECEPTION:
FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 2015
6 P.M. TO 9 P.M.**

**JOE BECKER
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The Triumph of the Therapeutic reveals another layer in the ongoing exploration of the ideas of American sociologist Philip Reiff, as first presented in his 1965 book *The Triumph of the Therapeutic: The Uses of Faith After Freud*. As we continue our shift from faith to therapy, from authority to self-investigation, from connection to Interconnection, the artists presented provide a glimpse of their current state of mind, in the process contemporizing Reiff's illuminative ideas.



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IMAGES

OLIVER PAUK | OBJECT #18 | DIGITAL PRINT | 24 X 24 INCHES | 2015

JOE BECKER | ITCHED RAW, SUN BURNT IMPETIGO WON'T STOP ME SNARFING AND DANCING ALL NIGHT
LONG BROTHER | OIL AND SPRAY PAINT ON CANVAS | 54 x 60 INCHES | 2015

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KRISTOPHER KARKLIN | JACK AND JILL ROOM (MORNING) | 36" X 54" | 2011

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DU 7 AOÛT AU 12 SEPTEMBRE 2015

**VERNISSAGE:
VENDREDI LE 7 AOÛT 2015
DE 18H00 à 21H00**

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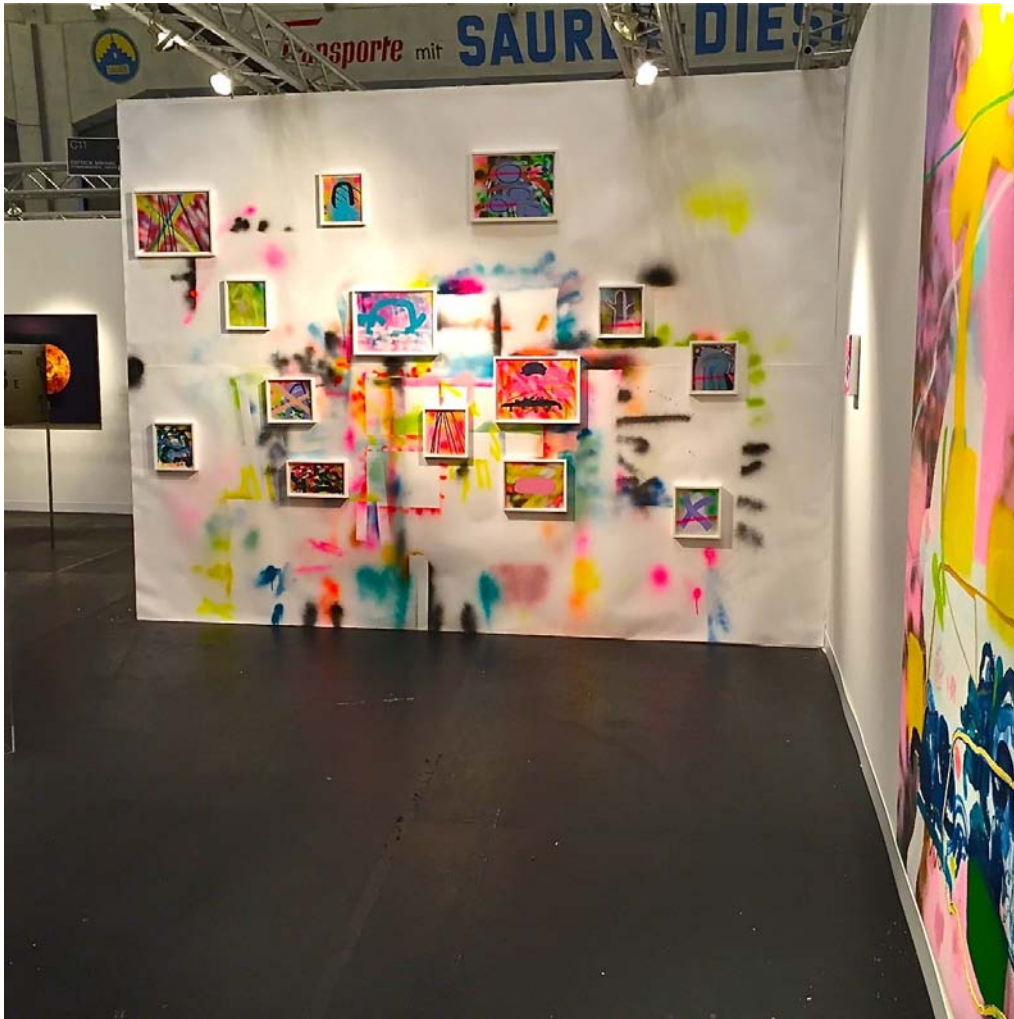
CHERYL PAGUREK | HIGH VALUE TARGET 3: FOLLOW MY LEAD | 34" X 56"

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