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PRESS RELEASE

Blue I Am

ON VIEW
April 1st, 2022- May 31st, 2022

PRIVATE VIEWING
by appointment only
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LOCATION
The Courtyard House
Aurora, Oregon

Ali Van

(Aurora, OR) April 1, 2022 -- NO ARCHITECTURE, in collaboration with artist Ali Van, is pleased to present *Blue I Am*, an exhibition of work by Ali Van sited at the Courtyard House in Aurora, Oregon. Installed at the AlA award-winning Courtyard House in Oregon's Willamette Valley, this exhibition values art, architecture, and nature through a soliloquy with time, composing places to carry a lightweight and playfully precise capture of object wind; obscure rays quietly fulminant, echoic in menses, close to observe an active and geographic specificity. Featuring a selection of aerographs by Ali Van – air-sensitive + ironed x cyanic time - this exhibition proffers an experience of seeing and making images in cycle with movement imagined and real, for a collate transience of light and weather, toward a context for reflecting layered presences through the gentle condensation of analogue technology, scalar spirit, and engendered markmaking. Open to vision, *Blue I Am* is a pattern of questions essential to who we are in this shared and omnipotent continuum.

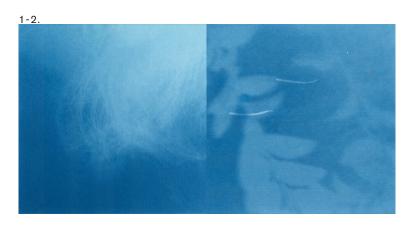
Ali Van is a Minnesota and Zurich based interdisciplinary artist who immanently explores and responds to the components of life around her. Here she gives to blue. Van was born in New York and raised in Hong Kong. She received a BA from Yale University and an MFA from Columbia University School of the Arts. Her work centres in languages of love and figures its radius with cloud, alpine, palate, and psyche. In wilderness she heeds one.

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Designed by NO ARCHITECTURE principal Andrew Heid for his parents, the Courtyard House is built into a hillside, cantilevered toward views of the Pudding River and surrounded by the astounding wild Oregon landscape. Entered through a sunken entrance court, the living spaces unfold in a continuous loop around a faceted glass courtyard, the floor to ceiling glass walls erasing the barrier between interior and land.

NO ARCHITECTURE is an internationally renowned practice based in New York City. The office is known for a diverse range of projects including Tongzhou Grand Canal in Beijing, Cloud Forest: Qianhai New City Center in Shenzhen, and the Courtyard House, which was awarded the highest Honor Award for the Housing Design Awards from the Boston Society of Architects and AIA New York. Recent design work and writing have been presented at Shenzhen University, Tongji University, the Museum of Modern Art, The Positive Economy Forum, The Shenzhen Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism\Architecture, and the Beijing Design Week; and have been featured in *AD Italia*, *L'Architecture d'Aujourd'hui*, *Cultured Magazine, Taschen, AD Germany, Architectural Record, Architectural Digest, Dwell*, the *Oregonian, Wallpaper\**, and the *Wall Street Journal*. PIN-UP Architecture Magazine featured NO ARCHITECTURE as one of the ten most innovative architecture practices in New York City.



10\_ Language and Myth: Otto In Aurora
(AV\_ 4, 0, 2, 9; AH\_ 1 - 4)
four of thirty two movements, 38 x 38 In, hahnemuhle rice



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(AV\_ 10 ; AH\_ 5) one of twenty movements,  $53 \times 38$  in, hahnemuhle rice



7\_ The New Melusina : Young Goethe

(AV\_ 12; AH\_ 6)

one of fourteen movements 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice



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(AV\_ 19; AH\_ 7)

one of twenty movements, 41  $\times$  29 in, hahnemuhle rice



7\_ The New Melusina; Young Goethe

(AV\_7; AH\_8)

one of fourteen movements,  $33 \times 24$  in, hahnemuhle rice



2\_ Xenophanes of Colophon; Fragments

(AV\_ 9 \* AH\_9) one of fifteen movements,  $53 \times 38$  in, hahnemuhle rice sold



