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DETAILS

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By appointment

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EXHIBITION DETAILS

Malene Birger, Florian Baudrexel and Beat Zoderer
A Joint Showcase with Bartha_contemporary

GALLERY

7 Ledbury Mews North, (off Ledbury Road)
Notting Hill,
London W11 2AF

OPEN DAY

May 25 12-4 pm

EXHIBITION

May 25-June 02
by appointment

It starts with original talent, and we have the experience to recognise it with the connections to accelerate creative potential.

We promote individuality and communication, ensuring artists' voices are heard above the noise. From hosting engaging exhibitions to developing new forms of client interaction, we shape opportunities to increase exposure. We are agile and work with a network of partners to provide local expertise and international coordination tailored to each artist.

EXHIBITION

We are pleased to announce a joint showcase with Bartha_contemporary featuring recent works by Danish artist Malene Birger.

The exhibition will also showcase selected reliefs by German artist Florian Baudrexel and paintings by Swiss artist Beat Zoderer, inviting a dialogue between the works of three artists, each presenting a distinctly modernist aesthetic.

The acclaimed fashion designer, known for her uncompromising style and Scandinavian sensibility, will exhibit a series of recent paintings. Their strong graphical appearance and monochromatic colour pallet are informed by the artist's experience as a self-proclaimed nomad. Here, the artist's ability to bring storytelling into a modernist context is motivated by her travels and encounters. Indeed, the ebb and flow of her life is reflected in the often highly textured and layered works.

Florian Baudrexel's ongoing cardbirds series offers a similar approach. Embracing the formal language of modernism, the artist constructs sculptural forms from individual elements made from discarded cardboard packaging. The self-coloured works employ a strong geometric vocabulary, subverted by printed text or marks and wear from their former use. The play between found materials and the notion of ready-made and architectural forms unite to create engaging sculptures that suggest movement.

Similarly, Beat Zoderer's paintings are also constructed in a layered approach that articulates linear, wedge-like bars of colour that traverse over the picture plane; as one angular shape ends, the next reverses, either in a closely stacked zig-zag that pushes to the edge of the work or evolves at different angles, influenced solely by the artist's inherent understanding of composition. Zoderer's distinct colour pallet is loosely applied, resulting in opaque layers of colour. The works suggest a space that reflects an idiosyncratic painting approach, reflecting the artist's interest in sculptural form.

This collaborative exhibition offers an opportunity to experience works by European artists in a concise presentation. The showcase will be on view by appointment from Saturday, May 25, until Sunday, June 2nd. An open day is scheduled for Saturday, May 25, from 12 to 4 PM.

Bartha_contemporary is located in Ledbury Mews North, within easy walking distance from Notting Hill Gate Station and close to Westbourne Grove and Portobello Road.



Abstract Form, 2019

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Linen
36 1/4 x 28 3/4 Inches (92 x 73 cm)
Reference MB025

£2,700

Abstract Forms, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Canvas
36 1/4 x 28 3/4 Inches (92 x 73 cm) each
Reference MB042, MB043

£5,600



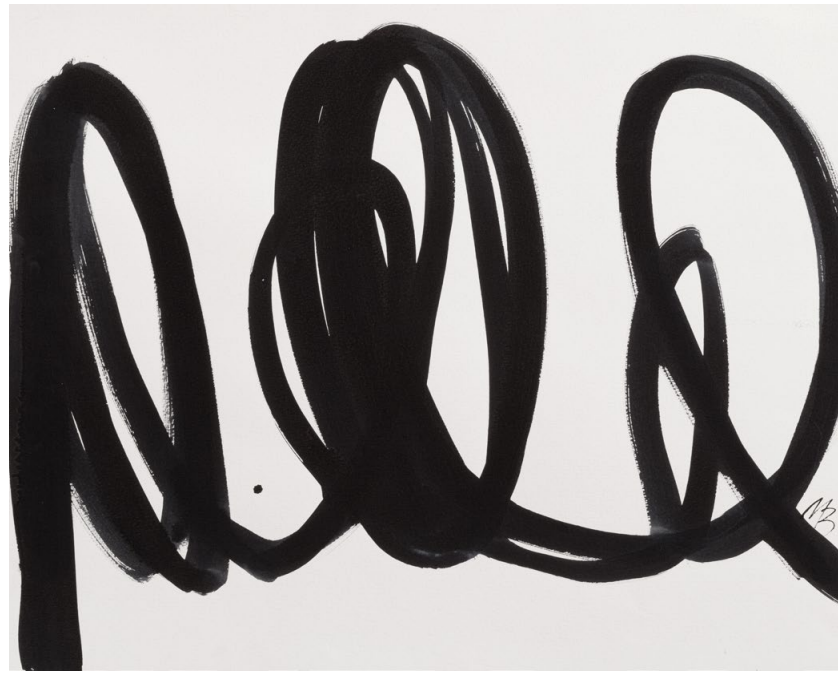
Abstract Forms, 2019

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic & Ink On Canvas
25 5/8 x 21 1/4 Inches (65 x 54 cm) each
Reference MB040, MB041

