

Joel Mesler

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Education

1999 MFA, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA

Selected Solo / Two-Person Exhibitions

(* indicates a publication)

2025	Dear Rabbi, A Hug From The Art World, New York, NY The Light Within, Nassima Landau Art Foundation, Tel Aviv, Israel Miles of Smiles, Guild Hall, East Hampton, NY
2024	Me, You and the Sunset, Richard Rogers Gallery, Château La Coste, Aix-en-Provence, France Pool Party, Rockefeller Center, New York, NY Kitchens are good rooms to cry in, Lévy Gorvy Dayan, New York, NY
2023	*Sunrise Sunset, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, CA Spotlight: Joel Mesler, Flag Art Foundation, New York, NY Spiritual Journey, Long Museum, Shanghai, China The Rabbis, Cheim & Read, New York, NY
2022	Mental States, LGDR, Hong Kong Pool Party, Lévy Gorvy, Palm Beach, FL and London, England
2021	Surrender, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, CA In the Beginning, Lévy Gorvy, Central, Hong Kong
2020	Show Schmo, Harper's Apartment, New York, NY
2018	The Alphabet of Creation (For Now), Simon Lee Gallery, London, England
2017	Down and Out in Beverly Hills, Kantor Gallery, Beverly Hills, CA
2016	American People, TORRI, Paris, France
2005	Black Dragon Society, Los Angeles, CA

Selected Group Exhibitions

(* indicates a publication)

2025 Paint the Lines, Broadway Gallery, New York, NY

Brand X Editions: Innovation in Screenprinting, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA CHUTZPAH: Spirit, Recollection, Self, Jewish Museum of Australia, St. Kilda, Australia

2024 Pictures at an Exhibition, Charles Bronfman Auditorium, Tel Aviv Culture Center, Tel Aviv, Israel

Engaging with History: Works from the Collection, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY

OVERSERVED, Miles McEnery Gallery, New York

Crescent Heights, Harper's Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA

Friends of the Pod, Broadway Gallery, New York, NY

2023 Diaspora, Ezra Gallery of the Hamptons, Sag Harbor, NY

*20, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

Pop Masters: Art From the Mugrabi Collection, New York, Home of the Arts (HOTA), Surfers Paradise, Australia

Tropic of Cancer, Pace Gallery, Palm Beach, FL

2021 Via Cafe, Tif Sigfrids, Comer, GA

2019 Summer Rental, Rental Gallery, East Hampton, NY

Brand X: 40 Years, Pace Gallery, New York, NY Malmö Sessions, Carl Kostyál, Malmö, Sweden

2008 Pop-Auge und die ewigen Quatschkommoden Deutsche und Amerikanische Kunst seit 1999, Patrick Painter, Inc.,

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