5\_ Complex Archetype Symbol : JJJ

(AV\_ 17 ; AH\_ 10) one of seventeen movements,  $53 \times 38$  in, hahnemuhle rice



8\_ Masterpieces on the History of an Idea: Chapters

(AV\_ 12; AH\_ 11)

one of twenty nine movements,  $53 \times 38$  in, hahnemuhle rice



5\_ Complex Archetype Symbol:

(AV\_ 5 ; AH\_ 12) one of seventeen movements, 53 x 38 in, hahnemuhle rice



9\_ Magdalena ; Prose Poem

(AV\_ 9 ; AH\_ 13) one of fifteen movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice



4\_ An Oresteia : As.So.Eu

(AV\_ 10; AH\_ 14) one of eleven movements, 53 x 38 in, hahnemuhle rice sold



5\_ Complex Archetype Symbol; JJJ (AV\_ 15 \* AH\_ 15) one of seventeen movements, 53 x 38 in, hahnemuhle rice



 $6\_$  International Scientific Journal of Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence: World Scientific (AV $\_$ 20; AH $\_$ 16) one of twenty movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice sold



8\_ Masterpieces on the History of an Idea ; Chapters (AV\_ 21 ; AH\_ 17) one of twenty nine movements, 41  $\times$  29 in, hahnemuhle rice. sold



9\_ Magdalena; Prose Poem
(AV\_ 2; AH\_ 18)
one of fifteen movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice



 $6\_$  International Scientific Journal of Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence: World Scientific ((AV $\_$  17; AH $\_$  19) one of twenty movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice sold



 $6\_$  International Scientific Journal of Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence : World Scientific (AV\_ 1; AH\_ 20) one of twenty movements, 33 x 24 in, hahnemuhle rice



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9\_ Magdalena; Prose Poem (AV\_ 1; AH\_ 23) one of fifteen movements, 33 x 24 in, hahnemuhle rice



9\_ Magdalena; Prose Poem (AV\_ 3; AH\_ 24) one of fifteen movements, 33 x 24 in, hahnemuhle rice



2\_ Xenophanes of Colophon; Fragments
(AV\_ 11, 10, 14 \* AH\_ 25 - 27)
each / three of fifteen movements, 53 x 38 in, slickrock metallic



8\_ Masterpieces on the History of an Idea : Chapters (AV\_ 17 ; AH\_ 28) one of twenty nine movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice. sold



7\_ The New Melusina ; Young Goethe
(AV\_ 5 ; AH\_ 29)
one of fourteen movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice



sold

7\_ The New Melusina; Young Goethe
(AV\_ 14; AH\_ 30)
one of fourteen movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice



6\_ International Scientific Journal of Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence : World Scientific (AV\_ 14; AH\_ 31) one of twenty movements, 41 x 29 in, hahnemuhle rice



7\_ The New Melusina; Young Goethe
(AV\_ 9; AH\_ 32)
one of fourteen movements, 33 x 24 in, hahnemuhle rice



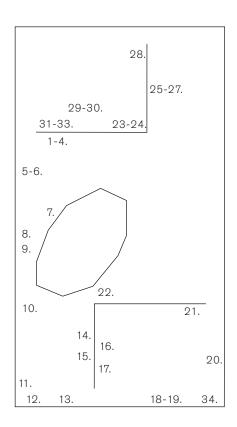
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6\_ International Scientific Journal of Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence : World Scientific (AV\_ 16; AH\_34)
Edition in seven hues / one of five steeds, 5 x 7 in, 3M Vinyl



6\_ International Scientific Journal of Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence: World Scientific (AV\_ 13; AH\_ She shed) edition in seven hues / one of five steeds, 5 x 7 in, 3M Vinyl 35.



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at The Courtyard House, Aurora OR 2022
KEY { cadence\_ Era : coma (AV\_rhythm; AH\_reference)
Sole AEROGRAPHS { value / variant, scale, surface}