£4,400



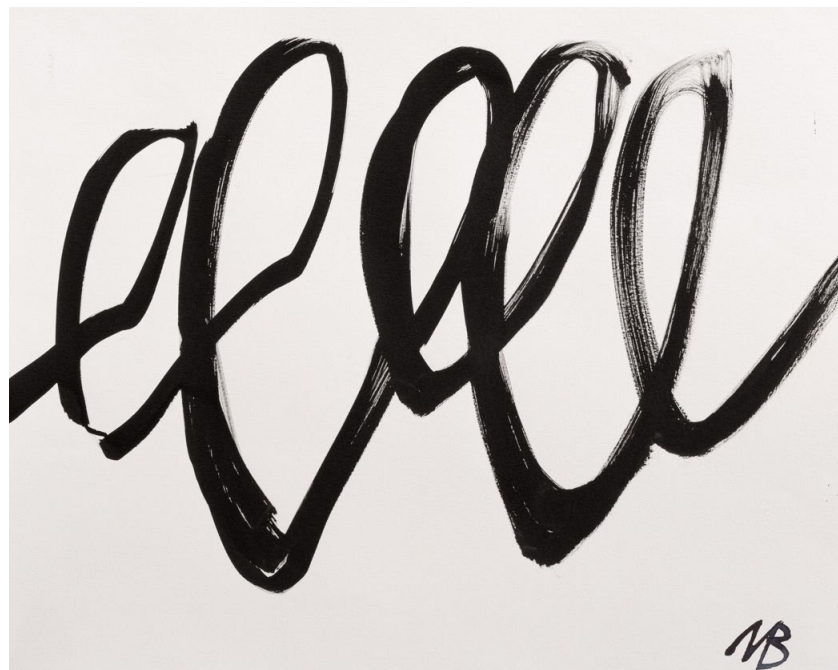


Abstract Letters, 2013

MALENE BIRGER

Ink On Paper
19 5/8 x 25 5/8 Inches (50 x 65 cm) unframed
Reference MB029, MB030, MB031

£1,500 each

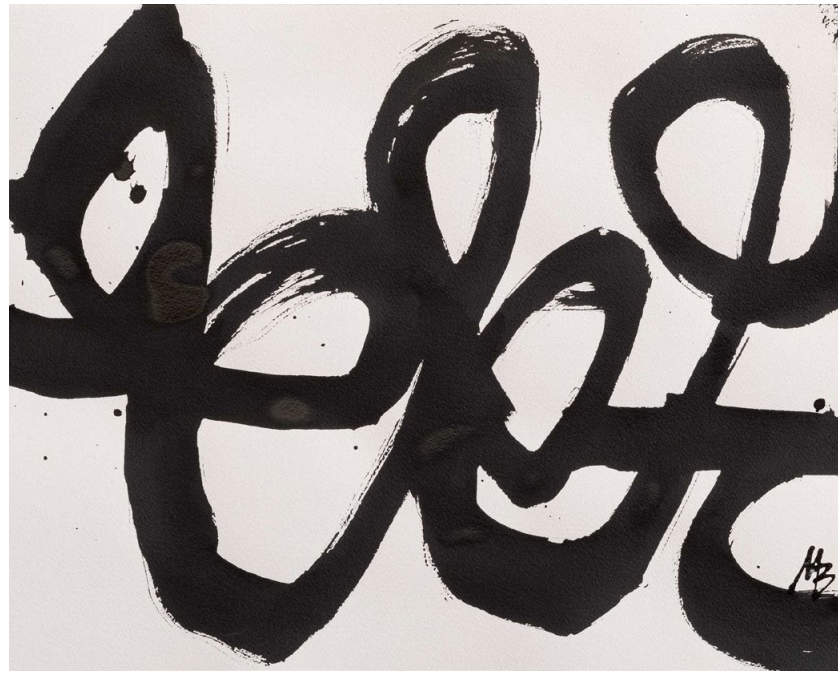


Abstract Lovers, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Canvas
55 1/8 x 39 3/8 Inches (140 x 100 cm)
Reference MB026

