

PRESS RELEASE

SINNESRAUSCH

Group Exhibition

19th Aug. - 29th Sept. 2021

In the exhibition SINNESRAUSCH, the Suppan Fine Arts Gallery shows new works by four contemporary artists from its programme: Dénes Ghyczy, Markus Huemer, Hermann Nitsch and Michael Ornauer.

In its exhibition, the gallery focuses on painting and drawing. Powerful pour paintings as well as recent works on paper by Hermann Nitsch are presented next to colourful paintings by the up-and-coming artist Michael Ornauer. After a very successful solo exhibition, new works by the artist are shown. Ornauer explores the possibilities of colour play and colour harmony as well as those of materiality. His organic works are created through an interplay of the conscious and the unconscious.

Markus Huemer irritates the viewer's perception with his reduced and minimalist paintings and drawings. The Austrian artist, who lives in Berlin, deals with the themes of reality and virtuality as well as the question of presentation and representation. His works are formally highly reduced and, depending on how they are viewed, result in abstract patterns or concrete images, including landscape, floral and animal motifs. Dénes Ghyczy's painting also deals with constructed fragmented realities. The eye is drawn to a painted surface that not only carries its own materiality, but at the same time the illusion of a space, another reality. With his reduced and delicate painting style, he fills historically significant buildings with new life and creates a melancholy prevailing mood.