£4,500

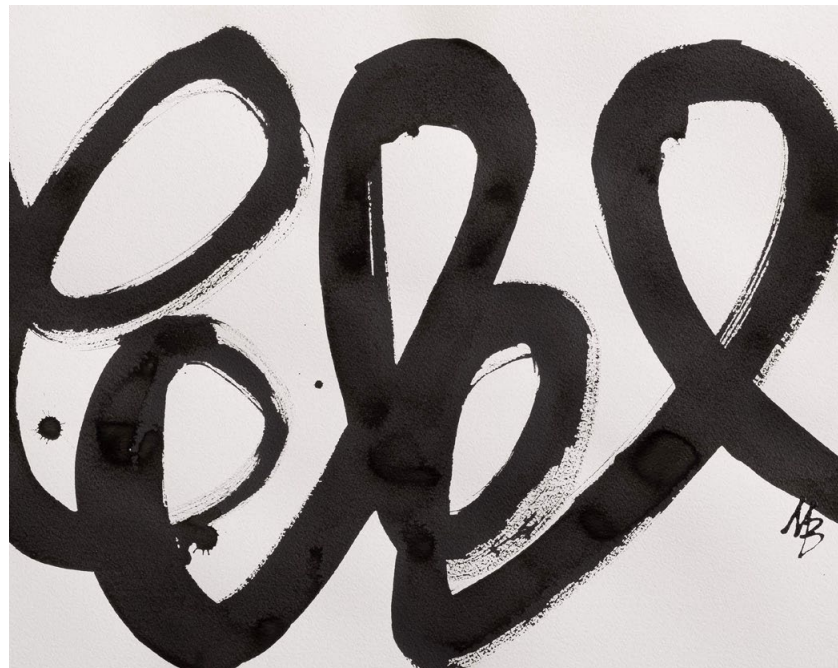
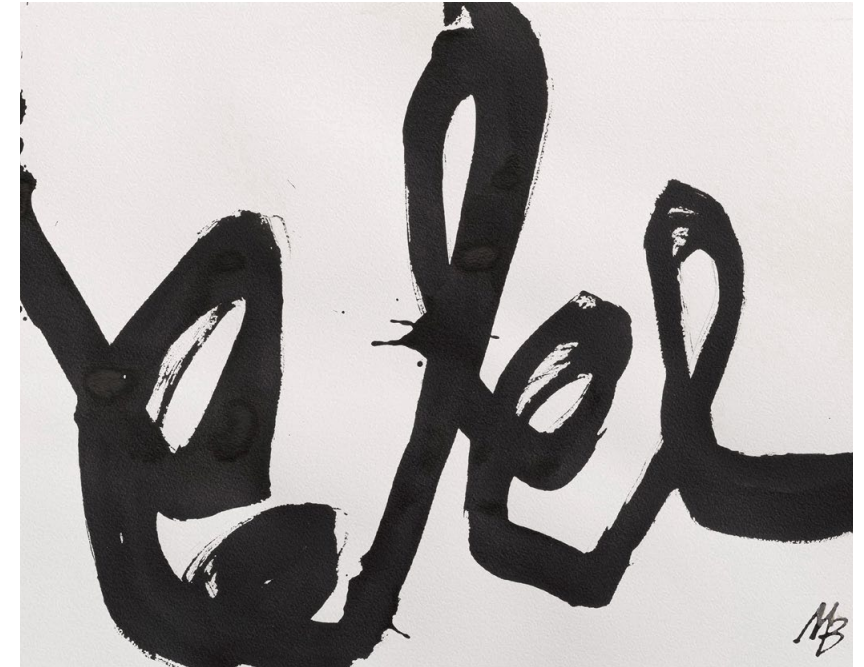
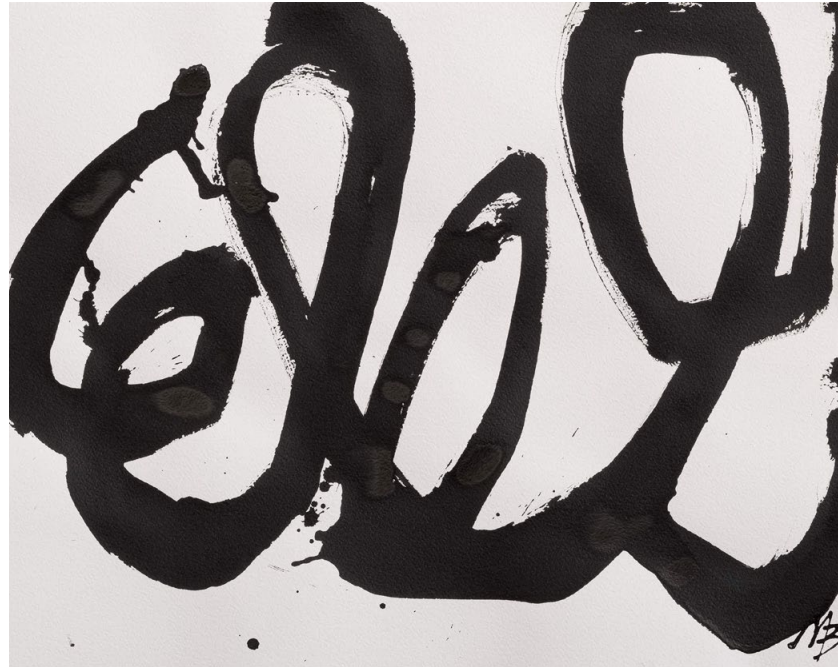
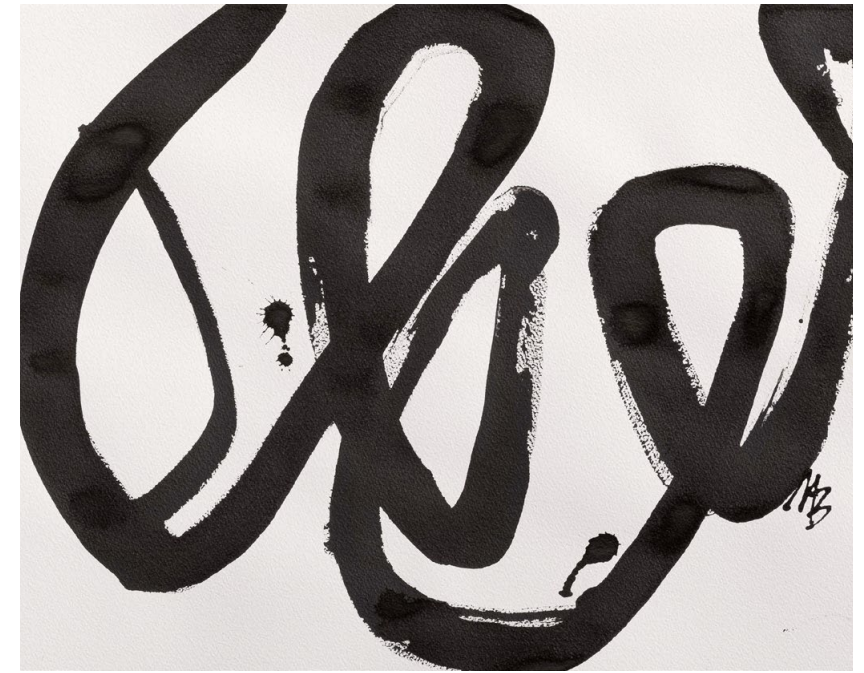


Abstract Writing, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Ink On Paper
18 1/8 x 24 Inches (46 x 61 cm) unframed
Reference MB032, MB033, MB034,
MB035, MB036, MB037

£1,100 each





Lady Looking No.1, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Paper
24 x 18 1/8 Inches (61 x 46 cm) unframed
Reference MB053

£1,200



Lady Looking No.2, 2022

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Paper
27 1/2 x 19 1/2 Inches (70 x 49.5 cm) unframed
Reference MB054

£1,200



Large Forms Supported No.1, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Canvas
55 1/8 x 39 3/8 Inches (140 x 100 cm)
Reference MB027

£4,500



Large Forms Supported No.2, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Canvas
44 7/8 x 35 3/8 Inches (114 x 90 cm)
Reference MB028

£3,800



My Bodyguard, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Canvas
63 x 47 1/4 Inches (160 x 120 cm)
Reference MB039

£5,600

Support No.1, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Paper/ Collage
16 3/8 x 11 5/8 Inches (41.5 x 29.5 cm) unframed
Reference MB063

£600



Support No.2, 2023

MALENE BIRGER

Acrylic On Paper/ Collage
16 3/8 x 11 5/8 Inches (41.5 x 29.5 cm) unframed
Reference MB064

£600



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